Descendants of Rachel Laverna Elam

Generation No. 1

1. RACHEL LAVERNA\textsuperscript{3} ELAM (ANDREW MARTIN\textsuperscript{2}, ANDREW\textsuperscript{1}) was born 28 Aug 1866 in Granbury, Hardin, TX, and died 01 Sep 1934 in Umatilla County, OR. She married JOHN HENRY PIPER 17 Sep 1883 in Milton, Umatilla, OR. He was born 11 Jul 1853 in Holstein, Germany, and died 1936.

Notes for RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM:
Oregon Death Index, (Ancestry.com), "Electronic,"
Name: Piper, Rachel
County: Umatilla
Death Date: 01 Sep 1934
Certificate: 183
Spouse: John

More About RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM:
Name 2: Vernic Elam
Burial: 02 Sep 1934, IOOF Cem. Milton-Freewater, OR D-1
Census 1: 1880, OR Umatilla Milton Pg 3A (see father)
Census 2: 1870, OR Multnomah East Portland Pg 134B (see father)
Census 3: 1900, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 114 Pg 113A (see father)
Census 4: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B (see husband)
Census 5: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B (see husband)
Census 6: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 12 Pg 46A (see husband)

Notes for JOHN HENRY PIPER:
1880 Census OR Umatilla Milton Pg 3A
Henry PIPER Self S Male W 26 HOLSTEIN Farmer HOLSTEIN HOLSTEIN
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1900 Census OR Umatilla Milton Dist 114 Pg 123B (19 June 1900 Geo A Cowl)
line 85
317 320 Piper Henry F Head WM July 1856 43 M17 Germany Germany Germany 1880 20 Farmer
-----------------, Verna Wife WF Aug 1866 33 M17 (6 Children 5 Alive) Texas Tennessee
-----------------, George H Son WM June 1884 16 S Oregon Germany Texas
-----------------, Annie Daughter WF Mar 1886 14 S Oregon Germany Texas
-----------------, Mattie Daughter WF Nov 1887 12 S Oregon Germany Texas
-----------------, Lloyd Son WM Jan 1894 6 S Oregon Germany Texas
-----------------, Elwood Son WM June 1898 1 S Oregon Germany Texas
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1910 Census OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B (2 May 1910 Claude W Steen)
Image 20 Line 63 Ancestry.com
5 5 Piper John H. Head MW 56 m1/27 Ger Ger Ger 1871 NA Farmer/Gen'l
-----------------Rachel L. Wife MW 43 m1/ (8-6) TX TN TN None
-----------------George Son MW 26 S OR Ger TX Laborer/Home Farm
-----------------Annie Dau MW 24 S OR Ger TX None
-----------------Martha Dau FW 22 S OR Ger TX None
-----------------Loyd Son MW 16 S OR Ger TX Labor/Home Farm
-----------------Elwood Son MW 11 S OR Ger TX None
-----------------Frances M. Dau FW 5/12 S OR Ger TX None
-----Nopper Jacob Hired Man MW 26 S NY Ger Ger Laborer/Gen'l Farm

1920 Census OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B (19 January 1920 Thos C Reese)
Line 98
FM 76 78 Piper John H Head MW 66 M 1870 Na 1889 Denmark Germany Germany Farmer
General Farm
-----------, Verna Wife FW 53 M Texas Tennessee Tennessee
-----------, Anna Daughter FW 32 S Oregon Denmark Texas
-----------, Mattie Daughter FW 31 S Oregon Denmark Texas Sales Lady Department
-----------, Elwood Son MW 21 S Oregon Denmark Texas Laborer Farm
-----------, Maxine Daughter FW 10 S Oregon Denmark Texas

1930 Census OR Umatilla Milton Dist 12 Pg 46A (10 April 1930 Catherine Reed)
line 11 (Mill St)
62 67 Piper John H Head 3500 MW 76 M29 Germany Germany Germany 1880 AL President 1st
National Bank
-----------, Verne Wife FW 63 M17 Texas Tennessee Tennessee
Atkins Sam H Cousin MW 62 S Texas Tennessee Tennessee Laborer Odd Jobs

