

**Record of  
Louis Henry Koerber  
Great-Grandson of Barnabas Madison Poe**

Born: October 10, 1910; Freeburg, Osage County, Missouri  
Father: Lorenz B. "Louis" **Koerber**  
Mother: Parisada **Anderson**  
Married: August 16, 1933; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri  
Died: October 1, 1995; Rolla, Phelps County, Missouri  
Buried: Broadway Baptist Church Cemetery, St. James,  
Maries County, Missouri

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Wife: Maudie Rhea **French**  
Born: January 3, 1917; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri  
Father: Benjamin Frank **French**  
Mother: Louisa Jane **Eads**  
Died: May 18, 1993; Rolla, Phelps County, Missouri  
Buried: Broadway Baptist Church Cemetery; St. James,  
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Children; Date and Birthplace:

Living Daughter

Lawrence Norman                      December 31, 1935; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri

Bonnie Sue                              May 10, 1938; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri

Living Son

Living Daughter

Larry Joe                                March 27, 1951; Vichy, Maries County, Missouri

Sandra Jean                              October 21, 1954; Rolla, Phelps County, Missouri

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Belle, Maries County, Missouri; Maries County Gazette; October  
18, 1995; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri, Unterrified Democrat,  
October 25, 1995; Linn, Osage County, Missouri  
Obituary; Maudie Rhea **French Koerber**; Maries County Gazette;  
May 26, 1993; Vienna, Maries County, Missouri  
Lawrence Norman **Koerber** – Birth Date, Location – Obituary; The  
St. James Leader Journal, St. James, Missouri, February 2, 2011  
Bonnie Sue **Koerber** – Birth Date, Location – Memorial, Find A  
Grave.com  
Larry Joe **Koerber** – Birth Date, Location – Memorial, Find A  
Grave.com  
Sandra Jean **Koerber** – Birth Date, Location – **Koerber** Family  
Tree, Larry **Koerber**; Ancestry.com

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**The Belle Banner**

**Belle, Missouri  
October 18, 1995  
Obituaries**

**Louis Koerber**

Louis Henry "Bud" **Koerber**, 84, of Vichy, passed away Sunday, Oct. 1, 1995 at the Rolla Manor Care Center following a short illness.

Louis, the son of the late Louis Barney and Para Zata **Anderson Koerber**, was born October 10, 1910 in Freeburg. He was the only son of seven children.

Louis was united in marriage to Maudie **French** on August 16, 1933 in Vienna and to this seven children were born.

Louis is survived by his seven children: Viola **Anderson** and husband Charles of Florissant, Lawrence and wife Ann of St. James, Bonnie **Dillon** and husband Roy of St. James, Leslie "Butch" and wife Marlene of St James Sharon **Sullivan** and husband Bill of Lee's Summit, Larry and wife Rosemary of Troy, IL, and Sandy **Furlong** and friend Rick of Fulton; 16 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; five great-great grandchildren; four step grandchildren and six step great-great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife and six sisters: Gertie **West**, Ella **Wagner**, Clara **Wagner**, Ethel **Mehrhoff** and infants, Minnie and Annie.

Bud worked as a carpenter for many years before retiring in 1972. During his carpentry career, he constructed houses, bridges, and culverts. He enjoyed working on the bridge projects the most; he helped construct bridges from as far north as Troy, and as far south as Cherryville. He was a member of the Union Rolla Local #2298. Besides his work, he enjoyed being outside. He spent many hours in his garden and working around his place. He also liked relaxing in the outdoors; he was often sitting on his front porch enjoying the nature around him. He was probably thanking God for his creations and his blessings. His relationship to God was very important to him. He spent many hours studying the Bible and other religious literature. He was a member of the Broadway Baptist Church where he attended for over 35 years.

Funeral Services were conducted the following Wednesday, at the Broadway Baptist Church, Rev. Walter "Bud" **Sanders** officiated. Hymns were sung by church members. Pallbearers were grandsons.

Burial was in Broadway Memorial Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Broadway Baptist Church.

All arrangements were under the direction of the Jones Funeral Home in St. James.

