

Descendants of Thomas "Tom" Tate

1-**Thomas "Tom" Tate**¹ was born about 1852 in TN and died before 1900 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated Tennessee to Texas. The background of the Tate family orated by Percy Tate, grandson of Tom Tate and the first born son of Walter Harrison Tate, Tom and Joscie's second born, is that between the dates of when Tom and Joscie's last child, Edger Tate, was born in Tennessee and between 1894 and the early 1900s, they sold their plantation in Tennessee and moved to Texas because one of Tom's brothers living in Texas wanted Tom to become a cattleman -- where there was much money to be made.

During the train trip and near the town of Winola, Smith, Texas, Tom was robbed of all his assets from having sold the Tennessee property by a robber who then jumped the train near this city.

Tom followed the robber moments later by also jumping the train but was unsuccessful in finding him or retrieving his assets.

Josie and Tom finally found each other later in Tyler where she had disembarked the train to wait for him. Since they had no assets, they had no choice but to settle where ever they could in order to start their life over.

They first farmed in Smith, Texas, but later opened a tavern in Tyler. Tom died within the first year and Josie was left with raising the five boys and two girls.

Thomas married **Josephine "Joscie" Hunt**,² daughter of **William Hunt** and **Barbara Ellen Marshall**. Josephine was born in 1862 in TN. They had six children: **Thomas Tipton, Walter Harrison, Huge M., L. D., Edger "Eq" "Ernest,"** and **Unknown**.

2-**Thomas Tipton Tate**³ was born 6 Jul 1887 in TN.

Thomas married **Mattie Marie Henson**⁴ in 1906. Mattie was born in 1890 in AL, died 4 Apr 1917 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 27, and was buried in the Antioch Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX. They had one son: **Cecil**.

3-**Cecil Tate**⁵ was born 17 Apr 1909 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died 14 Sep 1981 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 72.

Cecil married **Lela May Bass**⁶ 10 Dec 1927. Lela was born 3 Oct 1909 in Texas. They had four children: **Billie Joe, Violet Marie, Cecil Edward,** and **Portia Ann**.

4-**Billie Joe Tate**⁷ was born 8 Sep 1928 in Tyler, Smith, TX, died 29 Jun 1998 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 69, and was buried in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Violet Marie Tate**⁸ was born 19 Aug 1930 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Violet married **Claude Alfred Barnes Jr.** in Dec 1991. Claude was born 5 Dec 1930 in Smith County, TX.

4-**Cecil Edward Tate**⁹ was born 15 Nov 1940 in Flint, Smith, TX.

Cecil married **Maryland Moorman** 29 Jan 1972. Maryland was born 3 Jul 1947 in Kaufman, TX. They had three children: **Keith Eric, Troy Vincent,** and **Valeri Renee**.

5-**Keith Eric Tate** was born 22 Apr 1974 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Keith married **Laura**.

5-**Troy Vincent Tate** was born 19 Apr 1976 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

5-**Valeri Renee Tate** was born 18 Jul 1979 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Portia Ann Tate**¹⁰ was born 26 Mar 1947 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

2-**Walter Harrison Tate**¹¹ was born 29 Sep 1889 in TN, died 27 Jun 1935 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 45, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

Walter married **Mary Etta Henson**,¹² daughter of **John Abraham Henson** and **Louetta Burroughs**. Mary was born 13 May 1893 in Hunterville, Madison, AL, died 8 Sep 1969 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 76, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX. They had six children: **Percy L., Marvin Theodore, Charlie,**

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Archie, Hazel Marie, and Jack Travis.

3-**Percy L. Tate**¹³ was born 4 Jan 1910 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died in 2004 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 94.
Percy married **Catherine Brown**. They had one son: **Percy**.

4-**Percy Tate Jr.**¹⁴ was born 27 Nov 1948 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died in 2004 at age 56.

3-**Marvin Theodore Tate**¹⁵ was born in 1912 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died 22 Jan 1984 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 72.

3-**Charlie Tate**¹⁶ was born in 1914 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died 24 Jul 1990 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 76.

3-**Archie Tate**¹⁷ was born in 1915 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

3-**Hazel Marie Tate**¹⁷ was born in 1918 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Hazel married **H. C. Mallett**. They had one daughter: **Jo Ann**.