More About JOHN HENRY PIPER:
Burial: 1936, IOOF Cem. Milton-Freewater, OR D-1
Census 1: 1880, Milton, Umatilla, OR
Census 2: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 3: 1910, OR Umatilla N.Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 4: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B
Census 5: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 12 Pg 46A
Emigration: 1880, 20 years in U.S.
More About JOHN PIPER and RACHEL ELAM:
Marriage: 17 Sep 1883, Milton, Umatilla, OR
Children of RACHEL ELAM and JOHN PIPER are:
2. i. GEORGE HENRY 4 PIPER, b. 01 Jun 1884, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR; d. 12 Nov
1964, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
iii. MARTHA SUSAN PIPER, b. 29 Nov 1887, Milton, Umatilla, OR; d. May 1974, Milton-
Freewater, Umatilla, OR.
Notes for MARTHA SUSAN PIPER:
Delayed Birth Oregon Archives, Case# 1065 Name Piper, Mattie Susan Date 11-29-1887 Record
Type Delayed Birth County Umatilla Source Health

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More About MARTHA SUSAN PIPER:
Burial: May 1974, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR D-1
Census 1: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 3: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B
4. iv. LLOYD MARTIN PIPER, b. 21 Jan 1894, OR; d. Aug 1983, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
5. v. ELWOOD ELAM PIPER, b. 02 Jun 1898, Freewater, Umatilla, OR; d. 30 Mar 1992, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
6. vi. FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, b. 24 Nov 1909, OR; d. 19 Jan 1998, Pendleton, Umatilla, OR.

Generation No. 2
2. GEORGE HENRY PIPER (RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 01 Jun 1884 in Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR, and died 12 Nov 1964 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. He married (1) MAUDE L. BLACK. She was born 1889, and died Abt. 1965. He married (2) MARY EMMELINE SMITH. He married (3) ZELLA FRANCES REESE 28 Dec 1924 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA, daughter of JAMES REESE and ELIZABETH WEAVER. She was born 11 Feb 1899 in Webster County, MO, and died 18 Dec 1947 in Benton, , OR.
Notes for GEORGE HENRY PIPER:
One World Tree
George Henry Piper b. 1 jun 1884 Milton, Umatilla, OR d.12 Nov 1964 Walla Walla, WA
Spouse 1: Zella Frances Reese b. 11 feb 1899 Webster Co, MO d. 18 Oct 1947 Walla Walla, WA
Marriage: 28 Dec 1924 Walla Walla, WA
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1930 Census OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 11 Pg 59B (3 April 1930 Gerald G Groves)
Line 64
21 21 Piper George H Head MW 46 Oregon Germany Texas Farmer General Farm
---------- Zella F Wife FW 31 M 18 Missouri Missouri Missouri
---------- Milborn W Step-Son MW 12 S Idaho Missouri Missouri
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Oregon Death Index, (Ancestry.com), "Electronic,"
Name: Piper, George H
County: 46
Death Date: 12 N 1964
Certificate: OS
Age: 80
Spouse: 7
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SS Death Index, GEORGE PIPER 01 Jun 1884 Nov 1964 (Oregon) (none specified) 544-40-2965 Oregon
More About GEORGE HENRY PIPER:
Burial: 16 Nov 1964, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR 5-3
Census 1: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 3: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 11 Pg 59B
More About MAUDE L. BLACK:
Burial: 1965, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR 5-3
Notes for ZELLA FRANCES REESE:
From La Verne (Reese) Zimmerman:
Zella's husband Willie Williams died in Lostine, OR in Nov 1918. I don't know if they were making their home there or were going to continue on to Freewater, OR. The story goes that Willie had died of the flu and Zella and baby Melvin were very sick. Elizabeth, Zella's mother came to Lostine to take care of them but the person taking care of Zella and Melvin told Elizabeth to go home. If Elizabeth came in that she would leave cause she was not going to take of another person. Elizabeth stayed and the care giver left.

1920 Census OR Umatilla Pct 4 Dist 147 Pg 20A (28-29 January 1920 A A Bixby)
line 36
Fm 192 207 Reese Lizzie J Head FW 44 Wd Missouri Missouri Tennessee
-------------------, James A Son MW 22 S Missouri Missouri Missouri Farmer Gen Farm
-------------------, Loma A Daughter 19 S Missouri Missouri Missouri
-------------------, Myrtle M Daughter FW 17 S Missouri Missouri Missouri
-------------------, May J Daughter FW 16 S Missouri Missouri Missouri
Williams Zella F Daughter FW 20 Wd Missouri Missouri Missouri
-------------------, James M Grandson MW 2 S Idaho Missouri Missouri

Oregon Death Index, (Ancestry.com), "Electronic,"
Name: Piper, Zella F
County: Benton
Death Date: 18 0 1947.

