

John Ackley (Ackerly)

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: John Akley

Age: 34y; 10m;

Husband of Jane

Deceased: Oct 24, 1846

Disease: Blank

Birth Place: New York

Birth Date: Dec. 24, 1811

No. of Grave: 35

Name of Deceased: John Ackley (Ackerly)

Birth Date: Dec. 24, 1811

Death Date: Oct. 24, 1846

Cause of Death: unknown

Burial Place: Grave #35 Cutler's Park

Spouse's Name: Jane Robison

Father's Name: Robert Ackley

Mother's Maiden Name: Mary Osterhout

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters 21<sup>st</sup> Ward

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census?

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Elsie came to Utah with her uncle Peter Robison and his wife Celina. They traveled with the Silas Richards Company which left Kanessville July 10, 1849 and arrived Oct. 25-29, 1849.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

-Their children were Elsie Ann and Emily Elizabeth. John had been married before to Mary Elizabeth Moore and Elsie Ann was their child.

-Emily was born 13 days before her father, John died.  
(<http://www.johnpackfamily.com/board/index.php?topic=30.0>)

-Elsie Ann is the great grandmother of James E. Faust.

-both John and Jane were born in New York. They were also married in New York on April 17, 1845. (<http://winterquarters.byu.edu/Portals/121/PAF/ward21/b14.htm#P2>)

-Elsie married Henry Jacob Faust in Utah on April 2, 1857. She only lived to be about 41. (<https://history.lds.org/overlandtravel/pioneers/12805301307627717764/elsie-ann-akerley>)

-For Jane Robison joining the church was a family affair. Her and her newlywed husband joined and moved to Nauvoo and later Winters Quarters along with her father, mother, siblings, and on her father's side four of his siblings. Her father also died at Winter Quarters.

-Once John died Jane, age 19, married again to a man named Rufus Pack. Rufus already had 4 children, the oldest was 10. They moved down river 30 miles from Winter Quarters to Bartlett, Mills County, Iowa. Jane had 7 children here with Rufus. They joined the reorganized church and were an active part of the Nephi Branch. In 1868 Rufus was killed in a farm accident and his brother John came from Utah and moved Jane and her four youngest children back to Utah with him. John married here July 20, 1870. Jane was John's 8<sup>th</sup> wife. (<https://familysearch.org/photos/artifacts/706767>)

-Jane and her children helped John manage a dairy farm along with two of his other wives. She and her six children built a home of mud and logs and is considered the first settlor of Hinckley (then called Deseret #3) Utah. (<https://familysearch.org/photos/artifacts/706767>)