Creighton Family and Descendents of Grundy County, Tennessee

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The numbers in front of the names represent the number of generations beginning with Joseph Hunter Creighton.

The Creighton's owned "Creighton Grocery" in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. The store has been in our family for over a hundred years. It is run by my great-uncle, Samuel "Sam" Brown Creighton.

My genealogy is as follows: Joseph Hunter Creighton, William M. Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Susan Marie Creighton Smith and myself, Amy Marie Smith Hawkins.

1. Joseph Hunter Creighton

Born: 15 May 1831 in Scotland

Died: about 1865 in Davidson, Nashville, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 34

Burial: unknown at this time

Joseph Hunter Creighton married Mary "Polly" Ann Morton about 1858. Mary "Polly" Ann Morton was born about 1833 in Tennessee. She died before 1880 and her burial is unknown at this time. Polly was the daughter of William P. Morton and Temperance Dykes.

Joseph Hunter Creighton and Mary "Polly" Ann Morton had the following children:

- 1. William M. (1860-1945)
- 2. John Hunt Morgan (1863-1941)

Joseph Hunter Creighton may have died during the Civil War.

Census Records:

1850 – Living in Coventry, Tolland, Connecticut in a boarding house. Joseph's last name was spelled Crighton on the census.

1860 – Living in District 10 of Nashville, Davidson, Tennessee with his wife and boarders William and Jane White.

2. William M. Creighton

(Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: August 1860 in Davidson, Nashville, Tennessee Died: about 1945 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 85

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

William M. Creighton married Susan "Susie" Elizabeth Killian about 1885 in Grundy, Tennessee. Susan "Susie" Elizabeth Killian was born 26 April 1865 in Warren or Grundy, Tennessee and died 07 December 1968* in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 103 and is buried at Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. Susie was the daughter of Elias J. Killian and Mary Elizabeth Dykes. *According to her Social Security Death Index, her year of death was 1968 but it is listed as 1967 on her grave marker. Her obituary listed her as being 102 years old at her time of death. Susie's obituary was published in the Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee newspaper in 1968.





William M. Creighton and his brother John Hunt Morgan Creighton were raised by their mother's brother, Wesley Morton, and Wesley's wife after their parents died.

William M. Creighton and Susan "Susie" Elizabeth Killian had the following children:

- 1. Joseph "Joe" Ale (1887-1964)
- 2. Katherine "Kate" Elizabeth (1889-1956)
- 3. Infant Male (1892-1892)
- 4. Robert Asa (1894-1975)
- 5. Pauline "Polly" (1897-1989)
- 6. David Frank (1900-1940)
- 7. Paul A. (1902-2008)
- 8. Willie Sue (1904-2000)

Susan "Susie" Elizabeth Killian Creighton's Obituary:

MRS. CREIGHTON IS DEAD AT 102

Believed to Have Been Oldest Resident of Grundy County.

COALMONT, Tenn. - Mrs. Susan Creighton, perhaps Grundy County's oldest citizen, died at the home of a daughter here Friday at the age of 102.

A lifelong member of the Coalmont Methodist Church, she was the widow of William Creighton.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Roy Curtis of Coalmont and Mrs. Pauline Alexander of Chattanooga; two sons, Robert A. Creighton, Coalmont and Paul A. Creighton, South Gate, Mich.; 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 2pm Sunday at the Coalmont Methodist Church. Burial in Coalmont Cemetery. Active pallbearers will be grandsons and Jim Northcutt.

Census Records:

1880 – Living in District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his uncle Wesley and aunt Bettie Morton and his brother John.

1891 – Living in District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee according to the Tennessee 1891 Voter's List.

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Joe A., Kate E., Robert A., Polly and

David F. According to the census he had 6 children with 5 living. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Joseph, Kate, Robert, Pauline, David, Paul and Willie S. According to the census he had 8 children with 7 living.

1920 – Living on Coalmont and Tracy City Road in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Robert A., Pauline, David F., Paul and Willie S.

1930 – Living on Coalmont and Flat Branch Road in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and daughter Willie S.

2. John Hunt Morgan Creighton

(Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 08 January 1863 in Davidson, Nashville, Tennessee

Died: 07 August 1941 in Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 78

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

John Hunt Morgan Creighton married Mary Victoria Tate about 1855 in Grundy, Tennessee. Mary Victoria Tate was born 02 July 1867 in Northcutt Cove, Grundy, Tennessee and died 28 December 1943 in Palmer, Grundy,

Tennessee. She died at the age of 76 and is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. Mary was the daughter of John J. Tate and Martha P. Hicks.

John Hunt Morgan Creighton and his brother William M. Creighton were raised by their mother's brother, Wesley Morton, and Wesley's wife after their parents died.



John Hunt Morgan Creighton and Mary Victoria Tate had the following children:

- 1. Jennie Mae (1886-1959)
- 2. Willie Morgan (1888-1962)
- 3. Martha S. (1890-?)
- 4. Lycurgus "Curg" S. (1891-1977)
- 5. Joseph Hunter (1893-1968)
- 6. Verna "Vernie" (1894-1984)
- 7. Franklin Earl (1898-1982)

- 8. John A. (1900-1987)
- 9. Louise (1906-?)
- 10. Florence Elizabeth (1908-1982)

John Hunt Morgan Creighton's Obituary:

JOHN H.M. CREIGHTON DIES AT PALMER HOME

Special to the Chattanooga Times

MCMINNVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 7 - John H.M. Creighton, 78, native of Hamilton County and well known citizen of Grundy County, died at his residence, in Palmer this morning, having following a month's illness.