More About ZELLA FRANCES REESE:
Burial: 19 Dec 1947, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR 5-3
Census 1: 1900, MO Webster Union Dist 142 Pg 310A (see father)
Census 2: 1910, MO Webster Union Twp Dist 127 Pg 258A-See father
Census 3: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 4 Dist 147 Pg 20A
Census 4: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 11 Pg 59B-See husband
More About GEORGE PIPER and ZELLA REESE:
Marriage: 28 Dec 1924, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA
Child of GEORGE PIPER and MARY SMITH is:
i. CLAIR M. PIPER, b. 02 Dec 1912, Hurley SD; d. 22 Oct 2002, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR; m. WAUNA POWELL, 05 Dec 1937, Milton, Umatilla, OR.
Notes for CLAIR M. PIPER:
OBIT - Walla Walla Union Bulletin - Oct. 25, 2002
MAX PIPER

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The graveside service will be 2 pm Monday in Milton-Freewater Cemetery with the Rev. Edward Morrison officiating.
Memorials can be made to Walla Walla Community Hospice or Ingle Chapel Congregational Church through Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, 902 S. Main St, M-F.
Mr. Piper was born Dec. 2, 1912, in Hurley, SD to George Henry and Mary Emmeline Smith Piper. He attnded grade school in Hurley.
After high school in Minnesota, he served in the Civilian Conservation Corps in the Black Hills.
He came to Dayton at 25 and met Wauna Powell. They married at her parents' home on Winesap Road on Dec. 5, 1937. The lived in Dayton and he ran the Good Eats Cafe.
During WWII he was a cook at McCaw Army Hospital in Walla Walla. After the war he bought and operated Piper's Cafe in M-F. He sold the cafe in 1958 and was a meat cutter for Safeway.
He worked for Fleener's, now Loney's, from 1974 until retirement.
He continued as an active outdoorsman, enjoyed cooking for his family and working in his yard.
Survivors include his wife at home; a daughter and son-in-law, Peg and Gene Hohn, two grandchildren, Dave Murray and Beth Lincoln, and three great-grandchildren, Jennifer and Jacob Murray and Zach Lincoln, all of M-F. He was preceded in death by six sisters and two brothers.

More About CLAIR PIPER and WAUNA POWELL:
Marriage: 05 Dec 1937, Milton, Umatilla, OR

3. ANNA⁴ PIPER (RACHEL LAVERNA³ ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN², ANDREW¹) was born 25 Mar 1886 in OR, and died Aug 1976 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. She married EDWARD B. LUTTON Abt. 1929, son of OSCAR LUTTON and MARGARET HENDERSON. He was born 12 Jun 1887 in Prob Lawrence County, PA, and died Oct 1971 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
Notes for ANNA PIPER:
More About ANNA PIPER:
Census 1: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 3: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B
Census 4: 1930, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Dist 10 Pg 55B (see husband)
Notes for EDWARD B. LUTTON:
1930 Census WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Dist 10 Pg 55B (14-15 1930 Bessie Hayes) line 51
1221 249 175 Lutton Edward Head 35 MW 43 M20 Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Brick Mason
----------------------------------, Anna Wife FW 44 M 43 Oregon Germany Texas
----------------------------------, Paul Son MW 16 S Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Pennsylvania
----------------------------------, Charles Son MW 14 S Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Pennsylvania
----------------------------------, Fern Daughter FW 10 S Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Pennsylvania

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More About EDWARD B. LUTTON:
Census 1: 1930, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Walla Dist 10 Pg 55B (see father)
Census 2: 1900, PA Lawrence New Castle Dist 120 Pg 211A
More About EDWARD LUTTON and ANNA PIPER:
Marriage: Abt. 1929
Children of ANNA PIPER and EDWARD LUTTON are:
i. PAUL LUTTON, b. Abt. 1914, PA.
ii. CHARLES LUTTON, b. Abt. 1916, PA.
iii. FERN L. LUTTON, b. Abt. 1920, PA; m. STANLEY G. BISHOP, 03 Dec 1948, Pioneer Methodist Church, Walla Walla, WA.
More About STANLEY BISHOP and FERN LUTTON:
Marriage: 03 Dec 1948, Pioneer Methodist Church, Walla Walla, WA
Wedding Article: 05 Oct 1948, Walla Walla Union Bulletin

