

## **KNOUF, MARIA**

### Birth

1826 in Wittenburg,  
Somerset Co.,  
Pennsylvania



### Death

September 13, 1896 at home  
near Orilla, Linn Twp., Warren  
Co., Iowa  
Ref: Stone in Cemetery

The Knouf History gives her birth date as March 18, 1825 near Wittenburg, Somerset Co., Pennsylvania and gives her death date as September 14, 1896.

### Cause of Death

Heart trouble

### Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 78

### Maiden Name

Cook

### Father

George William Cook was born in 1760 in Pennsylvania and died 1850 in Somerset Co., Pennsylvania

Ref: History book of Knouf's

### Mother

Rachel Troutman, was born in 1792 in Pennsylvania and died in 1847 in Somerset Co., Pennsylvania

Ref: History book of Knouf's

### Marriage

Maria Cook to Henry Knouf on March 22, 1845 in Sommerset Co., Pennsylvania

Census

1830 –

1840 –

1850 – District 6, Allegany Co., Maryland; Page 154A; October 26, 1850

Dwelling 2108; Family 2140

Canup, Henry	27	farmer	PA
George	20		PA
<b>Maria</b>	<b>25</b>		<b>PA</b>
John	05		MD
Samuel	01		
Dean, Henry	16		

1856 – Penn Twp., Johnson Co., IA; Page 592; Roll 14

Dwelling 1; Family 1

Knouf, Henry	34	farmer-in IA 3 yrs.	PA
<b>Mara</b>	<b>31</b>		<b>PA</b>
John	10		PA
S. W. a male	07		PA
M. E. a female	03		IA
G. W. a male	01		IA

1860 – Cue Twp., Benton Co., IA; August 14, 1860; Page 176; P.O. Lynnwood

Dwelling 1398; Family 1278

Canuff, Henry	57	farmer	PA
		Personal estate \$428	
Mariah	35		PA
John	14		PA
Samuel	11		PA
Matilda C.	07		PA
George	05		IA
Jackson	03		IA
Augustus B.	01		IA
George	29	day labor	PA
		Real-estate, \$1500 – personal, \$150	

1870 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Page 372B; Post Office, Norwalk, IA; August 12, 1870

Dwelling 32; Family 33

Knouf, Henry	48	hotel keeper	PA
		Real Estate, \$6500; Personal, \$1500	
<b>Maria</b>	<b>45</b>		<b>PA</b>
Samuel	21		PA
Matilda	17		IA
George	15		IA
Jackson	13		IA
Augusta	11		IA

Franklin	09		IA
Simone	05		IA
Martin	04		IA

1880 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED228; Page 294A; July 16, 1880  
 Dwelling 300; Family 307

Knouf, Henry	56	farmer	PA	PA	PA
<b>Maria</b>	<b>55</b>		<b>PA</b>	<b>PA</b>	<b>PA</b>
George	25	farm labor	IA	PA	PA
Jackson	23		IA	PA	PA
Augusta B.	20		IA	PA	PA
Martin	13		IA	PA	PA

1885 – There was no census for Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA in 1885

1895 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA  
 Dwelling 18; Family 18

Knouf, Henry	72		PA
<b>Maria</b>	<b>70</b>		<b>PA</b>
Augustus B.	34		Warren Co., IA
Martin	27		Warren Co., IA
Mamie	25		IL
Edith	01		Warren Co., IA

Obituary

[Indianola Herald, Thursday, September 22, 1896, Page 3, Column 4]

Mrs. Henry Knouf died at the family home, near Orilla, September 13<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Knouf had been in poor health for a year, having heart trouble. She leaves a large family of grown children and an aged husband to mourn her loss. Mr. Knouf, since the funeral has been quite sick.

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Misc.

George Cook and Rachel Troutman, parents of Maria are buried in White Oak Church Cemetery near Wittenburg, Pennsylvania. Wilson the 2<sup>nd</sup> child of Henry and Maria Knouf died as a baby and is buried next to his grandparents, George and Rachel.

Ref: The Knouf History Book