A son of the late James and Polly Anne Morton Creighton, he was born in Hamilton County, Jan. 8, 1863. Besides his wife, Mrs. Mary Tate Creighton, he is survived by five sons, John H.M. Creighton, Jr., and Curg Creighton, of Palmer; Joe Creighton of Chattanooga, Morgan Creighton of Tarlton, and Frank Creighton of Beersheba Springs; four daughters, Miss Louise Creighton, Mrs. M.C. Hampton, Mrs. W.M. Brown and Mrs. ?.B. Mitchell, all of Palmer; and one brother, W.M. Creighton, of Coalmont.

Funeral services to be conducted by the Rev. S.H. Elliott, of Estill Springs, will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Burial will be in Fall Creek Cemetery in Grundy County.

Census Records:

1880 – Living in District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his uncle Wesley and aunt Bettie Morton and his brother William M.

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Jennie M., Willie M., Martha S., Curg S., Joe H., Vernie and Franklin E. According to the census he had 7 children with 7 living. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Morgan, Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John Louise and Florence. According to the census he had 11 children with 10 living. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Curg S., John A., Louise and Elizabeth.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and daughter Louise. Their last name is spelled Crigton on the census.

3. Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 16 August 1887 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 15 August 1964 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 76

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton married Nancy Dee Sweeton on 01 January 1916 in Grundy, Tennessee by Rev. J.L. Ware. Nancy Dee Sweeton was born 10 April 1890 in Grundy, Tennessee and died 13 January 1983 in Cookeville, Putnam, Tennessee. She died at the age of 92 and is buried at Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. Nancy was the daughter of David W. Sweeton and Elizabeth Ann Davis.

Nancy Dee Sweeton was first married to George Washington Shadowens on an unknown date. George Washington Shadowens was born about 1852 in Springfield, Robertson, Tennessee and died about 1921 in Grundy, Tennessee. His burial and parents' names are unknown at this time. Nancy and George possibly had a son named Joe Andrew Shadowens with an unknown birth or death date and burial.



Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton and Nancy Dee Sweeton had the following children:

- 1. Nina (1918-1918)
- 2. Lillian June (1926)
- 3. Joe Vernon "Sonny" (1928-2005)

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Kate E., Robert A., Polly and David F. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Kate, Robert, Pauline, David, Paul and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Coalmont and Tracy City Road in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife.

1930 – Living on Highway 56 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife, children Lillian J. and Joe V. and father-in-law. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

Other Records:

1916 – Tennessee State Marriages 01 January. Page 558, Book # unknown at this time.

3. Katherine "Kate" Elizabeth Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: June 1889 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 19 December 1956 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 67

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Katherine "Kate" Elizabeth Creighton married Rev. William "Bill" R. Curtis on 21 January 1913 in Grundy, Tennessee by S.E.(?) Sumers(?), M.G. William "Bill" R. Curtis was born about 1891 in Humphreys, Tennessee and

died 29 October 1954 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee. He died at the age of 63 and is buried at Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. Bill was the son of Robert F. and Arlie F. Curtis.



Katherine "Kate" Elizabeth Creighton and Rev. William "Bill" R. Curtis never had children.

Katherine "Kate" Elizabeth Creighton's Obituary:

CURTIS - MRS. KATE CREIGHTON, 67, widow of the late Rev. W.R. Curtis of 129 Narragansett Ave., Red Bank, died in a local hospital at 4:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. Curtis had been a resident of Red Bank for the past 12 years. She was a member of Red Bank Methodist Church. Surviving are her mother, Mrs. W.M. Creighton, Coalmont, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Pauline Alexander and Mrs. Arthur Roy Curtis, Coalmont, Tenn., and three brothers, R.A. Creighton and Joe A. Creighton, Coalmont, Tenn., and Paul A. Creighton, Wyandot, Mich., and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Red Bank Methodist Church, Rev. W.C. Daniel and Rev. R.C. Hamil officiating. Interment will be in Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Tenn. Active pallbearers: John Curtis, William Curtis, James D. Curtis, Thomas Curtis, Robert M. Creighton and Samuel Creighton. Honorary pallbearers will be William Dykes, Gordon Northcutt, Beech Reno, Ray Posey and Dr. O.H. Clements. J. Aubrey Clark, Paul David Meeks and members of the Philomathean Sunday School Class. The body is at the funeral home of J. Avery Bryan Co.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe A., Robert A., Polly and David F. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Robert, Pauline, David, Paul and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Northcutt's Cove and Altamont Road in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband.

1930 – Living on Ringgold Road in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee with her husband.

Other Records:

1913 – Tennessee State Marriages 21 January. Page 284, Book # unknown at this time.

3. Infant Male Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 27 August 1892 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee Died: 27 August 1892 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee Burial: King Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Infant Male Creighton died at birth.

Census Records:

None

3. Robert Asa Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 04 March 1894 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 04 November 1975 in Sewanee, Franklin, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 81

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Cause of Death: Colon Cancer and Pneumonia

Robert Asa Creighton married Ethleen Grace Brown on 26 December 1921 in Grundy, Tennessee by Rev. W.R. Curtis. Ethleen Grace Brown was born 12 March 1899 in Grundy, Tennessee and died May 1977 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 78 and is buried at Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. Ethleen was the daughter of Isaac Sanford "Santy" Brown and Margaret "Maggie" Nunley.







Robert Asa Creighton and Ethleen Grace Brown had the following children:

- 1. Robert Mitchell (1923-2003)
- 2. Infant Female (1928-1928)
- 3. Samuel "Sam" Brown (1933)

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe A., Kate E., Polly and David F. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Kate, Pauline, David, Paul and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Coalmont Road of Civil District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Pauline, David F., Paul and Willie S.

