



Fort Collins, Colorado: Viola, Vern and Marjorie, Mary and Russell, Eileen and Wilbur, Lura.

Lives based on worthy goals, hard work, and service to others.

Sterling examples for those who share their values.

**“His lord said unto him,
Well done, thou good and faithful servant:
thou hast been faithful over a few things,
I will make thee ruler over many things:
enter thou into the joy of thy lord.”**

Mathew 25:21, KJV

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POSSIBLE BUS SCHEDULE:

- 2:00 PM Leave from Red Fox Parking Lot
Hiway 218 North to detour. North to Spring Lake School
West to Hiway 218. North to Wilken farm on left.
- 2:15: Fred's farm. Long lane. Pull in
Talk 30 minutes
Wilbur & Viola walk into house. (French doors).
- 2:45 Turn left/north toward Plainfield
Turn left/west at next county road.
Go past Vern's old place on left (Colburn on right) to first mile.
Turn left/South. Go 1 mile; cross Shell Rock road. Go 2nd mile.
Turn left/East. Go ¾ mile. Pull into Rae's driveway.
- 3:00 Rae's farm. Long lane; pull in.
Talk 30 minutes
- 3:30 Head East across 218 to Red Ball Road. Turn left/north.
At Spring Lake Cemetery, turn right/west.
After crossing bridge, turn right at first lane into Quarry.
Head left past house. Go left around "plant". Unload near big door on far side
Move buses out way so people can stand inside and look out toward quarry
- 3:45 Quarry
Talk 30 minutes
- 4:15 Back to Waverly (Lover's lane?)
Drive east on hiway 3 to Koehring
- 4:30 Koehring: Turn right, right, right into visitor's parking
Talk 30 minutes
Backup and pull out.
- 5:00 Leave Bantam Company
5:15 Back to Red Fox Parking Lot.

THE KECK FAMILY:

Source: "The Keck Family With special reference to the decendants of Michael Keck, who came to Ohio in 1806." Compiled and Edited by John Melvin Keck, 443 Cleveland Rd. Cleveland Oh. 1926.

THE OHIO KECK FAMILY

Michael Keck, senior. B. Lancaster Pa 1760 and died at North Lima, O., in 1808, son of Henry, who landed in 1732, Rev. soldier. [female offspring eligible for DAR; male offspring eligible for SAR]
Married Katharina Kern [whose father George Kern came from Holland]
Children: *Daniel*, Michael, Lydia and Hannah or Susanna.

THE TRIBE OF DANIEL KECK

Daniel Keck and Catherine Gilbert (1791 -).
Daniel was born in Lancaster, Pa. on Nov 18, 1790. Came to Ohio with his parents in 1806.
Children: Susanna [Sprinkle], David (1817-1895), *Daniel* (1819-1890), Lydia, Jacob and Michael.

Daniel Keck, [Junior] b Sept 8, 1819, m Lovina Kern January 25, 1844, d. March 4, 1890
Lovina Kern b. Sept 16, 1823., d. Aug., 14, 1893.
Children all born in Manchester, Summit County, Ohio.
Moved to Blairstown, Iowa and later to Washta, Iowa, where both died.
Children: Simon (1/19/1845 - 3/1/1890), Emmanuel (3/17/1848 -), *Sarah* (7/7/1859* - 11/25/1886), William (9/25/1852 - 4/4/1926), John (11/21/1854 -), Amanda (4/16/1857 - 8/28/1924) and Lewis (10/19/1860 -).

Sarah Keck. b 7/7/1859*, m Wilson Tompson 8/8/69, d 11/25/86 [Prarie Center Cemetery in Blairstown, IA]
[* This probably should be 1849. Sometimes Tompson is spelled Thompson.]
Children: Oliver, *Emma*, Charles, Martin, Warden, *Minnie*, *Cora* and Oscar.
[Note: Underscore added to identify those who ended up nearby in Western Iowa.]

Minnie Nerona attended Western Union College, LeMars, Iowa. M. Allen Lemonds. Sept. 4, 1907, farmer, Methodist Howarden, Iowa. Children: Laverne, Glenn, Erva, Viva.

Cora Tompson. M. Wm Hagan, December 16, 1903, farmer, Evangelical, Address, Parker SD.
Children: *Carl* Wesley Hagan (graduate of Anderson Bible College, Church of God, Gospel Work), Clarence Hagan, *Ivan* Delbert Hagan (attending Anderson Seminary, Church of God), Floyd William, Gladys Fern, Virgil Oliver, Earl Preston, Melvin Orval, Leona Mabelle, and Stanley Ervin.

Warden Tompson d. Jan 18, 1919 age 41. Buried Glade Park, Col. [Went with Fred to Sioux County]

Emma Lovina Tompson
Married Fred Shields, farmer. [April 4, 1895] Address Montevideo, Minn.
Children Rae, Myrtle, Lura, Vern, Russell, Wilbur and Viola.

- a. Rae Wilson Shields, farmer, Methodist, served in Navy during the war.
M Lillian Yeatman, Chicago Stenographer, Methodist.

The following children are member of the Church of God

- b. Myrtle Wilhelmina Shields, Western Union College, Gospel Worker, Montevideo.
- c. Lura Mae Shields, graduate Anderson Bible Seminary, Assist Manager Branch House of Church of God, 638 Edgewood Ave., Atlanta, Ga.
- d. Vern Leroy Shields, graduate Anderson Bible Seminary, also School of Agriculture, Ames, Iowa.
Charge of garage, Montevideo.
- e. Russell Clark Shields, Anderson Bible College, farmer, Montevideo.
- f. Wilbur Lewellyn Shields, in school of Agriculture, Morris, Minn.
- g. Viola Evelyn Shields, in public school .

Picture #1: 1870: Daniel Keck family

[Names ordered as seen from the back side. Information as written on back side. Picture taped.]

[Back/top row]: Lewis, John, Will [William], Manuel [Emmanuel], Simon
1870

[Front/bottom row]: Amanda, Grandma Keck [Lovina], Daniel (Grandpa), Sarah (Emma Schield's mother).

Picture #2, 1894. William & Sarah Thomson family (with Emma).

Picture #3, 1892. "Simon Schield and family" on back. [Posed indoors. Fred is grown.]

Picture #4, 1899. [Simon Shields and family (outdoors, 9 people in picture). Following on back.]

"The farm of Mr and Mrs Fred Schield. Mar 1899 at Hawarden Iowa." [writer unknown]

"This house was moved to the church in 1905 – when they built the new house." W.L. Schield

Picture #5, 1910-1912???. Fred's kids. [All but Viola? Is Wilbur the baby?]

It takes a lot of food each year to feed working farm horses: 800 pounds of oats, 1,600 pounds of shelled corn, and 1.8 tons of hay per head. [Source: Historical Statistics of the US. Colonial Times to 1957. p. 262]. At 32 pounds per bushel for oats, 60 pounds per bushel for corn and 65 pounds per bale, this is about 25 bushels of oats, 27 bushels of corn and 25 bales for each working farm horse per year. Alfafa (3x/yr. 4-5 ton per year). We used pasture land with wild timothy. Get maybe 1 ton per year. Oats yield over 100 bushels in Minn (60 in Iowa). Roughly, 2 acres per horse plus the time to handle the food.



Vern and Wilbur – ideas and organization – pure dynamite!

???? Schield Bantam Co. donates Schield Stadium to Wartburg College