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Richard B. Carpenter Family Bible

Additional Surnames: Tatum, Head, Spiller

Date range: 1844 - 1864

Publication date: 1846

Locations: Leon Co, FL

History of the bible: In 1987 the bible was in the possession of David A. Avant, Jr., of Tallahassee, FL, who is the great-grandson of Richard B. Carpenter. A title page was provided. The page with births and deaths is badly mutilated. One whole section is torn away. David Avant explains that "great Aunt Linda tore out her birth date!"

Additional Materials: File also includes copies of several published obituaries and memorials with no date or source. These are for Master Whitman Carpenter; little Kathleen Carpenter February 9th, 1901 at age 5; Mrs. Grace F.G.Carpenter, born Talbot county Georgia, October 8, 1823, died May 14th, 1889, leaving one son and three daughters; Mrs. Eliza T. Spiller

Front Page

Rich^d B. Carpenter Jan 15, 184_ [copy did not extend to the right edge]

FAMILY RECORD

Births

Emily Grace Carpenter was born February 16th, 1844
Elisa Thompson Carpenter was born August 22th, 1845
Fenton Hunter Carpenter born Dec 23th 1849
Richd B. Ca[torn] [Jr?] born On [torn] 15th, 1856
Fenton Tatu [torn] born 15th Oct [torn off]
Eliza Head [torn] 11th 1881
Eugenia Cornilia Tatum was born Dec 12th 1863
Nannie Hunter Spiller was born 23^d Nov 1863
Emily Grace Tatu [torn] born 27 April [torn]
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[at top of New Testament page]
Richard _____ enter Jr[?] [died]
Talla Fla. Sept 22nd 1914
born March 15, 1856

Whitman C-Died in Columbus Ga. Sept 21st in his 15 yr born Feb 6th, 1889 [handwritten above and over Family Record page heading]

FAMILY RECORD

Deaths

Died in Tallahassee April the 2nd 1867 Richard B. Carpenter in the 51st year of his age with Hemorage of the bowels
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Died in Tallahassee Fenton Tatum age [words missing?] 6 days

Died in Tallahassee Aug 17th Eliza Head age 6 days

Nannis Hunter Spiller died Oct 21st 1864 age 1 yr 4 mo

Carrie Spiller died Dec 2nd age 14 days

[torn] died May 14th 18 [obliterated] [Ta]llahasseeFla [torn] Y.G. Carpen[ter] [torn] yrs wife

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Died [unreadable] 1901 at [torn] [unreadable]

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CONTAINING THE
OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS:

TRANSLATED OUT OF
THE ORIGINAL TONGUES,
AND WITH THE FORMER
TRANSLATIONS DILIGENTLY COMPARED AND REVISED.

NEW YORK:
AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY,
INSTITUTED IN THE YEAR MDCCCXVI.
1846.

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Rich^d. B. Carpenter Jan 15 1860
A decorative wavy line follows the date.

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Elijah's coming and offer
 Then shall ye return and differ
 between the righteous and the
 wicked, between him that serveth
 the Lord and him that serveth him not.
 CHAP. IV.
 The Lord's judgment on the wicked, 2 and his blessing
 on the good. 4 He exhorteth to the study
 of the law, 5 and telleth of Elijah's coming.

OR behold, a the day cometh,
 that shall burn as an oven; and
 the proud, yea, and all that do
 unrighteously, shall be as stubble: and the
 that cometh shall burn them up,
 as the Lord of hosts, that it shall
 leave them neither root nor branch.
 But unto you that fear my
 voice, shall the Sun of righteousness
 arise with healing in his wings;
 ye shall go forth, and grow up
 as calves of the stall.
 And ye shall tread down the wicked:
 for they shall be as ashes under the
 sole of your feet in the day that I
 do this, saith the Lord of hosts.
 Remember ye the law of Moses,
 my servant, which I commanded
 him in Horeb for all Israel,
 saying, Hearken to the statutes and judgments.
 Behold, I will send you Elijah
 the prophet before the coming of the
 great and dreadful day of the Lord:
 and he shall turn the heart of
 the fathers to the children, and the
 heart of the children to their fathers,
 lest I come and smite the earth
 with a curse.

