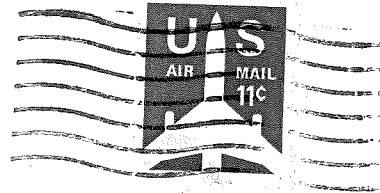


AFTER FIVE DAYS RETURN TO

Chas H Funk  
Blue Jacket Okla  
274333

ZIP CODE



**AIR MAIL**

Mary E. Richardson  
5111 Wtn View Drive  
Boise 2 83704  
Idaho

I only seen my  
Grand father only  
about 4 hrs in my  
life or his in Iowa once

Mark

Hello Mary: Well I am a long  
time answering your last  
letter] owing to the fact that I  
am not sure what my own  
Grand Mother name was for sure

I wrote to Illinois to one of my  
Cousins to get her Maiden Name  
also her given Name. but have  
Not yet got any answer to my  
letter to my Cousin Maybe he  
has Died or maybe he never  
got the letter] I'd sure like to  
know the answers myself to  
some of your questions. If you  
would ask by writing to Illinois  
and get the 1960 or Maybe  
the 1970 Census Record on the  
Samuel David Miller Family  
you may be able to get my  
Grandmother given Name  
to page 2 please

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My Grand Mother may have  
Died before I was Born as I  
was not born until Aug. 29 1882  
and of course never knew or  
ever seen my own Grand Mother

No your questions

No 1 Charles Henry Funk  
Born Aug 29 1882

No 2 I do not know what  
year George Washington  
Died as my family Funk  
Did not notify me as they  
Probably did not know  
where I was at the time he  
Died.

No 3 Alvin Perkins Funk  
Died as I remember on  
thanks giving day 1963  
in the St Francis Hospital  
from a Broken Hip caused  
By a fall on concrete walk  
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Question <sup>No 3,</sup> 1 My mother <sup>Sailer</sup>  
Nancy Ann Miller Funk  
Died in Ogden Utah in  
her home, in 1938 I  
was over to Her funeral  
I was over to see her in 1937  
Yes she is Buried in the  
Cemetery in Ogden Utah  
Also my Step Father  
Hammond Sailer and  
my 2 Twin Brothers is  
also Buried in the same  
Grave Plot.

My older Brother also and  
his wife are Buried in  
the same cemetery in  
Ogden Utah. He was  
69 or 70 years old at  
the time of his Death  
I forgot the exact year.  
I remember him as Frank  
to page 4 Please

No 4 I do not know what  
 County David Samuel Miller  
 was Born in Ohio all I  
 know is he came down  
 from Ohio on the Ohio  
 River a a Boat Man and  
 then came back up the  
 Illinois River to Bureau  
 Illinois where he Home-  
 steaded on a farm, and  
 went to cutting Rail-  
 Road ties for the Rock  
 Island Railroad and  
 bought land of the Rock  
 Island R.R. Co and paid  
 for the land by cutting  
 and selling them to  
 the Railroad Co. at the  
 time of his Death he had  
 7000 acres of land along  
 the Railroad, and in Ill. <sup>acres</sup>  
 and also owned 8000 <sup>acres</sup>  
 + Iowa to page 5 please

A Big Man about 340# as  
I remember.  
A very successful Man.  
#65 as I already wrote  
I cannot be sure what  
my own Grand Mother  
Maiden name I could of  
been Perkins, Daly or  
or possibly Searles

If you get the 1960 or 1970  
census on David Samuel  
Millers family of Bureau  
Illinois you may get  
the desired information  
I sure wish you good  
Luck if you do.

Well I have done the best  
I know to help you and  
if I live to ever get to  
Ill or that cousin of mine  
ever gives me any more  
Information I'll try to  
to page 60 please

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Let you know

In closing I will say we have had a long wet chilly winter started in Nov and down to zero at times. I did not get my truck out of the garage till to late and I had some Business here in January 1973 to attend to and here is March 14th and the wind is blowing at the rate of around 25 to 35 miles an hour last nite there was a number of cyclone warning out.  
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Must all last into the  
sun is out bright  
and now

We had a lot wet  
rainy weather worst  
in the last 40 years  
I have been lucky so  
far about not having  
any bad sickness so  
far this winter to  
now.

Well that's all for this time.  
always glad to hear  
from you all. as they  
say in Mississippi  
hope to go thru Boise  
this summer to see the my  
children if the good Lord  
sees fit to allow me the  
time. Will be 92 years  
over.



8  
young Aug 2<sup>d</sup> if am  
alive at that time  
The Good Lord has  
Been I feel extra  
good to me and I do  
hope I may be good  
enough to be allowed  
to be with Jesus when  
he comes to take over  
his Kingdom here  
on earth.

Bye now and the best  
wishes to you family  
and all the Relatives  
I have in Boise or  
Idaho. Bye Bye

{same address  
yet.} Chas H Frank