

Old Belleview Cemetery





Date: July 31, 1988

Name: **Old BELLEVIEW**

Location: In curve of KY 18, west side, just before going into the village of Belleview (once spelled Bellevue). See 1883 Lake's Atlas and Kentucky topo maps for location. (Small Belleview Cemetery, next to the General Store)

Property Owner: Community owned

Recorder: Boone County Chapter DAR

Source: Kentucky Cemetery Records, Kentucky Society, DAR Vol. I pages 30-32

Inscriptions:

AKIN

T. J. / born Mar. 7, 1814 / died Apr. 9, 1890
Elizabeth / his wife / born Aug. 11, 1823 died Oct. 5, 1905
Martin W. / died June 10, 1878 / aged 68 years
Ann W. / wife of M. W. Akin / born Nov. 22, 1829 / died May 26, 1872
Jas Z. / born Apr. 29, 1847 / died Apr. 10, 1883
Margaret / born July 20, 1850 / died May 19, 1919
William / born Feb. 5, 1808 / died Jan. 10, 1892
Eliza / born Feb. 29, 1818 / died Jan. 12, 1892

ALLEN

George W. / Father /1855 -1924
Sarah Belle / wife of George Allen / Sept. 10, 1860-Feb. 28, 1913
Lucy H. / died Jan. 2, 1885 / aged 32 yrs

ARNOLD

Louisa A. / wife of L. P. Arnold / born Mar. 27, 1833 / died July 16, 1878
George O. / born Sept. 17, 1853 / died Mar. 23, 1859
Charles H. / born Nov. 16, 1856 / died Apr. 2, 1859
Children of L. P. & L. A. Arnold

AYLOR

Richard L. / born July 19, 1840 / died Dec. 12, 1882
Elizabeth M. / born Mar. 23, 1850 / died Mar. 5, 1918

BALDOR

Bessie S. / dau of T. E. & E. A. Bardor / born May 5, 1882 / died Apr. 22, 1884

BEEMON

Rachel / Jan. 17, 1815 / Nov. 3 1904

Mary A. Berkshire / formerly the wife of William Presser / born Jan. 3, 1846
/ died Oct. 29, 1908

Everett W. / son of Cadmus & Rebecca Berkshire / July 28 - Dec. 2, 1890

BOTTS Jno. E. / born Oct. 30, 1809 / died Nov. 22, 1890
Hester J. / wife of J. E. Botts / died Sept. 20, 1872 / aged 46 yr 3 mo 18 da
Stanley R. / May 1, 1881 - Feb 2, 1921
Eva M. / wife of H. G. Botts / died Sept. 20, 1882 / aged 25 yr 6 mo 19 da

BRADY S. P. / died Dec. 29, 1890 in his 81st year
Elizabeth S. / wife of S. P. Brady / died Aug. 17, 1849 / aged 31 yr 5 mo
Sarah A. / 2nd wife of S. P. Brady / died June 20, 1878 /
aged 58 yr 4 mo 5 da

BURRIS Rebecca Jane / July 22, 1859 / May 20, 1888

BROWN Matilda / born Sept. 12, 1825 / died Dec. 23, 1870

CLORE Perry / Dec. 13, 1840 / June 16, 1907
Sallie Ann / his wife / July 30, 1862 / Feb. 6, 1921
Cynthia / his wife / Dec. 19, 1854 / July 27, 1890
Raymond / son of P. & C. J. Clore / died Sept. 1, 1890 / aged 4 mo 3 da
Noah / born March 29, 1817 (no date of death)
on same stone / Anne / born Oct. 29, 1821 / died June 11, 1882

CORBIN Albert / born Mar. 31, 1826 / died Sept. 21, 1897
Mary E. / born May 6, 1825 / died Jan. 28, 1905
William B. / born Nov. 20, 1856 / died Mar. 5, 1885
Nelle May / dau of M. J. & K. Corbin / born Apr. 19 / died Sept. 24, 1881
Mabel / dau of M. J. & K. Corbin / born May 21, 1879 / Died June 16, 1880

COX John G. / Apr. 21, 1836 - July 27, 1895
Julia A. / Mar. 20, 1841 - Mar. 15, 1904
Lewis A. / son of J. G. & J. A. Cox / died June 8, 1880 / aged 8 mo 9 da
Eva / Dec. 8, 1873 - Apr. 25, 1892

CRAIG Susan / wife of John Craig / died Apr. 4, 1887 / aged 85 yrs 22 da

DORMAN Charlie E. / son of H. & Oliva Dorman / born Sept. 19, 1886 / died May 4, 1887

EGGLESTON Debonia M. / born Feb. 13, 1880 / died Jan. 15, 1881 /
Amos S. / born Feb. 20, 1878 / died July 10, 1881
Children of T. J. & C. Eggleston

GARNETT William H. / born Nov. 10, 1837 / died May 13, 1863
Elizabeth / wife of Wm. Garnett / died Mar. 17, 1886 / aged 94 yrs

GREEN M. G. / born Jan. 26, 1825 / died Aug. 6, 1900
Jan E. / born Apr. 12, 1827 / died Sept. 25, 1885

GRANT Mary / wife of John Grant / born Mar. 4, 1801 / died June 6, 1889 / aged 88 yrs