1930 – Living on Highway 56 of District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and son Robert M.

Other Records:

1917 – World War I Draft Registration Card 05 June in Grundy, Tennessee.

1921 – Tennessee State Marriages 26 December. Page 82, Book # unknown at this time.

1975 – Social Security Death Index May 1975. Last residence was Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee.

3. Pauline "Polly" Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 24 July 1897 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

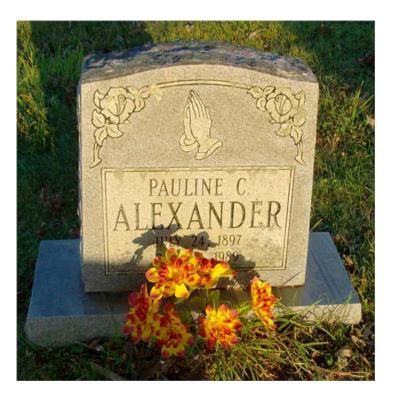
Died: 12 December 1989 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 92

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Pauline "Polly" Creighton married Thomas Henry Alexander on 14 June 1921 in Grundy, Tennessee by Rev. W.R. Curtis. Thomas Henry Alexander was born about 1888 in Tennessee and his death is unknown at this time. He is buried in Tracy City, Grundy, Tennessee. Henry's parents' names are unknown at this time.





Pauline "Polly" Creighton and Thomas Henry Alexander had the following child:

1. Mary Elizabeth (1922-2007)

Pauline "Polly" Creighton Alexander's Obituary:

Pauline C. Alexander of Chattanooga died Tuesday in a local nursing home. She was 92. She was a member of the First Centenary United Methodist Church and its Fidelis Sunday school class. She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Alexander. Survivors include her daughter, Mary E. Alexander, Chattanooga; a brother Paul Creighton; a sister Mrs. Arthur Roy Curtis, both of Coalmont, Tenn.; several nieces and nephews. Memorial contributions may be made to First Centenary United Methodist Church. Arrangements will be announced by Chattanooga Guardian Funeral Home, West.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe A., Kate E., Robert A. and David F. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Kate, Robert, David, Paul and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Coalmont Road of Civil District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Robert, David F., Paul and Willie S.

1930 – Living in Sparta, White, Tennessee with her husband and daughter Mary E.

Other Records:

1921 - Tennessee State Marriages 26 December. Page 14, Book # unknown at this time.

1989 – Social Security Death Index 12 December. Last residence was Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee.

3. David Frank Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: June 1900 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee Died: in 1940 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 40

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Cause of Death: Brain Tumor

David Frank Creighton married Bessie L. Nunley on 06 December 1922 in Grundy, Tennessee by J.H. Scissom. Bessie L. Nunley was born about 1902 in Grundy, Tennessee. Her death, burial and parents' names are unknown at this time.



David Frank Creighton and Bessie L. Nunley had the following children:

- 1. Jane (1923-2005)
- 2. Doris (1926-2006)
- 3. Polly (1930)

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe A., Kate E., Robert A. and Polly. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Kate, Robert, Pauline, Paul and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Coalmont Road of Civil District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Robert, Pauline, Paul and Willie S.

Other Records:

1922 – Tennessee State Marriages 06 December. Page 206, Book # unknown at this time.

3. Paul A. Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 09 July 1902 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee Died: 29 November 2008 in Auburn, Placer, California

Age at time of Death: 106

Burial: unknown at this time Cause of Death: Pneumonia

Paul A. Creighton married Helen Florence Foster 16 March 1929 in Bowling Green, Licking, Ohio. Helen Florence Foster was born 26 December 1908 in Lamoni, Decatur, Iowa. She is still living in a nursing home in California. Helen is the daughter of Vance Foster and Nancy Jane Feight.

Paul A. Creighton and Helen Florence Foster had the following children:

- 1. Roger (?)
- 2. Robert "Bobby" (?)
- 3. Jack (?)
- 4. Nancy Elizabeth (?)

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe A., Kate E., Robert A. and David F. and Pauline. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Kate, Robert, David, Pauline and Willie S.

1920 – Living on Coalmont Road of Civil District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Robert, David F., Pauline, and Willie S.

1930 – Living on Woodward Avenue in Detroit, Wayne, Michigan with his wife.

Other Records:

2008 – Social Security Death Index 29 November. Last residence was Auburn, Placer, California.

3. Willie Sue Creighton

(William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 22 March 1904 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 20 April 2000 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 96

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Cause of Death: Broken Hip and Pneumonia

Willie Sue Creighton married Arthur Roy Curtis on 18 June 1955 in Grundy, Tennessee by W.H. Medley, M.G. Arthur Roy Curtis was born 26 February 1913 in Grundy, Tennessee and died 11 July 1991 in Coalmont, Tennessee. He died at the age of 78 and is buried at Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. Arthur Roy was the son of Arthur and Minnie Curtis.



Willie Sue Creighton and Arthur Roy Curtis never had children. Arthur Roy Curtis was married before marrying Willie Sue but his first wife's name is unknown at this time. He also had children by his first wife but their names are also unknown at this time.

Willie Sue Creighton Curtis' Obituary:

Coalmont - Willie Sue Creighton Curtis died Sunday, April 30, 2000, in an area nursing facility. She was 96.

Graveside services will be held today at 2pm CDT at Coalmont Cemetery with the Rev. Norman Pennington and brother Ray Winton officiating. Arrangements are by Foster and Son Funeral Home, Tracy City, Tenn.

Census Records:

1910 – Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Joe, Kate, Robert, David, Pauline and Paul A.

1920 – Living on Coalmont Road of Civil District 2, Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Robert, David F., Pauline, and Paul A.

