

Alma Covert

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: Alma Covert

Age: 1y; 7m; 19d

Relationship: Son of William & May Covert

Deceased: Sep. 23, 1847

Disease: Typhas fever

Birth Place: Nauvoo, Il.

Birth Date: Feb. 4th, 1846

Grave No. 233

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Birth Place: Nauvoo, Hancock, Illinois

Death Date: September 23, 1847

Cause of Death: Typhus fever

Burial Place: Winter Quarters Grave #233

Father's Name: William Spencer Covert

Mother's Maiden Name: Mary Cortright/Courtwright

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters Ward 13

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? William is listed as a farmer and family #89
Great Salt Lake, Utah Territory

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Came west with the Heber C. Kimball
Company in 1848. 662 individuals were in the company when it began its journey from the
outfitting post at Winter Quarters, Nebraska.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

William Spencer Covert married first Mary Cortright in about 1828 in New York. Had 10
children.

In April conference of 1855, 30 men were called to locate a settlement at Las Vegas, which was
then in Mexican Territory. William S. Covert was called as a counselor to President of the
Mission, William Bringham.