

**GERMAN UNION CEMETERY**  
**THREE-GENERATION GENEALOGY**

*Created By: Ronald R. Prinzing*

Surname: **ABEL** Married Name No. 1: **BEYER (CHARLES FREDERICK)**  
Given Name: **EMMA** Married Name No. 2: **BEYER (WILLIAM FREDERICK)**  
Middle Name If Any: **HANNAH** Interred Name: **BEYER**  
Gender: **FEMALE**  
Date of Birth: **JANUARY 31, 1876**  
Place of Birth: **FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA**  
Date of Death: **OCTOBER 15, 1966**  
Place of Death: **RICE COUNTY – FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA**  
Place of Burial: **GERMAN UNION CEMETERY – FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA** Plot Number: **13b/c**

Father: **JOHN ABEL** Other Possible Spelling of First Name: **JOHANN**  
Date of Birth: **APRIL 1838**  
Place of Birth: **ZERNSDORF, SHERIN GERMANY**  
Date of Death: **MARCH 12, 1903**  
Place of Death: **FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA**  
Place of Burial: **MARCH 15, 1903 – GERMAN UNION CEMETERY – FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA** Plot Number: **53e**

Mother: **ELIZABETH SOPHIA DORA BOHME** Interred Name: **ABEL**  
Birth Date: **JUNE 1840**  
Place of Birth: **GERMANY**  
Date of Death: **MARCH 16, 1902**  
Place of Death: **FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA**  
Place of Burial: **GERMAN UNION CEMETERY – FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA** Plot Number: **53c**

Marital Status: **MARRIED** Date: **JANUARY 16, 1900** in FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA

Marriage 1. **CHARLES FREDERICK BEYER** born: JANUARY 19, 1873 in BRAUNSFORD, GERMANY

Children:

1. **MARIE ESTHER BEYER** born: OCTOBER 16, 1900 in FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY MINNESOTA
2. **ESTHER MARIE BEYER** born: SEPTEMBER 7, 1902 in FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA
3. **INFANT GIRL** born: 1904 – died: 1904 Note: (Age 1 – 2 Days)
4. **IRENE MARTHA BEYER** born: APRIL 15, 1907 in FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA

Marriage 2. Date: **AUGUST 4, 1921**  
**WILLIAM FREDERICK BEYER** born: AUGUST 7, 1864 in BRAUNSFORD, GERMANY

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Children:

1. **MARANIUS MAYNARD BEYER** born: NOVEMBER 25, 1923 in FOREST TOWNSHIP – RICE COUNTY – MINNESOTA

NOTE: STEP CHILDREN FROM MARRIAGE NO. 2

1. **KATE BEYER** born:
2. **MINNIE BEYER** born:
3. **CARL BEYER** born:

NOTE: WILLIAM FREDERICK BEYER ALSO HAD STEP CHILDREN PRIOR TO HIS MARRIAGE TO EMMA HANNAH BEYER (ABEL) – THEY WERE:

1. **HERMAN** born:
2. **ANNA** born:

(Source: Rice County Families Their History Our Heritage – Page Number 418)

NOTE: Charles Frederick Beyer and Emma Hannah Abel (Husband and Wife) were also foster parents to Elsie E. Beyer.

NOTE: The Burial – Removal – Transit Permit shows the place of burial to be ST. JOHN'S CEMETERY, which is the same as GERMAN UNION CEMETERY. St. John's Church, before its demise, was located nearby and the cemetery was sometimes referred to as ST. JOHN'S CEMETERY

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**OBITUARY**

**Last Name: BEYER**

**First Name: EMMA**

**Middle Name or Initial: HANNA**

**News Paper: FARIBAULT DAILY NEWS – FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA**

**Date: OCTOBER 28, 1966**

**Maiden Name: ABEL**

**Marriage No. 1: BEYER, (CHARLES FREDERICK)**

**Marriage No. 2: BEYER, (WILLIAM FREDERICK)**

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Emma H. Beyer of Faribault at 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 17 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Faribault with the Rev. Robert H. Sorenson officiating. Pallbearers were Dennis Christensen, Lt. Dayton Christensen, Ronald Prinzing, George Prinzing, Alvin Wadekakmper and Arnold Wadekamper. Interment was made in St. John's Cemetery in Forest Township. Mrs. Beyer was born Jan. 31, 1876 to John and Dora Behm Abel in Forest Township. She was a life-long resident of Rice county. She was united in marriage to Charles Beyer who preceded her in death. On Aug. 4, 1921 she became the bride of William Beyer. Mrs. Beyer was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church. She passed away Saturday morning, Oct. 15 at the age of 90 years at the Johnson Rest Home after an extended illness. Prayer services were held at the Boldt Funeral home on Sunday evening. Mrs. Beyer is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Elsie Wadekamper of Faribault; Mrs. Marie Walstad of Faribault; Mrs. Roland (Esther) Prinzing of Faribault and Mrs. Hans (Irene) Christensen of Northfield; one son, Maranius of Minneapolis; a step-daughter, Mrs. Minnie Ricketts of Milwaukee, Wis.; a step-son Carl Beyer of Dubuque, Iowa; ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren

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STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Section of Vital Statistics		<b>Burial - Removal - Transit Permit</b>		Permit No. _____
NAME OF DECEASED Emma Hannah Beyer		DATE OF DEATH Oct 15, 1966	DEATH COMMUNICABLE? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
SEX Female	AGE 90	PLACE OF DEATH (City, Village or Township) City of Faribault	(County) Rice	
METHOD OF DISPOSAL: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BURIAL <input type="checkbox"/> CREMATION <input type="checkbox"/> REMOVAL <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (specify) _____		PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery or crematory) (City, Village or Township, County, State) St John's Cemetery Forest Township Rice County Minn.		
SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR <i>[Signature]</i>		BUSINESS ADDRESS 118 N.W. 6th Street, Faribault, Minnesota		
Sub- A certificate of death having been filed as required by law, permission is hereby given to dispose of this body.				
SIGNATURE OF REGISTRAR <i>[Signature]</i>		(City, Village or Township) City of Faribault	(County) Rice	DATE ISSUED Oct 17, 1966
SIGNATURE OF PERSON IN CHARGE OF CONVEYANCE				
AUTHORIZED DISPOSITION AS STATED ABOVE OCCURRED ON: (Date)		SIGNATURE OF sexton OR CEMETERY OFFICIAL		DATE RECEIVED
1-14-64 2M 2K5 Order No. 80286 <span style="float: right;">◀</span>				

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**BEYER FAMILY MARKER**