1930 – Living on Coalmont and Flat Branch Road in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents.

Other Records:

1951 – Tennessee State Marriages 18 June. Page 259, Book # unknown at this time.

2000 – Social Security Death Index 30 April. Last residence was Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee.

3. Jennie Mae Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 07 October 1886 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 29 June 1959 in Manchester, Coffee, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 72

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Jennie Mae Creighton married William M. Brown about 03 March 1907. William M. Brown was born about 1879 in Tennessee and died 30 July 1951 in Grundy, Tennessee. He died at the age of 72 and is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. William was the son of Naka and Lillian Brown.





Jennie Mae Creighton and William M. Brown had the following children:

- 1. Phoebe Sue (1906-1934)
- 2. Bertie (1909-?)
- 3. Noah John (1912-1989)
- 4. Estelle (1914-?)
- 5. Lucinda (1919-?)
- 6. Beatrice (1921-?)
- 7. Willie Lee (1924-1966)
- 8. Peggy J. (1927-2003)
- 9. Polly A. (1928-?)

Jennie Mae Creighton Brown's Obituary:

TRACY CITY, Tenn. - Mrs. Jennie Mae Creighton Brown, 81, of Palmer, widow of William Brown, died Monday in a Coffee County hospital. Survivors include seven daughters, Mrs. Bertie Parsons, Lynch, Ky.; Mrs. Estelle Shadrick, Palmer; Mrs. Lucinda Swindell, Lidornie, Mich.; Mrs. Beatrice Brown, Palmer; Mrs. Willie Frost, Detroit; Mrs. Peggy Weaver, Tullahoma and Mrs. Polly Caldwile, Tullahoma; one son, Noah J. Brown, Palmer; five brothers, Joe Creighton, Chattanooga and Curg Creighton, John Creighton and Frank Creighton, and three sisters, Mrs. W.B. Mitchell, Mrs. Bud Hampton and Miss Louise Creighton, all of Palmer; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at Palmer Nazarene Church Wednesday at 2pm, the Rev. Calvin Pruett of Chattanooga and the Rev. D.H. Carr of Beersheba Springs officiating. Interment will be at Fall Creek Cemetery.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Willie M., Martha S., Curg S., Joe H., Vernie and Franklin E. According to the census he had 7 children with 7 living. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Canadian, Cleveland, Oklahoma with her husband, children Phoebe and Bertie and in-laws Naka and Lillian Brown. According to the census he had 2 children with 2 living.

1920 – Living on Coalmont and Tatesville Road in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband and children Phoebe, Bertie, Estelle, Noah John and Lucinda. She is listed as Jannie Brown on the census.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband and children Noah J., Lucinda, Beatrice, Willie C., Peggy J. and Polly A.

3. Willie Morgan Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 21 June 1888 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 13 July 1962 in Gruetli, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 74

Burial: unknown at this time

Cause of Death: Heart Attack

Willie Morgan Creighton married Callie Elizabeth "Lizzie" Perry on 13 April 1912 in Grundy, Tennessee by R.T. Dykes, J.P. Callie Elizabeth "Lizzie" Perry was born 26 February 1893 in Alabama and died 04 October 1983 in Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 90 and her burial is unknown at this time. Lizzie's parents' names are also unknown at this time.

Willie Morgan Creighton and Callie Elizabeth Perry had the following children:

- 1. Leona Gladys (1914-?)
- 2. Arthur R. (1916-?)
- 3. Willie M. (1917-?)
- 4. Earl F. (1918-1997)
- 5. James Lillard (1920-2004)
- 6. Leonard (1923-1992)
- 7. Martha S. (1925-?)
- 8. Mary A. (1927-?)
- 9. John (?-?)
- 10.Thomas (?-?)
- 11.Taylor (?-?)

Willie Morgan Creighton's Obituary:

MCMINNVILLE, Tenn. - Willie Morgan Creighton, 74, retired farmer, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home in the Gruetli community of Grundy County Friday. Funeral arrangements are incomplete. The body is at High Funeral Home here. A native of Grundy County, he was the son of J.H.M. Creighton and Mary Tate Creighton. He was a member of the Methodist Church. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elisabeth Perry Creighton; seven sons, Arthur Creighton, Florida; Tom Creighton, Palmer; Earl and James Creighton, Texas; Leonard Creighton, Puerto Rico; Johnny Creighton, Chattanooga; Taylor Creighton, Laager, Tenn.; three daughters, Mrs. R.M. Arnette, Florida; Mrs. Shirley Miller, Knoxville; Mrs. Carl Kinser, Greenback, Tenn.; four brothers, Curt, John and Frank Creighton, Palmer; Joe Creighton, Chattanooga; three sisters, Mrs. Willie Mitchell, Mrs. M.C. Hampton and Miss Louise Creighton, all of Palmer.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Jennie M., Martha S., Curg S., Joe H., Vernie and Franklin E. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Leona G., Arthur R., Willie M. and Earl F.

1930 – Living on Highway 56 in District 8 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Gladys, Arthur, Willie, Earl, Lillard, Leonard, Martha S. and Mary A.

Other Records:

1912 – Tennessee State Marriages 13 April. Page 155, Book # unknown at this time.

1917 – World War I Draft Registration Card 05 June in Beersheba Springs, Grundy, Tennessee.

3. Martha S. Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 11 April 1890 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 16 March 1934 in Gruetli, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 43

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Martha S. Creighton married A. Claude Hobbs on 20 April 1913 in Grundy, Tennessee by W.S. Cain, J.P. A. Claude Hobbs was born 14 February 1883 in Tennessee and his death is unknown at this time. He is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. Claude was the son of James and Sarah L. Hobbs.