4. LLOYD MARTIN PIPER (RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 21 Jan 1894 in OR, and died Aug 1983 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. He married (1) MAE SINGER WALKER. She was born 09 Jan 1896, and died Dec 1982 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. He married (2) MAMIE (ALLIE MAY) JOHNSON Abt. 1916. She was born 1894, and died 1927.
Notes for LLOYD MARTIN PIPER:
1930 Census WA Walla Walla Attalia Dist 31 Pg 181A (4-7 April 1930 M. A. Rader) Line 30 (Rte 3 Waitsburg)
29 32 Piper L. M. Head MW 36 Wd 22 Oregon Germany Texas Farmer
-------------, Edwin Son MW 12 S Washington Oregon Washington
-------------, Nadine Daughter 10 S Oregon Oregon Washington
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Delayed Birth Oregon Archives, Case# 396 Name Piper, Lloyd Martin Date 01-21-1894 Record Type Delayed Birth County Morrow Source Health.


More About LLOYD MARTIN PIPER:
Census 1: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 3: 1930, WA Walla Walla Attalia Dist 31 Pg 181A
More About MAMIE (ALLIE MAY) JOHNSON:
Burial 1: IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR
Burial 2: 1927, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, OR D-2
More About LLOYD PIPER and MAMIE JOHNSON:
Marriage: Abt. 1916
Children of LLOYD PIPER and MAMIE JOHNSON are:
7. i. LLOYD EDWIN\(^5\) PIPER, b. 1917, WA.
ii. MAMIE NADINE PIPER, b. 1919, Oregon; m. RICHARD ARTHUR HANSES; b. 1923.
More About MAMIE NADINE PIPER:
Census: 1930, WA Walla Walla Attalia Dist 31 Pg 181A (see father)
iii. DOROTHY MAY PIPER, b. Abt. 1921; d. 10 Mar 1921.
More About DOROTHY MAY PIPER:
Burial: 13 Mar 1921, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, ORD-2

5. ELWOOD ELAM\(^4\) PIPER (RACHEL LAVERNA\(^3\) ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN\(^2\), ANDREW\(^1\)) was born 02 Jun 1898 in Freewater, Umatilla, OR, and died 30 Mar 1992 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. He married MYRTLE M. MCCABE 27 Dec 1923 in Pendleton, Umatilla, OR. She was born 13 Nov 1902 in Knobel, Arkansas, and died 29 Dec 1996 in Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR.

Notes for ELWOOD ELAM PIPER:
1930 Census OR Umatilla Milton Dist 13 Pg 48B (14 April 1930 Catherine Reed)
Line 94 (Advent)
22 23 Piper Elwood Head 15 MW 25 Oregon Germany Texas Farmer Wheat
----------, Myrtle Wife FW 27 M21 Arkansas Texas Alabama
----------, Richard Son MW 4 1/12 S Oregon Oregon Arkansas
----------, Donald Son MW 2 8/12 S Oregon Oregon Arkansas

SS Death Index, Name: Elwood Piper SSN: 544-12-7828 Born: 2 Jun 1898 Died: 30 Mar 1992
State (Year) SSN issued: Oregon (Before 1951).

More About ELWOOD ELAM PIPER:
Census 1: 1900, N. Milton Pct, Umatilla, OR [123b]
Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 3: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B
Census 4: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 13 Pg 48B
Name source: 1898, Pioneer Step #118 Pd by Elwood Piper

Notes for MYRTLE M. MCCABE:
Oregon Death Index, (Ancestry.com), "Electronic,"
Name: Piper, Myrtle Mccabe
County: Umatilla
Death Date: 29 Dec 1996
Certificate: 96-28298
Birth Date: 13 Nov 1902
Spouse: Elwood.


More About MYRTLE M. MCCABE:
More About ELWOOD PIPER and MYRTLE MCCABE:
Marriage: 27 Dec 1923, Pendleton, Umatilla, OR
Children of ELWOOD PIPER and MYRTLE MCCABE are:
8. i. RICHARD ELWOOD\(^5\) PIPER, b. 31 Jul 1925, Milton, Umatilla, OR; d. 13 Jun 2001, Umatilla County, OR.
9. ii. DONALD BURTON PIPER, b. 26 Jul 1927, Milton, Umatilla, OR; d. 27 Sep 1993, Ellensburg, WA.