4-**Jo Ann Mallet**¹⁸ was born 3 Jan 1935 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

3-**Jack Travis Tate**¹⁷ was born 27 Oct 1919 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Jack married **Virginia Ruth Dean** 27 Dec 1937 in Tyler, Smith, TX. Virginia was born 27 May 1920 in Tyler, Smith, TX. They had three children: **Jerry Dean**, **Jenny Sue**, and **Mary Jacqueline "Jackie"**.

4-**Jerry Dean Tate**¹⁹ was born 22 Apr 1938 in Tyler, Smith, TX, died 22 Aug 1963 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 25, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Jenny Sue Tate**²⁰ was born 2 Dec 1945 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Mary Jacqueline "Jackie" Tate**²¹ was born 13 Dec 1944 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

2-**Huge M. Tate**² was born in Jun 1891 in TN and died on an unknown date.

2-**L. D. Tate**²² was born 29 Mar 1893 in TN, died in 1949 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 56, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

L. married **Lela S. _____**. Lela was born in 1898. They had three children: **Opal Marie**, **Artis B**, and **Myrtle L.**

3-**Opal Marie Tate**²³ was born in 1916 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

Opal married **James Thomas Merritt**. They had two children: **James Foster** and **Lewis Daniel**.

4-**James Foster Merritt** was born 16 Apr 1936 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Lewis Daniel Merritt** was born 27 Aug 1938 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

3-**Artis B Tate**²⁴ was born 16 Jul 1918 in Tyler, Smith, TX and died 13 Nov 1986 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 68.

Artis married **Mary Alice Beaver**. They had four children: **Kay Lavoise**, **Artis Lawrence**, **Ronald**, and **Ollie Elizabeth**.

4-**Kay Lavoise Tate** was born 10 Apr 1943 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Artis Lawrence Tate**²⁵ was born 17 Oct 1940 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Ronald Tate**²⁶ was born 15 Sep 1944 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Ollie Elizabeth Tate**²⁷ was born 26 Oct 1947 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

3-**Myrtle L. Tate**²³ was born in 1921 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

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2-**Edger "Eq" "Ernest" Tate**²⁸ was born 28 Nov 1894 in TN, died 18 Apr 1932 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 37, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

Edger married **M. Ethel** _____. M. was born in 1898 in TX. They had two children: **Dorothy Bell** and **Clarence A.**

3-**Dorothy Bell Tate**²⁹ was born 1 Dec 1915 in Tyler, Smith, TX, died 2 Apr 1955 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 39, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

Dorothy married **Garland Augusta Moncrief**. They had two children: **Peggy Jean** and **Gary Wayne**.

4-**Peggy Jean Moncrief** was born 15 Oct 1935 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Gary Wayne Moncrief** was born 2 Nov 1941 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

3-**Clarence A. Tate**³⁰ was born 19 Apr 1917 in Tyler, Smith, TX, died 8 Jun 1957 in Tyler, Smith, TX at age 40, and was buried in the Liberty Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Smith, TX.

Clarence married **Lorene Vernon**. They had two children: **Charlotte Ann** and **Charon Annette**.

4-**Charlotte Ann Tate**³¹ was born 10 Jun 1937 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

4-**Charon Annette Tate**³² was born 1 Aug 1938 in Tyler, Smith, TX.

2-**Unknown Tate**.

Source Citations

1. Thomas Tate, Self M W age 28 birthplace TN (1852)
Josephine Tate, Wife F W age 15 birthplace TN (1865)

Inhabitants of District 16, Monroe, Tennessee, 1880 United States Census
Library Film #1255272; NA Film #T9-1272; and page 125D

http://www.familysearch.org/Eng/Search/Census/household_record.asp?HOUSEHOLD_CODE=1880US_13321770&HOUSEHOLD_SUB=1&frompage=99

Further research and speculation concerning Thomas' parents:

1. Thomas Tate; Sex: M; Birth: Abt 1850,,TN
Father: Robert TATE b: Abt 1808,,NC
Mother: Elizabeth LONG b: Abt 1820,,SC

2. Thomas F. Tate; Sex: M; Birth: 29 Nov 1850,,TN
Father: William Carroll Tate b: 13 Sep 1820,Union,SC
Mother: Gilley Ann Rone Eaves b: Abt 1826,,TN

3. John Thomas Tate; Sex: M; Birth: 9 Apr 1850, Hardeman, TN
Death: 11 Jun 1868
Father: John Thomas Tate b: 1 Aug 1792, Prince Edward, VA
Mother: Nancy Reed Taylor b: 4 Dec 1807, VA

4. C. Thomas Tate; Sex: M; Birth: Aug 1850,,TN
Father: Robert C. Tate b: 27 Jan 1820/1826, Robertson, TN
Mother: Mary Letecia (Tissur) Covington: 20 Aug 1822/1825

5. Father: William Tate b: About 1822, TN
Mother: Adline _____ (Elizabeth Adeline Frye) b: About 1823, TN
Son: Squire T. age: 18 and born about 1862
Son: Joseph age: 21, born about 1859, married and w/son living with parents.