Martha S. Creighton and Claude Hobbs' children, if any, are unknown at this time. There aren't any listed on the census'.



Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Jennie M., Willie M., Curg S., Joe H., Vernie and Franklin E. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Willie, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with her husband.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband.

Other Records:

1913 – Tennessee State Marriages 20 April. Page 261, Book # unknown at this time.

3. Lycurgus "Curg" S. Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 15 October 1891 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 26 May 1977 in South Pittsburg, Marion, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 85

Burial: unknown at this time

Lycurgus "Curg" S. Creighton married Mary Ester Roberts on 08 April 1922 in Grundy, Tennessee by J.E. Thomas. Mary Ester Roberts was born about 1902 in Tennessee and died 07 October 1993 in Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 92 and her burial and parents' names are unknown at this time.

Lycurgus "Curg" S. Creighton and Mary Ester Roberts had the following children:

- 1. Mary E. (1923-?)
- 2. Billy Joe (1925-2002)

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Jennie M., Willie M., Martha S., Joe H., Vernie and Franklin E. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings John A., Louise and Elizabeth.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Mary E. and Billy J. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

Other Records:

1917 – World War I Draft Registration Card 05 June in Beersheba Springs, Grundy, Tennessee.

1922 – Tennessee State Marriages 08 April. Page 124, Book # unknown at this time.

1977 – Social Security Death Index May. Last residence was South Pittsburg, Marion, Tennessee.

3. Joseph "Joe" Hunter Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 21 March 1893 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 20 October 1968 in Red Bank, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 75

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Joseph "Joe" Hunter Creighton first married Zada Belle Prater 07 March 1916 in Grundy, Tennessee by J.W. Gross, Minister. Zada Belle Prater was born 12 January 1888 in Rutherford, Tennessee and died 04 October 1973 in Red Bank, Hamilton, Tennessee. She died at the age of 85 and burial is unknown at this time. Zada was the daughter of George Monroe Prater and Bettie E. last name unknown.



Joseph "Joe" Hunter Creighton and Zada Belle Prater had the following child:

1. Dorothy Ellen (1921-1998)

Joseph "Joe" Hunter Creighton married second Ruby Bates married date unknown at this time. It is also unknown at this time if Joe and Ruby had any children.

Joseph "Joe" Hunter Creighton's Obituary:

CREIGHTON - JOSEPH HUNTER, age 75, of 1433 Jenkins Rd., died Sunday in a local hospital. He was a member of the Red Bank Methodist Church and a retired general contractor and member of Carpenters Local No. 74. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ruby Bates Creighton; a daughter, Mrs. Carl B. Davis of Chattanooga; three brothers, Curg Creighton of South Pittsburg, Tenn., John Creighton and Frank Creighton; two sisters, Mrs. Vernie Mitchell and Mrs. Elizabeth Hampton, all of Palmer, Tenn., and three grandchildren, Mrs. Becky Arthur, Leslie and Carla Davis all of Chattanooga. Funeral services will be held 10am Tuesday in the West Chapel of the Chattanooga Funeral Home with Rev. Curtis Schofield officiating. Interment will be in Fall Creek Cemetery in Gruetli, Tenn. Pallbearers will be Nick Creighton, Dick Creighton, Melvin Hampton, George Clark, Gene Sliger and Lewis Bates.

Zada Belle Prater Creighton's Obituary:

CREIGHTON - MRS. ZADA, age 85, 211 Unaka St., Red Bank, died Thursday morning in a local nursing home. She was a member of the Red Bank Baptist Church. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Carl B. Davis, Chattanooga; sister, Mrs. Maggie Rogers of Bed Bank, and three grandchildren, Mrs. Becky Arthur, Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Leslie Stewart, Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Carla Crews, Chattanooga. Funeral services will be 1:30pm today in the North Chapel of the Chattanooga Funeral Home with the Rev. Van Modlling officiating. Interment will be in Chattanooga Memorial Park. Pallbearers will be George Brogdon, Verney Rogers, Gene Etter, George Sanders, Gordon Atchley, Marvin Sanders, Lynn Gross and Earl Creighton. The body is at the Chattanooga Funeral Home, North Chapel, Highway 153, Hixson.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Jennie M., Willie M., Martha S., Curg S., Vernie and Franklin E. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

- 1910 Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Vernie, Frank, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.
- 1920 Living in Civil District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife.
- 1930 Living on Tacoma Street in Red Bank, Hamilton, Tennessee with his wife and child Dorothy.

Other Records:

- 1913 Tennessee State Marriages 07 March. Page 575, Book # unknown at this time.
- 1917 World War I Draft Registration Card 05 June in Lincoln, Idaho.
- 1918 World War I Civilian Draft Card Lincoln, Idaho.
- 1968 Social Security Death Index October. Last residence was Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee.

3. Verna "Vernie" Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 14 August 1894 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 25 March 1984 in Monteagle, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 89

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Verna "Vernie" Creighton first married Willie Hobbs on 02 July 1913 in Grundy, Tennessee by W.S. Cain, J.P. Willie Hobbs was born 24 November 1893 in Tennessee. His death, burial and parents' names are unknown at this time.



Verna "Vernie" Creighton and Willie Hobbs had the following child:

1. Opal M. (1915-?)

Verna "Vernie" Creighton second married William "Willie" B. Mitchell on 03 May 1928 in Grundy, Tennessee by Joe F. McMain(?). William "Willie" B. Mitchell was born 30 January 1893 in Grundy, Tennessee and died 16 October 1963 in Grundy, Tennessee. He died at the age of 70 and is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. Willie was the son of Henry N. and Susannah E. Mitchell.