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**The Maries County Gazette**

Vienna, Missouri  
October 18 1995  
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**The Unterrified Democrat**

Linn, Missouri  
October 25, 1995  
Obituaries

**Louis H. Koerber**

Services were Oct. 4 at the Broadway Baptist Church near St. James for Louis Henry (Bud) **Koerber**, 84, of Vichy, a native of Freeburg.

The Rev. Walt (Bud) **Sanders** conducted the funeral for Mr. **Koerber**, who died Oct. 1 at a Rolla nursing home after a short illness, with burial in the Broadway Memorial Cemetery near St. James.

Mr. **Koerber** was born Oct. 10, 1910, to Louis Barney **Koerber** and the former Para Zata **Anderson**. He was married Aug. 16, 1933, at Vienna to the former Maudie **French**, who preceded him in death.

A carpenter for many years, Mr. **Koerber** retired in 1972. He was a member of Local Union 2298 at Rolla and of the Broadway Baptist Church, which he attended for more than 35 years.

He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Charles (Viola) **Anderson** of Florissant, Mrs. Roy (Bonnie) **Dillon** of St. James, Mrs. Bill (Sharon) **Sullivan** of Lee's Summit, and Sandy **Furlong** of Fulton; three sons, Lawrence **Koerber** and Leslie (Butch) **Koerber**, both of St. James, and Larry **Koerber** of Troy Ill.; 16 grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, five great-great grandchildren, six step-great-great-grandchildren.

Preceding him in death, in addition to his wife, were six sisters, Gertie **West**, Ella **Wagner**, Clara **Wagner**, Ethel **Mehrhoff**, Minnie and Annie **Koerber**, who died in infancy.

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**The Maries County Gazette**

Vienna, Missouri  
May 26, 1993  
Obituaries

**Maudie Koerber**

Maudie Rhea **Koerber**, 76, of Vichy, was born on January 3, 1917, near Vienna, in Maries County, a daughter of Benjamin Frank and Louisa Jane **Eads French**, and died at 12:45 a.m., Tuesday, May 18, 1993, at the Phelps County Regional Medical Center, Rolla, following an illness of one year.

Mrs. **Koerber** was united in marriage on August 16, 1933, at Vienna, to Louis Henry **Koerber**, and to this union seven children were born. She was preceded in death by her father in 1918; her mother on December 25, 1953; five brothers, Ben French, Jeff **French** and three infant brothers; and two sisters, Josie **Diedrich** and May **French**.

Mrs. **Koerber** was baptized in 1934 at Little Flock Baptist Church near Vienna and later moved her membership to Broadway Baptist Church, St. James, where she was a faithful member at the time of her passing. She was a homemaker and housewife for all her working life.

Survivors include: her husband, Louis H. **Koerber** of the home in Vichy; three sons, Lawrence **Koerber** and Leslie **Koerber**, both of St. James, and Joe **Koerber**, Beale Air Force Base, California; four daughters, Mrs. Viola **Anderson**, St. Louis, Mrs. Bonnie **Dillon**, St. James, Mrs. Sharon **Sullivan**, Lee's Summit, and Mrs. Sandra **Furlong**, Auxvasse; sixteen grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and five step-great-grandchildren.

After resting in the Vienna Chapel of the Birmingham-Martin Funeral Homes, funeral services were conducted for Mrs. **Koerber** at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 20, 1993, in the Broadway Baptist Church, St. James, with Rev. Lawrence P. **Chatman**, pastor, officiating. Kim **Laky** and Marie **Wadlow** sang, accompanied, by pianist Kim **Laky**; Charles **Redburn** sang and accompanied himself with the guitar; and Marie **Wadlow**, Charles **Redburn**, Ola **Snow**, Maxine

**Workman**, Emmis **Campbell**, Sivila **Rodgers**, and Kim **Laky** sang, accompanied by pianist Kim **Laky** for the funeral service.

Interment was in the Broadway Memorial Cemetery, St. James. Pallbearers for Mrs. **Koerber** were Darrel **Koerber**, Bruce **Koerber**, Terry **Dillon**, Greg **Dillon**, Robert **Anderson**, James **Anderson** and Scott **Anderson**.

Memorials are suggested to the Broadway Baptist Church, St. James, with envelopes being available at the Vienna Office of the Birmingham-Martin Funeral Homes.