



## United States and Canada Case Study Research Problem

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Research ideas and documentation for Ford C. Potter and family, including:

- Birth, marriage, death, burial
- Spouse(s) and children
- Parents and siblings
- Grandparents

Ford C. Potter, b. 1870 Michigan, d. 1943 Oregon, Findagrave.com, Rose City Cemetery, Portland, Multnomah, Oregon

His father is Solon O. Potter, b. 1837 Michigan, d. 1909 Indian Creek, Iowa  
1885 state census Kansas, Sheridan, Ottawa, S.O. Potter a hotel keeper  
Findagrave.com shows tombstone, "Solon O. Potter, U.S. Military R.R. 1837-1909"

### **Spouse(s)**

Carrie E. Munkers (1900 census)  
B. 1871 Oregon  
M. 22 April 1893, Benton County, Oregon  
D.

Sabrina (Salma) Courtwright (1920 census)  
B. 1869  
M. 1913 February 7, Marriage license Oregonian newspapers, Portland, Oregon, Ford C. Potter, White River, Oregon, 42 and Salma Courtwright, 40  
D. 1924 26 September, Sabina Courtwright Potter, aged 54 years, wife of Ford C. Potter, Oregonian Portland Newspaper

Huldah L. (1940 census)  
B. born about 1880, Wisconsin  
M. 20 April 1932 marriage license, Oregonian Newspaper  
D.

1908 20 August, The News-Record, Enterprise, Wallowa County, Oregon, James G. Henderson to Ford C. Potter, a five acre tract for \$1.00

1920 Oregon Motor Vehicle Transcripts at Ancestry.com in Sherwood

1920 living in Oregon with Sabrina A.

1924 January, Portland, motor vehicle transcripts

1930 Widower, Fred Potter

1932 April, marriage license, Oregonian Portland Newspaper

1940 Huldah, born Texas, age 62

1943 obituary Ford C. Potter, Genealogy Bank, does not mention any children, does mention siblings

1943, 27 January Ancestry.com Oregon Death Index

### **Siblings**

1. Mark
2. Lilly
3. Ford
4. Jessie

Children:

1. Osborn only listed in 1900 census
- 2.

Mother-in-law Mary Crane

1880 Ford is 10 years of age with his father, in Minneapolis, Ottawa, Kansas