6. FRANCES MAXINE\(^4\) PIPER (RACHEL LAVERNA\(^3\) ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN\(^2\), ANDREW\(^1\)) was born 24 Nov 1909 in OR, and died 19 Jan 1998 in Pendleton, Umatilla, OR. She married JOSEPH EDWARD TONER Abt. 1928. He was born 11 Jan 1900 in WA, and died May 1978 in Ocean Shores, Gray Harbor, WA.

Notes for FRANCES MAXINE PIPER:

More About FRANCES MAXINE PIPER:
Census 1: 1910, OR Umatilla N Milton Pct Dist 266 Pg 224B
Census 2: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 8 Dist 149 Pg 53B
Census 3: 1930, CA Los Angeles, Los Angeles Dist 583 Pg 174B (see husband)
Notes for JOSEPH EDWARD TONER:
1930 Census CA Los Angeles, Los Angeles Dist 583 Pg 174B(9 April 1930 Mollie D. Brown)
Image 18 Line 82 Ancestry.com
162 162 Toner Joseph E. Head (R/$32.50 No Radio) MW 30 m/28 WA VA WA Meat Cutter/Wilmington?
-------------Frances M. Wife FW 20 m/18 OR GER US
-------------Gwendolyn J. Dau FW 8/12 S CA WA OR


More About JOSEPH EDWARD TONER:
Census: 1930, CA Los Angeles, Los Angeles Dist 583 Pg 174B
More About JOSEPH TONER and FRANCES PIPER:
Marriage: Abt. 1928
Children of FRANCES PIPER and JOSEPH TONER are:
10. i. GWENDOLYN JEAN\(^5\) TONER, b. 1929, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.
11. ii. EDWARD TONER.
12. iii. NORA TONER, b. 1932.

Generation No. 3
7. LLOYD EDWIN\(^5\) PIPER (LLOYD MARTIN\(^4\), RACHEL LAVERNA\(^3\) ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN\(^2\), ANDREW\(^1\)) was born 1917 in WA. He married (1)
MARJORY LUELLA REID. She was born 1924. He married (2) A. LOUISE BIPPES. She was born 1920.

More About LLOYD EDWIN PIPER:
Census: 1930, WA Walla Walla Attalia Dist 31Pg 181A (see father)
Children of LLOYD PIPER and MARJORY REID are:
13. i. CAROL ANN PIPER, b. 1944.
14. ii. WILLIAM PIPER, b. 1946.
iii. DAVID PIPER, b. 1948.

8. RICHARD ELWOOD PIPER (ELWOOD ELAM, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW)

RICHARD ELWOOD PIPER (ELWOOD ELAM, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 31 Jul 1925 in Milton, Umatilla, OR, and died 13 Jun 2001 in Umatilla County, OR. He married LOUISE AANETTE SAMUEL 17 Aug 1947 in Hood River, OR. She was born 12 Nov 1926 in Hood River, OR.

Notes for RICHARD ELWOOD PIPER:

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OBIT - Valley Herald - June 22, 2001

PIPER

Richard E. "Dick" Piper of Milton-Freewater passed away June 13, 2001, at the St. Mary Medical Center in Walla Walla; he was 75.

Memorial services were at the First Christian Church in Milton-Freewater with Pastor Duane Geyer officiating. Privat interment was held at the Milton-Freewater Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Christian Church, Frazier Farmstead or the charity of donor's choice through the Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home.

Piper was born July 31, 1925, in Milton-Freewater the son of Elwood and Mytle McCabe Piper. He was a great-great-grandson of W.S. Frazier who was the founder of Milton. Piper attended local schools and graduated from McLoughlin Union High School in 1944. During the graduation ceremonies, he was traveling aboard a transport ship to Hawaii during WWII. Upon arrival in Hawaii, he was assigned to the LST 124 where he served his country for 22 months in the South Pacific. During that time, his ship was involved in the battles of Tinian, Saipan and they transported supplies, trucks, tanks and wounded to many South Pacific Islands including Guadalcanan, Tillagi, Bora Bora, Bouganville, Samoa and many others. After his discharge from the Navy in 1946, he attended Oregon State University.

