# Death Records

## Montgomery County, Indiana

Information Commonly Found on a Death Record:

- name
- date of death
- place of death
- age at death
- color
- gender
- cause of death
- duration of illness
- exact time of death
- date and place of birth

- current residence
- occupation
- parents' names and birth places
- spouse's name, including maiden name for wife
- single, widowed or divorced
- place of burial
- name of funeral home
- name of physician or medical examiner
- name of informant & their relationship
- witnesses present at death

Note: Death record information varies; not all records have the same information.

## Indexes are available in the Local History Ready Reference section:

*Index to the Death Records of Montgomery County, Indiana*
  Vol 1   1882-1920
  Vol 2   1921-1950
  Vol 3   1951-1980
RL 929.3 Ind

*Deaths in Montgomery County, Indiana, 1830s+*
compiled by Pauline Randel Walters, New Ross, IN, 1973
RL 929.3 Wal

*Saint Bernards' Catholic Church Death register*
March 1933 - January 1998, 2 vols., includes index
RL 929.3 Sai

How to Read a Death Record Index

**Column headings are:**

| Name | Sex | Age | Death Date | Location | Book | | Page |
|------|-----|-----|-----------|----------|------|---|------|
| BANNISTER, Infant | M | 20 hrs | 3- 1-1890 | Montgomery Co. | | 2 | 50 |
| Martha | F | 30 | 5-13-1894 | Crawfordsville | CH | 38 | 7 |
| William | M | 62 | 1-22-1897 | Crawfordsville | | 3 | 15 |
| BANNON, Clara | F | 30 | 2- 9-1907 | Indiana | H | 41 | 8 |
| Sarah | F | 16 | 1889 | Montgomery Co. | | 2 | 36 |
| BANTON, Thomas | M | 77 | 6- 5-1903 | Darlington | H 33 II | | 74 |
| BANTZ, Logan Rewster | M | 24 | 10-14-1918 | Crawfordsville | CH | 41 | 24 |
| BAPPERT, Augustus | M | 75 | 8-15-1909 | Crawfordsville | CH | 40 | 36 |
| BARBER, Nancy E. | F | 49 | 9-30-1902 | Ladoga | H | 33 | 63 |
| BARBOUR, W. H. | M | 64 | 3-11-1895 | Crawfordsville | | 4 | 49 |

The Books are listed with a **CH** or **H** or **nothing** preceding the number.

## Books with CH (City Health Office) or H (County Health Office):

**CH** or **H** books are on microfilm and can be consulted on site.

Note: Roll #15 is missing.

## Books without CH or H:

Some death records have been scanned as .pdf files and are available on the Local History microfilm computer. These include:   H1, H2, H3, H4, H32, H34, CH37, CH38.

Note: Some of the .pdf files are multi-page files.