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June 22nd 1814
from March 15 - 1885

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feared the LORD, and that thought
upon his name.

Nannus Hurstie Spiller
died Oct 31st 1864 age
1 yr 11 mo

17 And h they shall be mine, saith
the LORD of hosts, in that day when
I make up my || i jewels; and k I will
spare them, as a man spareth his
own son that serveth him.

Carrie Spiller died
2nd age 14 days

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1 yr. 11 mo
Richard B.
Carpenter. Sr.

THE END OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

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Richard
Tallahassee
born 1844
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In Memoriam.

The following resolutions were passed by the Trinity Methodist Sunday School, on the death of little Kathleen Carpenter:

God has again in His providence entered our ranks; this time has transplanted a lovely little flower to His kingdom above, there to "shine in its beauty and see the great king." Kathleen Emily Carpenter, age five years, passed from earth on February 9th, 1901.

We acknowledge God's hand in all things, the shadows as well as the sunshine, knowing that He is "too wise to err, too good to be unkind." Be it

Resolved, 1st. That as co-workers, we strive more diligently than ever to plant in the hearts of those under our care, the precious seed of love and kindness for "Gods reaping by and by."

2d. That as fellow pupils, we shall miss the "bright faced darling," and hope to so live that we may meet again in that "bright beyond" where "partings are no more," that "when He cometh to make up His jewels," we may each one be counted among "His loved and His own."

3d. That we deeply sympathize with the home circle from which she has been removed, and would commend each one to our tender Father's care—reminding them of the "beautiful, beckoning hands, calling the dear ones to Heavenly lands."

"She is not dead, the child of our affection,

But gone unto that school
Where she no longer needs our poor protection.

And Christ Himself doth rule."

4th. We recommend that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes a copy sent the bereaved family and one to the TALLAHASSEEAN for publication.

Lovingly submitted,
MRS. W. L. MOORE;
MISS LOTTIE CHILDS.
MISS HENNIE CHAIRES.

Death Warrant Issued

Joseph H.

The remains of Master Whitman Carpenter, who died at Columbus, Ga., last Friday, were brought to this city Sunday for interment. Services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Ley at the City Cemetery at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. A large crowd of friends were present. Whitman was one of the best boys in Tallahassee, and his untimely death away from home was a sad blow to parents and friends.

Mrs. Grace F. G. Carpenter
Mrs. Grace F. G. Carpenter was born in Talbot county, Georgia, October 18, 1827, came with her father, Mr. Hunter, to Tallahassee when a child, at the age of 10 was married to Richard B. Carpenter, and died Tuesday, May 24th, 1889.

In early womanhood she became a Christian, her conversion being marked and unmistakably a passing from darkness to light, and in the Methodist Church found a congenial church home. With a gentle and unselfish disposition she grew in the Christian graces and developed into a lovely character. She was a Christian at home, living close to God, and bringing to bear on those around her the blessed influences of a pious life; and by her unselfish devotion and loving solicitude for their temporal and spiritual welfare, illustrated the bright side of religion. She was a Christian away from home; and her daily walk among others proved that she realized the nature of her vows to God and the church. She loved the church, and enjoyed the privileges of the sanctuary. She loved her pastor, prayed for and helped him. It was good to see her placid countenance among the worshippers. She regularly gave of her means to the support of the church and its institutions.

Her presence in the home of her only son, with whom she lived, was a benediction; while her three daughters were near enough to be often with her and feel the blessing of her loving life.

And the grandchildren, from the oldest to the youngest—how they looked up to and loved "dear grandma." For all these she worked, lived and prayed.

But the weary hands are folded now, and the loving heart has ceased to beat, for she has heard the Master's voice, and has entered into her reward.

H. E. PARTRIDGE.