NOTE: It is speculation only but #5 above is listed on the 1880 census for District 16, Monroe, TN, just above Thomas Tate and Josephine -- could he be their son too?

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=william&state=14&hitcount=134&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B13642330%3B217830769%3B10%3B14&searchtype=1&offset=34>

<http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=:2004561&id=I00588>

<http://genforum.genealogy.com/cgi-bin/pageload.cgi?william,frye,tn::tate::1780.html>

2. Tate, Joscie - 35 F W TN TX SMITH 4 J-PCT 1900
Twelfth Census of the United States - 1910, Schedule #1, Texas: County: Smith, District 7, 11th day of June 1900 -
Image/Line #60-65

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=joscie&series=12&hitcount=1&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B17803240%3B110382540%3B12%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

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Joscie - Dec 1865; Thomas - Jul 1887; Walter - Sep 1889; Hugh M. - Jun 1891; LD - Mar 1893; and Edgar - Mar 1894

Note: State born = Tennessee (all)

Josephine Hunt - http://www.familysearch.org/Eng/Search/AF/individual_record.asp?recid=21365727&lds=0®ion=-1®ionfriendly=&frompage=99

Source Citations

3. Tate, Tom T. 22 M W TN TX SMITH 1 J-PCT 1910
Thirteenth Census of the United States 1910, State of Texas, County of Smith, 26th day of _____, 1910 - Image/Line #70-72

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tates&series=13&state=7&hitcount=17&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B6484607%3B28710052%3B13%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=16>

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4. Mattie
Born 1888
Died: 1915, Wife of Tom Tate and later Mr. Hendley

Antioch Cemetery, Smith, Tyler, TX
<ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/antioch.txt>

Located N. of Hwy 31 on Farm Road 2908

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith, TX
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>

TATE, Mary Etta
Birth: 13 May 1893
Died: 8 Sep 1969.

5. Tate, Cecil 21 M W TX TX SMITH 3 J-PCT (WEST PART) 1930 - Bureau of the Censu
Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 24th day of April 1930 - Image/Line #3-5

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&hitcount=673&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11845522%3B151827269%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=82>

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Cecil - 21, Lela M. - 20, and Billie 1-6/12

Cecil Tate - Date of Birth: 17 Apr 1909; Birth County: Smith; Father's Name: Tom Tate [Texas Birth Index, 1903-1997, Certificate Number: 137047, Roll Number: 1903_0027]

Source Citations

Vital Records - Smith County, TX - Deaths 1981

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/deaths/1981/smitd81b.txt>

Tate, Cecil d. 14 Sep 1981. Tate, Tom T. 22 M W TN TX SMITH 1 J-PCT 1910

Thirteenth Census of the United States 1910, State of Texas, County of Smith, 26th day of _____, 1910 - Image/Line #70-72

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tates&series=13&state=7&hitcount=17&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B6484607%3B28710052%3B13%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=16>

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6. Tate, Lela May

Birth: 3 Oct 1909

Vital Records - Smith County, TX

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/flint.txt>

7. Tate, Billy Joe

Death: 29 Jun 1998

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Deaths 1998

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/deaths/1998/smthd98b.txt>

SSAN: 461-40-3795 reflect both born and death date.

8. Tate, Violet Marie

Birth: 19 Aug 1930

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1930/smilzb30.txt>

Parents: Lela Mae Bass and Cecil Tate.

9. Tate, Cecil Edward

Birth: 15 Nov 1940, Flint, Smith, TX

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1940

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1940/smi0240b.txt>

Parents: Lela Mae Bass and Cecil Tate

<http://wc.rootsweb.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=:af3343&id=I5768>

Spouse: Marilyn Moorman

Birth: 3 Jul 1947, Kaufman, TX

Parents: Charles Edward Moorman and Marie McKinney

Marriage: 29 Jan 1972

Children:

Keith Erick - b. 22 Apr 1974, Tyler, Smith, TX

Troy Vincent - b. 19 Apr 1976, Tyler, Smith, TX

Valeri Renee - b. 18 Jul 1979, Tyler, Smith, TX.