William "Willie" B. Mitchell first married an unknown woman and had 2 children; Kelsey H. (1920-1966) and Delbert (1924-?).

Verna "Vernie" Creighton and William "Willie" B. Mitchell's children, if any, are unknown at this time.

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Jennie M., Willie M., Martha S., Curg S., Joe H. and Franklin E. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

- 1910 Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Joe, Frank, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.
- 1920 Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee wit her husband Willie Hobbs and daughter Opal M.
- 1930 Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband Willie Mitchell, daughter Opal Hobbs and stepsons Kelsey and Delbert Mitchell.

Other Records:

1913 – Tennessee State Marriages 02 July. Page 302, Book # unknown at this time.

1928 - Tennessee State Marriages 03 May. Page 233, Book # unknown at this time.

1984 – Social Security Death Index March. Last residence was Monteagle, Grundy, Tennessee.

3. Franklin "Frank" Earl Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 29 August 1898* in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 04 March 1982* in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 83

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Frank Earl Creighton married Myrtle E. Brown on 25 May 1919 in Grundy, Tennessee by J.W. Gross, Minister. Myrtle E. Brown was born 26 November 1900 in Tennessee and died 08 January 1994 in Monteagle, Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 93 and is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. Myrtle was the daughter of Luther Brown and Laura Smith.



Frank Earl Creighton and Myrtle E. Brown had the following children:

- 1. Dicky Maloney (1937-2003)
- 2. Nicky Mason (1937-

Census Records:

1900 – Living in Civil District 4 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Jennie M., Willie M., Martha S., Curg S., Joe H. and Vernie. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, John, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and boarder Joe Tate.

1930 – Living on Beersheba and Altamont Road in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife.

Other Records:

1918 – World War I Draft Registration Card 12 September in Grundy, Tennessee. *According to the registration card, his date of birth was 29 August 1899.

1919 – Tennessee State Marriages 25 May. Page 358, Book # unknown at this time.

1983 – Social Security Death Index March. Last residence was Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee. *According to the death index, his year of death was 1983 but on his grave marker, it is listed as 1982.

3. John A. Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 12 October 1900 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 05 October 1987 in Whitwell, Marion, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 86

Burial: Brown's Chapel Cemetery, Barkerstown, Grundy, Tennessee

John A. Creighton married Mable M. Hobbs on 06 August 1925 in Grundy, Tennessee by W.L. Hatfield, J.P. Mable M. Hobbs was born 20 September 1907 in Grundy, Tennessee and died 03 June 2006 in Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee. She died at the age of 98 and is buried at Brown's Chapel Cemetery, Barkerstown, Grundy, Tennessee. Mable was the daughter of David "Dave" and Nora Hobbs.



John A. Creighton and Mable M. Hobbs had the following children:

- 1. Jack P. (1926-1988)
- 2. Betty (1928-?)
- 3. John A., Jr. (?-?)
- 4. Martha Carol (?-?)
- 5. Patsy (?-?)
- 6. Robert "Bobby" (?-?)

John A. Creighton's Obituary:

CREIGHTON - JOHN A., 86, of Palmer, Tenn., died Monday in a Whitwell, Tenn. hospital. A retired miner, he was a member of Church of Nazarene. Survivors include his wife, Mabel Creighton; three daughters, Betty Coffelt, Patsy Higgins, and Martha Carol Nolan, of Palmer; three sons, John Creighton, Jr., Palmer, Jack Creighton, Gruetli-Laager, Tenn., and Bobby Creighton, Murfreesboro, Tenn.; 13 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren. Services will be at 2pm CDT Wednesday in the funeral home with the Rev. James Roberts officiating. Burial will be in Brown's Chapel Cemetery. The family will receive friends after 11am CDT today at Hooper Funeral Home, Palmer.

Census Records:

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, Louise and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents and siblings Curg, Louise and Elizabeth.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his wife and children Jack and Bettie. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

Other Records:

1925 – Tennessee State Marriages 06 August. Page 494, Book # unknown at this time.

1987 – Social Security Death Index 05 October. Last residence was Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee.

3. Louise Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: about 1904 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: unknown at this time

Age at time of Death: unknown at this time

Burial: unknown at this time

Louise Creighton's husband and children, if any, are unknown at this time.

Census Records:

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John, and Florence. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Curg, John and Elizabeth.

3. Florence Elizabeth Creighton

(John Hunt Morgan Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 09 December 1908 in Tarlton, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: December 1982 in Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 74

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Florence Elizabeth Creighton married Melvin "Bud" Hampton on 07 December 1924 in Grundy, Tennessee by J.H. Layne. Melvin "Bud" Hampton was born 20 October 1907 and died 14 June 2000 in Grundy, Tennessee. He died at the age of 92 and is buried at Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee. Bud was the son of Smart and Emma Hampton.



Florence Elizabeth Creighton and Melvin "Bud" Hampton had the following children:

- 1. Claudia (1926-?)
- 2. Wanda Jean (1929-?)

Census Records:

1910 – Living in Civil District 1 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Willie, Martha, Curg, Joe, Vernie, Frank, John, and Louise. Their last name is spelled Crighton on the census.

1920 – Living on McMinnville and Beersheba Springs Road in Farlton, Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and siblings Curg, John and Louise.

1930 – Living in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her husband and children Claudia and Wanda Jean.

Other Records:

1924 – Tennessee State Marriages 07 December. Page 416, Book # unknown at this time.

1982 – Social Security Death Index December. Last residence was Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee.

4. Nina Creighton

(Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 03 September 1918 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 21 September 1918 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 18 days

Burial: Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy, Tennessee

Nina Creighton's cause of death was unknown. Her death certificate is in Volume 21, Page 94. There is also a duplicated listed in Volume 21, Page 97 with her date of death being 28 September 1918. Information found on http://www.tennessee.gov/tsla/history/vital/1918-05.htm.