He married his high school sweetheart, Louise Samuel in Hood River, OR., Aug. 17, 1947. The couple settled in Walla Walla where he was employed by the Zellerbach Paper Company. He was later transferred to La Grande, OR to work in sales. In 1951, the family moved to M-F and he began his life's work as a wheat rancher. He loved the land and did everything possible to be a good custodian of the century farm with which he had been entrusted. Piper was the fourth generation to farm the Piper/Elam ranch. He retired in 1991, due to ill health, after 40 years of active farming.

As a small child he developed a great love for horses. He and his brother Don rode "Old Button" everwhere they went. "Button" was a retired pack-horse and whenever a child fell off his back, he would stop and patiently wait for them to climb back on. This love of horses continued into adulthood and he owned and bred Quarter Horses. He was very fond of rodeo and participated as
a calf roper in his younger years. Later he showed cuttling horses in the Northwest and South and derived a great deal of pleasure in that activity. Piper was a loyal supporter of the Pendleton Round-Up and attended their show each year for 54 consecutive years. During the Pea Festival, he, mounted on horseback was in charge of getting each horse exhibit into the parade at the proper time. He did this job every year until the Pea Festival was discontinued. He was also a co-chairman of the horse show that was held during the early days of the Pea Festival. He sold the white horse, to the movie studio, that was used in the movie "The Legend of the Lone Ranger". Piper loved to hunt and fish. He was very proud of his children and five grandchildren.

Through the years he served this community by participating on the District #31 School Budget Committee, was appointed by the Director of the Oregon Department of Agriculture to serve as a member of the East Umatilla County Chemical Control District Board, was a Life Member of the Walla Walla Kennel Club, American Angus Association and National Quarter Horse Association. He was appointed and served as a member of the Milton-Freewater Planning Commission and was a Community Committee man for the Agricultural Stabilization Committee for several years. He served as President of the Milton Ditch Company for eight years and was the second president of the Mac-Hi FFA Chapter. He joined the First Christian Church in M-F in 1937, and has been a member since that time. He was a member of the Milton-Freewater Historical Society (Frazier Farmstead Museum), BPOE #2146, American Legion Post #24, was president of the Pioneer Posse and had been a member of the Chamber of Commerce. He also was an Agriculture 4-H leader of a livestock club.

Survivors include his wife Louise Piper at the home; a son and daughter-in-law Rick and Vickie Piper of M-F; a daughter and son-in-law Kris and Tim Barry of Walla Walla; five grandchildren, Johna Piper, Seth Piper Heidi Piper all of M-F and Patrick Barry and Connor Barry of Walla Walla.

Piper was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Don Piper.

More About RICHARD ELWOOD PIPER:
Census: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 13 Pg 48B (see father)

More About RICHARD PIPER and LOUISE SAMUEL:
Marriage: 17 Aug 1947, Hood River, OR
Children of RICHARD PIPER and LOUISE SAMUEL are:
15. i. RICHARD DOUGLAS6 PIPER, b. 11 Nov 1948, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
16. ii. KRISTINE LOUISE PIPER, b. 01 Jun 1951, LeGrande, Union, OR.

9. DONALD BURTON5 PIPER (ELWOOD ELAM4, RACHEL LAVERNA3 ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN2, ANDREW1) was born 26 Jul 1927 in Milton, Umatilla, OR, and died 27 Sep 1993 in Ellensburg, WA. He married VIRGINIA D. HOUSER. She was born 1931.

More About DONALD BURTON PIPER:
Census: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 13 Pg 48B (see father)
Children of DONALD PIPER and VIRGINIA HOUSER are:
17. i. LEIZA ANN6 PIPER, b. 1949.
ii. PATRICIA VIRGINIA PIPER, b. 1951; m. WAYNE SMEKOFAKE.
iii. GINA K. PIPER, b. 1954.

10. GWENDOLYN JEAN5 TONER (FRANCES MAXINE4 PIPER, RACHEL LAVERNA3 ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN2, ANDREW1) was born 1929 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA. She married ROBERT W. GEORGE. He was born 1924.
More About GWENDOLYN JEAN TONER:
Census: 1930, CA Los Angeles, Los Angeles Dist 583 Pg 174B (see father)
Children of GWENDOLYN TONER and ROBERT GEORGE are:
i. JONATHAN R. GEORGE, b. 1953.
18. ii. JENIFER J. GEORGE, b. 1955.
19. iii. JEFFREY E. GEORGE, b. 1957.
20. iv. JULIE ANN GEORGE, b. 1959.
v. BOBBY JOSEPH GEORGE, b. 1961.