INGRAM Robert / died Sept. 26, 1892 / aged 7 yr 10 mo 13 da

Ella / died Jan. 18, 1881 / aged 10 mo 23 da
Children of R. H. & Kittie Ingram

KELLY John T. Kelly / born Oct. 6, 1871 / died Nov. 24, 1895

LINDENBURN Phillip & wife Margaret / no dates)
John / Nov. 8, 1865 / Jan. 5, 1921
Samuel / infant son of Henry & Pearl Lindenburn / Feb. 8-28, 1901

LOUDEN Richard / born Mar. 12, 1851 / died Aug. 25, 1911
Georgia / wife of R. Louden / born Nov. 14, 1854
Jessie / died Sept. 2, 1890 / aged 19 yr 10 mo 28 da

MC MULLEN Evangeline / born May 13, 1848 / died Feb. 2, 1904
Nannie / born Jan. 3, 1876 / died Aug 23, 1895
Everett / born Aug. 27, 1882 / died Nov. 26, 1883

MC MURRAY Robert McMurray / died Dec. 2, 1883 / aged 67 years

MAUER Minnie Mauer / born June 12, 1883 / died Dec. 22, 1903

MORELAND Jesse / died Aug. 6, 1880 / aged 32 yrs 1 mo 26 da
Suseanna / died May 2, 1881 / aged 47 yr 5 mo 1 da

PIATT Robt. / died Oct. 19, 1883 / aged 53 yr 1 mo 23 da
Cath. / died Oct. 10, 1888 / aged 60 yr 60 mo 21 da
Dr. Louis H. / son of R. & C. Piatt / died Oct. 8, 1885 /
aged 30 yr 11 mo 10 da
Josephine / Feb. 21, 1863 - Dec. 28, 1927

PRESSER Wm. M. / born July 28, 1834 / died Mar. 17, 1870
(see Berkshire) William Presser / born July 28, 1834 / died May 17, 1870
Lizzie / born Aug. 30, 1867 / died Aug. 7, 1868
Raymond Howard / son of O. W. & Lizzie Presser / Mar. 14, 1898 /
Aug. 7, 1898

RICE Morgan / Feb. 27, 1827 / Oct. 22, 1886
Harriet / his wife / Jan. 2, 1831 / Feb. 28, 1913
Wilbur / their son / May 7, 1849 / Nov. 6, 1912

RYAL Ray E. / wife of Wade H. Ryal / died Oct. 11, 1883 / aged 38 yr 10 mo 23 da
Infant dau of W. H. & M. E. Ryal / born and died Oct. 4, 1883

RYLE William P. / Sept. 12, 1817 / Feb. 19, 1880
Elizabeth / Mar. 16, 1832 / May 17, 1908
Lucy S. / Apr. 7, 1830 / Sept. 11, 1891
Elijah / died Apr. 14, 1899 / aged 78 yr 6 mo 25 da
Sallie / wife of E. Ryle / died Aug. 19, 1891 / aged 63 yr 3 mo 24 da
James / born Jan. 6, 1842 / died June 20, 1895
Ethel Close (sic) / dau of W. t. & M. L. Ryle / died May 12, 1884 /
age 1 yr 9 mo

SAXTON Charles W. Saxton / born Sept. 1, 1847 / died Aug. 24, 1887

SMITH Magdalene / Great Grandmother / 1815 - 1907

SULLIVAN James W. / born Feb. 29, 1852 / died Feb. 19, 1898
Minnie / wife of J. W. Sullivan / born ____ / died Jan. 10, 1889

WALRATH Susan Walrath / Feb. 13, 1859 / Oct. 10, 1915

WALTON Josiah H. / born Mar. 22, 1831 / died Feb. 27, 1896
Matilda / his wife / born Dec. 27, 1847 / died Mar. 24, 1882
Roxie / dau of J. H. & E. Walton / born June 24, 1871 / died Jan. 26, 1890

WISCKEL Unoris Wisden / born Nov. 25, 1867 / died Sept. 11, 1894

COMMENT:

The foregoing inscriptions are of the early settlers of Belleview, and some of the farmers in the neighborhood. The following is from Wm. Conrad's *"A Journey into the Past"*. Copyright 1984

BELLEVIEW

"The town of Belleview was laid out by Colonel Edward Meeks in 1815 to be called Mount Vernon, but the name was changed to Belleview which is sometimes spelled Bellevue."

"This name is derived from the French meaning 'beautiful to see'. To prevent confusion with another Bellevue in the state, the post office was designated as Grant, Kentucky."

"An 1816 issue of the *Western Spy* advertised a sale of lots at Belleview. The principal attractions being: located in midst of a high fertile bottom and inhabitants wealthy and industrious with their surplus products such as wheat, flour, tobacco, cheese and butter."

"At one time, willow farms grew basket willow trees and bushes by the creeks and river. In the spring the willow switches were harvested, stripped of bark and sold to local basket makers. The surplus was shipped, and steamboats would sometimes load as many as 30,000 for a market elsewhere."

"Belleview was a shipping point for decades, and a variety of Boone County products were brought here for shipment on steamboats."

"In 1908, a local newspaper had this to say about Belleview: 'Bellevue has a canning factory, a graded school, four stores, three coal yards, a basket factory and two tobacco warehouses. Why has Bellevue not the right to lay aside knee pants?'"

"Steamboat men once lived here, and after dark there would be a light, held in the hands of a mother or wife, shining from a window or door of a home in answer to a whistle signal from a steamboat passing in the night."