10. Tate, Portia Ann

Birth: 26 Mar 1947 F

Source Citations

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1947
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1947/smitb47s.txt>
Parents: Lela Mae Bass and Cecil Tate.

11. Tate, Water H. 20 M W TN TX SMITH 2 J-PCT 1910
Thirteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas County of Smith 27-28 April 1910 - Image/Line #16-20

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=water&series=13&state=7&hitcount=1&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B6484610%3B28710254%3B13%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

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Race: Caucasian (White)

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12. John Abraham Henson

Birth: Mar 1863, IL

Death: >>change to 1906, Re: relative information<<

Spouse: Lou Etta >>changed to Mary Etta Burroughs, Re: relative information<<

Birth: Mar 1863, AL

Death: 1906, TX

Marriage: 1880, AL

http://www.familysearch.org/Eng/Search/IGI/family_group_record.asp?familyid=263631191&indi_id=100181846242&lds=1®ion=11&frompage=99

Children with some caveats:

Victoria Montana Henson - b. 4 Aug 1883, Hunterville, AL

Death: 16 Jan 1934

Source Citations

Henson, John A. 37 M W IL AL MARSHALL WRIGHTS

Twelfth Census of the United States, State of Alabama, County: Marshall, 1st day of June 1900 - Image/Line #41-49

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?>

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Henson, John A. W M, Mar 1863 IL AL AL

Lou Etta Wife W F, Mar 1863 AL NC GA

Montana V. Dau W F, Aug 1883 AL IL AL

John W. Son W M, Dec 1888 AL IL AL

Mary E. Dau W F, May 1890 AL IL AL

Martha E. Dau W F, Apr 1892 AL IL AL

Lou A. Dau W F, Jan 1894 AL IL AL

Ida Lee Dau W F, Mar 1896 AL IL AL

Maggie S. W F, Apr 1897 AL IL AL

Note: With John Abraham being born about 1863 in IL and his father being born in TN the closes parentage is:

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=henson&series=8&state=18&race=7&hitcount=47&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B8457159%3B50671993%3B8%3B18&searchtype=1&offset=8>

Unmarked graves - information from Lindsey Hall Cemetery -

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/antioch.txt>

HENSON, Etta Lou BURROUGHS - d. 1906 - wife of John Henson from Alabama

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The story about John is that he died after eating a poisoned pie at home and is buried somewhere near Colbert, Oklahoma. His grandson, Connie Henson, said that he had tried locating the cemetery where buried, but could not find it.

It is thought perhaps that John married or lived with the widow, Joscie (Hunt) Tate, near Colbert, OK, and that they may have had a child. It is believed that John died about 1906/7 and if there was a daughter, this child could be the child adopted by Hollan and Luetta Singletary who christened her Myrtle Mae, my mother, born 31 Oct 1906. How or why this situation occurred, if it did, is anybody's guess. However, Joscie did have five or more other children to raise as a single parent since her previous husband, Tom Tate, died about 1900 in Tyler, Smith, Texas.

Old letters uncovered in my parent's estate reflect that Carl W. Henson corresponded with Mae (my mother) as early as 16 Oct 1972 and addresses her as "Aunt Mae". Discussing the lineage with Charlie Henson, grandson of John, he relates that he was also informed by Robert (RD) Henson, his father, that he should visit his half -sister in Arkansas, but said that he never did.

Connie Henson relates that when he got out of the service in 1955 that his father, Robert, suggested he visit Aunt Mae in Arkansas but that he never did also. He did state that he had been shown early school pictures of me which my mother had sent his. He also states emphatically that his grand father, John Abraham, was 1/4 Cherokee Indian.

School pictures, 1949-1950, of Wadel Coleman Henson, born in 1935 and grandson of John, were found in the family picture box, so it appears that correspondence with Mary Henson, his mother, occurred. Coleman indicated he had visited mother once and tried again in 1989 while traveling with his older daughter, Martha Sue, but that he could not find her. There may be other pictures without names which I and other family members do not recognize. Hendley, Mattie Henson Tate

Born: 1888

Died: 1915, wife of Tom Tate and later Mr. Hendley.

Antioch Cemetery, Smith, Tyler, Texas

Source Citations

<ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/antioch.txt>

Located North of Hwy 31 on Farm Road 2908

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX

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Birth Date: 29 Sep 1889

Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1983669. Tate, Percy 20 M W TX TX SMITH 1 J-PCT 1930

Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 25th day of April 1930 - Image/Line #15

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&hitcount=673&p=501&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11845103%3B151797528%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=502>

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Tate, Percy (boarder) age 20

Texas Birth Index, 1903-1997

Name: Percy Tate

Date of Birth: 4 Jan 1910

Birth County: Smith

Certificate Number: 3581

Roll Number: 1910_0009.