4. Lillian June Creighton

(Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: about 1926 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: Still Living

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Lillian June Creighton married Mike. She is 83 years old and living in Chicago, Illinois.

Census Records:

1930 – Living on Highway 56 in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents, brother Joe Vernon and grandfather David Sweeton.

4. Joe "Sonny" Vernon Creighton

(Joseph "Joe" Ale Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 16 May 1928 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 19 February 2005 in Nickelsville, Scott, Virginia

Age at time of Death: 76

Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Virginia

Joe "Sonny" Vernon Creighton married Jenny with a last name unknown. Jenny's birth, death, burial and parents' names are unknown at this time.

Joe "Sonny" Vernon Creighton and Jenny had the following children:

- 1. Tammy (?)
- 2. Curtis (?)

Joe "Sonny" Vernon Creighton's Obituary:

NICKELSVILLE, Va. - Joe "Sonny" Vernon Creighton died Saturday, February 19, 2005. Services will be noon Monday in the Gene Falin Memorial Chapel of the funeral home. Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery. Visitation: 5-8pm today at Gate City Funeral Home.

Census Records:

1930 – Living on Highway 56 in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with his parents, sister June and grandfather David Sweeton.

Other Records:

2005 – Social Security Death Index 19 February. Last residence was Nickelsville, Scott, Virginia.

4. Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton

(Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 07 May 1923 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 03 February 2003 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Age at time of Death: 79

Burial: Coalmont Cemetery, Coalmont, Tennessee

Cause of Death: Bladder Cancer

Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton married Betty Ernestine "Tine" Ross on 26 October 1946 in Rossville, Walker, Georgia. Betty Ernestine "Tine" Ross was born on 03 July 1927 in Palmer, Grundy, Tennessee. She is 82 years old and still living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. Tine is the daughter of John William "Bill" Ross and True Ernestine Sitz.









←The picture is blurry but was taken on their honeymoon.

Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton and Betty Ernestine "Tine" Ross have the following children:

- 1. Susan Marie (1948)
- 2. Robert Ross (1951)
- 3. William Sanford "Sandy" (1963)

Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton's Obituary:

HUNTSVILLE — Robert M. Creighton, 79, died Monday, Feb. 3, 2003, at his home.

Mr. Creighton was a former resident of Chattanooga and retired from Ragland Brothers Wholesale Grocery of Huntsville after working as a buyer for 48 years. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps and a member of American Legion Post 95 of East Ridge. He was the son of the late Robert A. Creighton and the late Ethleen B. Creighton of Coalmont, Tenn. Survivors are his wife, Ernestine R. Creighton of Huntsville, Ala.; daughter, Susan C. (Gary) Smith of Soddy-Daisy; two sons, Robert Ross (Lorie) Creighton and William Sanford Creighton of Huntsville; a brother Samuel B. Creighton of Coalmont, Tenn.; three grandchildren, Amy Marie Everett of Soddy-Daisy, Stacey Jenell Creighton and Robert Bradley Creighton of Huntsville. A graveside service was held Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2003, in Coalmont Cemetery in Coalmont, Tenn., with Ray Winton officiating. Arrangements were by Williamson Sons Funeral Home, Soddy-Daisy.

Census Records:

1930 – Living on Highway 56 of Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee with his parents.

Other Records:

1943 – World War II Army Enlistment Record 15 January in Fort Oglethorpe, Catoosa, Georgia.

2003 – Social Security Death Index 03 February. Last residence was Huntsville, Madison, Alabama.

4. Samuel "Sam" Brown Creighton

(Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 25 February 1933 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

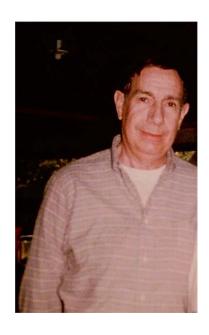
Died: Still Living

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Samuel "Sam" Brown Creighton has not married nor has kids.

Sam is currently living in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee and is owner of Creighton's Grocery on Highway 56.





Records:

None available.

4. Mary Elizabeth Alexander

(Pauline "Polly" Creighton Alexander, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 18 May 1922 in Sewanee, Franklin, Tennessee

Died: 25 February 2007 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: 84

Burial: Cremated; Ashes scattered at the foot of the Cross at Monteagle, Grundy, Tennessee.

Cause of Death: Pneumonia

Mary Elizabeth Alexander never married nor had children.







Mary Elizabeth Alexander's Obituary:

Mary Alexander, 84, of Chattanooga, passed away on Sunday, February 25, 2007, in a local hospital.

She was born in Sewanee, Tennessee to Thomas Henry and Pauline Creighton Alexander. She moved to Chattanooga at a young age to attend business school. She was personal secretary to Abe Koblentz for a number of years until his retirement, after which she worked for Walter Forbes. Mary then worked for many years in medical records at Erlanger Hospital until her retirement. She was a longtime resident of Forrest Avenue, a vibrant and beloved part of the North Chattanooga community, a member of First Centenary United Methodist Church, and now a joyful participant in the communion of saints.

