

William A. Morse

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: William A. Morse

Age: -; 1m; 2d

Son of Gilbert & Synthy Morse

Deceased: Mar. 7, 1847

Disease: Not listed

Birth Place: Winter Quarters

Birth Date: Feb. 5, 1847

No. of Grave: 96

Birth Date: Feb. 5, 1847

Death Date: Mar. 7, 1847

Cause of Death: Unknown

Burial Place: Winter Quarters grave # 96

Father's Name: Gilbert Morse

Mother's Maiden Name: Cynthia Ann Bevans

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters 14th Ward

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Iron County, Utah, house #46 (Gilbert 35, Cynthia A. 27, Mary 7, Lidia 3, Cynthia M. 0).

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Unknown one in 1848
(<https://winterquarters.byu.edu/portals/121//PAF/ward14/pafn17.htm#543>).

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

- Gilbert and Cynthia only had one child when William died, Mary. She was born in 1845 at Worthington, Franklin, Ohio.
(<https://winterquarters.byu.edu/portals/121//PAF/ward14/pafg17.htm#541>).

-Gilbert's father was William Amos Morse. Although he was 61 years old, he had also joined the church and traveled to Utah with Brigham Young in 1848. Once there he, along with his son Gilbert, helped settle Iron County. (<https://history.lds.org/overlandtravel/pioneers/2338/william-amos-morse>); (U.S. Census, Utah, Iron County, 1850, house #26).