14. Tate, Percy Jr.

Birth: 27 Nov 1948 M

Catherine Brown and Percy Tate

Vital Records - Smith County Births 1948

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1948/smitb48s.txt>.

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Name: Walter Harrison Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 29 Sep 1889

Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1983669. Tate, Marvin Theodore

Death: 22 Jan 1984

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Deaths 1984

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/deaths/1984/smitd84b.txt>.

16. Tate, Water H. 20 M W TN TX SMITH 2 J-PCT 1910

Thirteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas County of Smith 27-28 April 1910 - Image/Line #16-20

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=water&series=13&state=7&hitcount=1&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B6484610%3B28710254%3B13%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

Card number: 1000072301525

Tate, Water (sp of Walter) 20, Mary 19, one child Percy 6/12; brother "Edgar" 15; and a "sister" 9 born in TX but the name is illegible except for the "W" starting the name.

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World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918:

Name: Walter Harrison Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 29 Sep 1889

Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1983669. Tate, Charlie Elzie

Death: 24 Jul 1990

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Deaths 1990

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/deaths/1990/smitd90b.txt>.

17. Tate, Water H. 20 M W TN TX SMITH 2 J-PCT 1910

Thirteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas County of Smith 27-28 April 1910 - Image/Line #16-20

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Name: Walter Harrison Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 29 Sep 1889

Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1983669.

18. Mallett, Jo Ann

Birth: 1-3-1935 F

Vital Records - Smith County TX - Births

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1935/smilzb35.txt>

Parents: Hazel Marie Tate H. C. Mallett.

19. Tate, Jerry Dean

Birth: 22 Apr 1938

Died: 22 Aug 1963

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~taitandtate/Cem/tatetxcem.htm>

Son of Virginia Ruth Dean and Jack T. Tate.

20. Tate, Jenny Sue

Birth: 2 Dec 1945 F

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1945/smib0345.txt>

Virginia Ruth Dean and Jack Tate.

21. Tate, Mary Jacqueline

Birth: 13 Dec 1944 F

Vital Records - Smith County TX - Births 1944

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1944/smitb44c.txt>

Virginia Ruth Dean and Jack Travis Tate.

22. Tate, LD 37 M W TN TX SMITH 3 J-PCT (NORTH CENTRAL PART) 1930

Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 2nd day of April 1930 - Image/Line #43-47

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=3&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11845474%3B151824197%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=1>

Card number: 1000072301525

Tate, LD 37 TN; Lela S. 32 TX; Opal M. 14 TX; Artis B. 11 TX; Myrtle L. 9 TX

Tate, LD 26 M W TN TX SMITH 3-PCT 1920

Fourteenth Census of the United States - 1920, State of Texas, County: Smith, 27th day of ____ 1920 - Image/Line #20-

Source Citations

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<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=14&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=2&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B15857192%3B74895001%3B14%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

Card number: 1000072301525

Tate, LD 26 TN; Lela 21 TX; Opal 3-7/12 TX; and Artis 1-8/12 TX

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>

Tate, L. D. - b. 1893, d. 1949

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: L D Tate
City: Tyler
County: Smith
State: Texas
Birthplace: Tennessee
Birth Date: 29 Mar 1893
Race: White
Roll: 1983669. Tate, Joscie - 35 F W TN TX SMITH 4 J-PCT 1900
Twelfth Census of the United States - 1910, Schedule #1, Texas: County: Smith, District 7, 11th day of June 1900 - Image/Line #60-65

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=joscie&series=12&hitcount=1&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B17803240%3B110382540%3B12%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

Card number:: 1000072301525

Joscie - Dec 1865; Thomas - Jul 1887; Walter - Sep 1889; Hugh M. - Jun 1891; LD - Mar 1893; and Edgar - Mar 1894

Note: State born = Tennessee (all)

Josephine Hunt - http://www.familysearch.org/Eng/Search/AF/individual_record.asp?recid=21365727&lds=0®ion=-1®ionfriendly=&frompage=99.