Mary Alexander was a woman of extraordinary humanity. To say she was special or unique is like saying the sun is warm and bright—obvious to all who knew her, but still divinely amazing. She embraced life not as a series of obstacles to be overcome, but as a daily opportunity to live boldly, deeply, and gratefully. While she was most serious in her commitments to family, friends, and coworkers, she still viewed life and its crazy circumstances with a sense of humor that was both irreverent and endearing. As to things, she loved music and art, her classic sports car, travel and chocolate, and dinner out – but nothing compared to the love of family and longtime friends, and the good conversation that was the highway for the connections to this multitude of hearts. She is survived by numerous cousins, as well as a multitude of friends who have been uniquely and permanently blessed by their relationships. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home chapel with Dr. David Harr officiating. A memorial service is being planned for a later date. The family will receive friends from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday and from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial

contributions may be made to UTC, Friends of the Gallery. Arrangements are by the North Chapel of Chattanooga Funeral Home, Crematory and Florist. Share your thoughts and memories at www.mem.com.

Census Records:

1930 – Living in Sparta, White, Tennessee with her parents.

Other Records:

2007 – Social Security Death Index 25 February. Last residence was Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee.

4. Jane Creighton

(David Frank Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 21 October 1923 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 21 November 2005 in Roswell, Fulton, Georgia

Age at time of Death: 82 Burial: unknown at this time

Jane Creighton married Eugene Tolbert on an unknown date. Eugene Tolbert's birth, death, burial and parents' names are unknown at this time.

Jane Creighton and Eugene Tolbert had the following child and is the only one known at this time:

1. Nancy (?)

Census Records:

1930 – Living on Coalmont and Flat Branch Road in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and sister Doris.

Other Records:

2005 – Social Security Death Index 21 November. Last residence was Roswell, Fulton, Georgia.

4. Doris L. Creighton

(David Frank Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 09 August 1926 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: 19 April 2006 in Birmingham, Jefferson, Alabama

Age at time of Death: 79 Burial: unknown at this time

Doris L. Creighton's husband and children, if any, are unknown at this time.

Census Records:

1930 – Living on Coalmont and Flat Branch Road in District 2 of Grundy, Tennessee with her parents and sister Jane.

Other Records:

2006 – Social Security Death Index 19 April. Last residence was Birmingham, Jefferson, Alabama.

4. Polly Creighton

(David Frank Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: after 1930 in Coalmont, Grundy, Tennessee

Died: Still Living in Alpharetta, Georgia

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Polly Creighton married Ray Strom were married on an unknown date at this time. Ray Strom's birth and parents' names are unknown at this time.

Polly Creighton and Ray Strom's children are unknown at this time.

Records:

None available.

5. Susan Marie Creighton

(Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 20 May 1948 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Died: Still Living in Soddy Daisy, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Susan Marie Creighton married Garry Randell Smith on 28 April 1970 in Ringgold, Catoosa, Georgia. Garry Randell Smith was born 03 January 1951 and is still living in Soddy Daisy, Hamilton, Tennessee. Garry is the son of Raymond Lee Smith and Mildred Ruth Davis.





←Pictured with her brother Ross





← Pictured with daughter and husband

Susan Marie Creighton and Garry Randell Smith had the following child:

1. Amy Marie (1978)

Records:

None available.

5. Robert Ross Creighton

(Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 29 April 1951 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Died: Still Living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Robert Ross Creighton married Lorie Dabney Crockett on 07 December 1974 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. Lorie Dabney Creighton was born 30 January 1953 in Colorado and is still living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. Lorie is the daughter of Col. Charles D. Crockett and Vivian O'Neil.



← Pictured with his wife and children

Robert Ross Creighton and Lorie Dabney Crockett had the following children:

- 1. Stacey Jenell (1980)
- 2. Robert Bradley "Brad" (1983)

Records:

None available.

6. William Sanford "Sandy" Creighton

(Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 16 December 1962 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Died: Still Living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

William Sanford "Sandy" Creighton married Lori Beth Myrick on 20 July 1986 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. Lori Beth Myrick's birth and parents' names are unknown at this time.

William Sanford "Sandy" Creighton and Lori Beth Myrick divorced at an unknown date in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. They did not have any children.





Records:

None available.

6. Amy Marie Smith

(Susan Marie Creighton Smith, Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 13 June 1978 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee

Died: Still Living in Soddy Daisy, Hamilton, Tennessee

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Amy Marie Smith married John Robert "Robbie" Hawkins on 12 March 2005 in Soddy Daisy, Hamilton, Tennessee by Robert "Bobby" G. Webb. John Robert "Robbie" Hawkins was born 08 August 1980 in Chattanooga, Hamilton, Tennessee. He is living in Soddy Daisy, Hamilton, Tennessee. Robbie is the son of Roger Doyle Hawkins and Del Marlene Clayton.





←Pictured with her Aunt Wilma Dean Smith Eustice







←Robbie's parents

Amy Marie Smith and John Robert "Robbie" Hawkins currently do not have any children.

Records:

None available.

6. Stacey Jenell Creighton

(Robert Ross Creighton, Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 03 March 1980 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

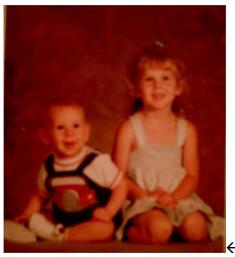
Died: Still Living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Stacey Jenell Creighton married Jamey Lones on 22 January 2005 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama. Jamey Lones' birth and parents' names are unknown at this time. He is living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama.





← Pictured with her brother Brad.

Stacey Jenell Creighton and Jamey Lones currently do not have any children.

Records:

None available.

6. Robert Bradley "Brad" Creighton

(Robert Ross Creighton, Robert "Bob" Mitchell Creighton, Robert Asa Creighton, William M. Creighton, Joseph Hunter Creighton)

Born: 03 January 1983 in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Died: Still Living in Huntsville, Madison, Alabama

Age at time of Death: N/A

Burial: N/A

Robert Bradley "Brad" Creighton is currently not married and does not have any children.



Records:

None available.