

J.H. Berner Descendant Report

(1) John Henry Berner

b. 1836, Hannover, Germany

d. Nov 20, 1923, Indiana? (will filed in Ripley Co.; lived with sons in Milan)

bur. Vine Street Hill Cemetery, Sec 7 Lot 5, Cincinnati, OH

imm. Nov 8, 1855, Bark Eberhard; docked in New Orleans

occ. Grocer/bar owner while in Cincinnati;

occ. "Hotel" listed as occupation in 1900 census for Brown Twp, Ripley Co., IN (noted as "saloon owner" in

Brown Township Tales)

& Caroline Casper

b. 1839, Hannover, Germany

d. bef 1910, Ohio

imm. 1860¹

| (2) William John Berner

| b. May 1866, Ohio or Indiana; d. 1941, Indianapolis, IN

| bur. 1941, Craven Cemetery, Ripley County

| occ. managed a hotel in Milan and rooming house in Indianapolis on Vermont St.

| res. 1900 with parents and youngest brother in Brown Twp., Ripley Co., IN

| res. 1910 and 1920 in Milan, IN; father and brother still lived with him (he is listed as head of family)

| res. 1930, Indianapolis, IN

| note: paroled 1895, called "model prisoner"; see article from Fort Wayne newspaper

| & Minnie Struckman

| b. Nov 25, 1880, Indiana; d. Nov 26, 1971, Indiana

| m. Aug 27, 1914, Osgood, IN

| occ. worked as "servant" in 1900 for family in Milan, Ripley County; worked with William after marriage

| | (3) Dorothea Berner

| | b. Jul 15, 1915, Ripley Co., IN²; d. Dec 1991, Indianapolis, IN²

| | & Robert Stamm

| | b. Oct 7, 1914²; d. Jun 1982²

| | | (4) living female

| | (3) William Edward Berner

| | b. Feb 17, 1920, Indiana; d. Feb 19, 2004, Indianapolis, IN

| | & Golda Carter

| | b. Nov 7, 1924; d. Dec 30, 1997

| | m. Melbourne, Australia

| | | (4) living female

| | | (4) living female

| | | (4) living male

| (2) Charles Berner

| b. Jun 12, 1870, Ohio³

| d. Jul 10, 1897, Indiana^{4,5}

| bur. Akers - Friendship Cemetery

| & Agnes (Aggie) Stutie³

| b. Aug 1874, Indiana^{1,6}

| d. aft 1930

| m. Mar 3, 1896

| | (3) Victor Berner

| | b. 1896; d. 1896⁵

| | bur. Aker-Friendship Cemetery

| (2) Mary (Mamie) Berner*⁶

| b. abt 1873, Ohio³

| & Smith⁶

| d. bef 1910

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| (2) Mary (Mamie) Berner*⁶
| b. abt 1873, Ohio³
| & Westrater⁷
| (2) Louisa Berner
| b. abt 1875, Ohio; d. bef 1900
| & Roder⁷
| (2) Edward Charles Berner
| b. Apr 25, 1880, Cincinnati^{3,1}; d. 1962, Richmond, IN⁸
| bur. Olean Lutheran Church, Ripley County, IN⁴
| occ. Farmer
| & Nellie Ann Kroeger
| b. Mar 22, 1881, Olean, Ripley County IN⁸
| d. Nov 8, 1934, Ripley County Indiana⁸
| bur. Olean Lutheran Church, Ripley County, IN
| m. Apr 26, 1905, Olean, IN⁸
| | (3) Edith Berner
| | b. 1907, Ripley Co., IN⁹
| | & Roy Arthur Schweyer⁸
| | b. Nov 26, 1909, Versailles, IN⁸; d. Jul 23, 1973, Booth, Covnington, KY⁸
| | m. Apr 14, 1934, Milan, IN⁸
| | | (4) unknown female
| | | (4) unknown male
| | | (4) unknown female
| | (3) Horace W. Berner
| | b. Feb 3, 1911, Indiana; d. Nov 12, 1944, Ardennes, France¹⁰
| | bur. Ardennes, France
| | occ. Foreman at a warehouse¹¹
| | & Kathryn E. Lafolette⁸
| | | (4) living male
| | (3) Laurretta Louise Berner⁹
| | b. Jun 28, 1915, Milan, Ripley Co., IN⁸; d. 1967, Cincinnati, Hamilton County, OH
| | & Joseph Henry Geiser⁸
| | | (4) living male⁸
| | | (4) living female⁸
| | (3) Pearl Marie Berner⁹
| | b. 1917, Ripley Co., IN
| | & Eugene (Gene) P. Robers⁸
| | b. 1915^{8,4}; d. 2000
| | bur. Olean Lutheran Church, Ripley County, IN
| | (3) Edward Carl Berner
| | b. abt 1920, Indiana
| | & Beverly Jean Ruhl⁸
| | | (4) living female
| | | (4) living male
| | | (4) living male

Sources

1. 1900 US Federal Census
2. Social Security Death Index
3. 1880 US Federal Census

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- 4.** Grave marker
- 5.** List of burials at Akers-Friendship cemetery, found on Ripley County Historical Society website
- 6.** 1910 US Federal Census
- 7.** Will of Henry Berner, Ripley Co. Historical Society
- 8.** OneWorldTree on ancestry.com
- 9.** Ripley County Indiana Birth Records 1912 - 1917," 1912 - 1917, Health Dept. ; listed on <http://www.rootsweb.com/~inripchs/births1912-1917.html>, Ripley County Indiana Birth Records 1906-1907 Vol 2, 1906-1907
- 10.** World War II and Korean Conflict Veterans Interred Overseas Record, ancestry.com
- 11.** US Enlistment Record