23. Tate, LD 37 M W TN TX SMITH 3 J-PCT (NORTH CENTRAL PART) 1930
Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 2nd day of April 1930 - Image/Line #43-47

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=3&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11845474%3B151824197%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=1>

Card number: 1000072301525

Tate, LD 37 TN; Lela S. 32 TX; Opal M. 14 TX; Artis B. 11 TX; Myrtle L. 9 TX

Tate, LD 26 M W TN TX SMITH 3-PCT 1920
Fourteenth Census of the United States - 1920, State of Texas, County: Smith, 27th day of ____ 1920 - Image/Line #20-23

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=14&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=2&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B15857192%3B74895001%3B14%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

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Tate, LD 26 TN; Lela 21 TX; Opal 3-7/12 TX; and Artis 1-8/12 TX

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>

Tate, L. D. - b. 1893, d. 1949

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: L D Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 29 Mar 1893

Race: White

Roll: 1983669.

24. Tate, LD 37 M W TN TX SMITH 3 J-PCT (NORTH CENTRAL PART) 1930
Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 2nd day of April 1930 - Image/Line #43-47

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=3&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11845474%3B151824197%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=1>

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Tate, LD 26 M W TN TX SMITH 3-PCT 1920

Fourteenth Census of the United States - 1920, State of Texas, County: Smith, 27th day of ____ 1920 - Image/Line #20-23

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=14&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=2&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B15857192%3B74895001%3B14%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

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Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX

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Tate, L. D. - b. 1893, d. 1949

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: L D Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 29 Mar 1893

Race: White

Roll: 1983669. Tate, Artis B.

Death: 13 Nov 1986

Source Citations

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Deaths 1986

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/deaths/1986/smitd86b.txt>.

25. Tate, Artis Lawrence

Birth: 17 Oct 1940 M.

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1940

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1940/smi0240b.txt>

Parents: Mary Alice Beaver and Artis Tate.

26. Tate, Ronald

Birth: 15 Sep 1944 M

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1944

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1944/smitb44c.txt>

Parents: Mary Alice Beaver and Artis B Tate.

27. Tate, Ollie Elizabeth

Birth: 26 Oct 1947 F

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1947

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1947/smitb47s.txt>

Parents: Mary Alice Beaver and Artis Tate.

28. Tate, Ernest I. 34 M W TN TX SMITH 1-WD TYLER 1930

Fifteenth Census of the United States, State of Texas, County: Smith, 9th day of April 1930 - Image/Line #81-84

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&series=15&state=7&county=smith&birthplace=tennessee&countyid=1195&birthplaceid=234&hitcount=3&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B11844750%3B151766646%3B15%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

Card number: 1000072301525

Tate, Ernest I 34 TN; M. Ethel 32 TX; Dorothy B. 14 TX; Clarence 12 TX

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Edgar Q. Tate

City: Tyler

County: Smith

State: Texas

Birthplace: Tennessee

Birth Date: 28 Nov 1894

Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1983669

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX

<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>

Tate, E. Q. - b. 28 Nov 1894, d. 18 Apr 1932. Tate, Joscie - 35 F W TN TX SMITH 4 J-PCT 1900

Twelfth Census of the United States - 1910, Schedule #1, Texas: County: Smith, District 7, 11th day of June 1900 - Image/Line #60-65

<http://www.austinlibrary.com:2249/hqoweb/library/do/census/results/image?surname=tate&givenname=joscie&series=12&hitcount=1&p=1&urn=urn%3Aproquest%3AUS%3Bcensus%3B17803240%3B110382540%3B12%3B7&searchtype=1&offset=0>

Card number:: 1000072301525

Joscie - Dec 1865; Thomas - Jul 1887; Walter - Sep 1889; Hugh M. - Jun 1891; LD - Mar 1893; and Edgar - Mar 1894

Source Citations

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Josephine Hunt - http://www.familysearch.org/Eng/Search/AF/individual_record.asp?recid=21365727&lds=0®ion=-1®ionfriendly=&frompage=99.

29. Tate, Dorothy
Birth: 1 Dec 1915
Died: 2 Apr 1955

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>.

30. Tate, Clarence A.
Birth: 19 Apr 1917
Died: 8 June 1957

Liberty Hill Cemetery, Smith County, TX
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/cemetery/libertyhill.txt>.

31. Tate, Charlotte Ann
Birth: 10 Jun 1937 F

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1937
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1937/smitb37b.txt>
Parents: Lorene Vernon Clarence Alton Tate.

32. Tate, Charon Annette
Birth: 1 Aug 1938

Vital Records Smith County, TX - Births 1938
<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/tx/smith/vitals/births/1938/smib0338.txt>
Parents: Lorene Verson and Clarence Alton Tate.