

JOHN WILLIAM RICHMAN

4 January 1856 - 24 July 1921

John William Richman was born to John Richman and Sarah Ann Stephensen on 4 January 1856. **John William** was born in Albeschbank, Lncln, England. There was six children born to John and Sarah Ann.

When they left their home in England and immigrated to America on 20 March, 1860, John was four years old. They joined relatives in Maryland and lived there for one year and nine months. In June of 1862, when **John William** was six years old they left Maryland and started their journey westward. They traveled by boat and railroad until they reached the Missouri River. From there they joined a company of Saints. They traveled by ox team across the plains to Utah. They arrived at Paradise on 21 October 1862.

While at Paradise, **John William's** father John diligently engaged in farming. They were also very active in the church. But in 1885, his father and mother moved their family to Teton City, Idaho, where they homesteaded a fine tract of 152 acres.

We don't know much more about John William, but he was baptized a member of the Latter Day Saint church on 12 Jun 1868. He married and was sealed to Jane Charlotte Sinfield on 20 October 1876 at the Endowment House in Salt Lake City, Utah.

They were blessed with nine children. John Samuel, Zoe, George, Amos, William, Jennie, Hannah, Aha, and Leon.

John William and Jane Charlotte lived in Paradise, in the then north end of town. (The Norm Pearce Home - 2009). They worked together each a help-mate to the other, no matter what the job might be.

John William passed away on 24 July 1921 at the age of sixty five. He is buried in the Paradise Cemetery.

They together had thirty-one grandchildren, and twenty-four great-grandchildren, which one of them is myself (Gayle).