11. EDWARD TONER (FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) He married SHIRLEY BARGER.
Children of EDWARD TONER and SHIRLEY BARGER are:
i. TRACI TONER.
ii. TERRI TONER.

12. NORA TONER (FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1932. She married (1) JAMES HAYES. He was born 1923, and died 1992. She married (2) JAMES ZUMMACH. He was born 1935.
Children of NORA TONER and JAMES HAYES are:
21. i. JAMES TONER HAYES, b. 1956.
ii. LARRY GENE HAYES, b. 1957; m. JULIE.
iii. JOSEPH ANDREW HAYES, b. 1962.

Generation No. 4
13. CAROL ANN PIPER (LLOYD EDWIN, LLOYD MARTIN, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1944. She married RONALD IRVING MARTIN. He was born 1941.
Children of CAROL PIPER and RONALD MARTIN are:
i. MICHAEL KEVIN MARTIN, b. 1963.
ii. KRISTI RENEE MARTIN, b. 1970.

14. WILLIAM PIPER (LLOYD EDWIN, LLOYD MARTIN, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1946. He married JUDY BUERSTATE.
Notes for WILLIAM PIPER:
Child of WILLIAM PIPER and JUDY BUERSTATE is:
22. i. GREGORY PIPER, b. 1970.

15. RICHARD DOUGLAS PIPER (RICHARD ELWOOD, ELWOOD ELAM, RACHEL LAVERNA ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 11 Nov 1948 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA. He married VICTORIA (VICKIE) MARIE PENNELL 22 Jun 1994.
More About RICHARD PIPER and VICTORIA PENNELL:
Marriage: 22 Jun 1994
Children of RICHARD PIPER and VICTORIA PENNELL are:
i. JOHNNA RAYN PIPER, b. 1978.

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ii. SETH RICHARD PIPER, b. 1980.
iii. HEIDI LEE PIPER, b. 1982.

16. KRISTINE LOUISE PIPER (RICHARD ELWOOD, ELWOOD ELAM, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 01 Jun 1951 in LeGrande, Union, OR. She married TIMOTHY DANIEL BARRY. He was born 1949. Children of KRISTINE PIPER and TIMOTHY BARRY are:
   i. PATRICK TIMOTHY, b. 1980.
   ii. CONNER SAMUEL BARRY, b. 1983.

17. LEIZA ANN PIPER (DONALD BURTON, ELWOOD ELAM, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1949. She married RICHARD GOLDEN. Child of LEIZA PIPER and RICHARD GOLDEN is:
   i. KATHLEEN ANN, b. 1980.

18. JENIFER J. GEORGE (GWENDOLYN JEAN TONER, FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1955. She married RON FARMER. Child of JENIFER GEORGE and RON FARMER is:
   i. JEFFREY, b. 1977.

19. JEFFREY E. GEORGE (GWENDOLYN JEAN TONER, FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1957. He married SANDY. Children of JEFFREY GEORGE and SANDY are:
   i. TYLER, b. 1980.
   ii. CHAD GEORGE, b. 1982.

20. JULIE ANN GEORGE (GWENDOLYN JEAN TONER, FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1959. She married LANCE JONES. Children of JULIE GEORGE and LANCE JONES are:
   i. BROOK, b. 1982.
   ii. KODY JONES, b. 1985.

21. JAMES TONER HAYES (NORA TONER, FRANCES MAXINE PIPER, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1956. He married CHRIS. Child of JAMES HAYES and CHRIS is:
   i. KRISTAL GALE HAYES, b. 1985.

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22. GREGORY PIPER (WILLIAM, LLOYD EDWIN, LLOYD MARTIN, RACHEL LAVerna ELAM, ANDREW MARTIN, ANDREW) was born 1970. He married LISA RENEE PINZA 2001.
More About GREGORY PIPER and LISA PINZA:
Marriage: 2001
Children of GREGORY PIPER and LISA PINZA are:
i. TRISTAN LLOYD PIPER, b. 10 Jun 2002, Spokane, Spokane, WA.
ii. TYLER GREGORY PIPER, b. 22 Feb 2005, Spokane, Spokane, WA.