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Birth: Jun. 24, 1796
Wakefield
Carroll County
New Hampshire, USA

Death: Sep. 20, 1868
Bingham
Somerset County
Maine, USA



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Family links:

Parents:

- Turner Willey (1772 - 1851)
- Esther Gilman *Drew* Willey (1776 - 1860)

Spouse:

- Fanny *Spofford* Gilman (1797 - 1887)

Children:

- Sarah Spofford *Gilman* Spofford (1823 - 1911)*
- David Gilman (1832 - 1922)*
- Lucy J. *Gilman* French (1839 - 1930)*
- Esther Ann *Gilman* Cooley (1842 - 1888)*

Siblings:

- David Gilman (1796 - 1868)
- Rebecca *Drew Willey* Harlow (1802 - 1884)*
- Turner William Willey (1806 - 1887)*

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Inscription:

DAVID GILMAN
DIED
Sept. 20, 1868.
AE. 72 ys. 3 ms.

Note: 26 Jan 2014 - Linked to parents and transferred to Lisa Clark.

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Birth: Nov. 22, 1776
Wakefield
Carroll County
New Hampshire, USA

Death: May 4, 1860
Athens
Somerset County
Maine, USA



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Father: Jedediah DREW*
b: 04 NOV 1748 in Dover, Strafford, NH
d: JAN 1817 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH

Mother: Abigail Esther WHITEHOUSE*
b: 17 FEB 1749 in Dover, Strafford, NH
d: DEC 1823 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH
Married: 1766 in Dover, Strafford, NH

Marriage: Turner WILLEY*
b: 10 FEB 1772 in Brookfield, Carroll, NH
d: 1851 in Athens, Somerset, ME
Married: 1795 in Wakefield, Carroll, NH

"She was a sturdy, resolute character. When her husband went to St. John's river for 3 years to work, she cleared land, raised crops, and supported the family with the help of a 12 yr old boy (her son?) and her father in law. They pounded their corn and wheat for bread in a hard wood trough. For soda, in those days the ashes of burnt cobs was used, or a lye made from common ashes boiled down a little. After Mr. Willey's return they built a framed house and barn. Some 20 or 30 years after taking up the land they sold to a Mr. Shorey-- hence the name "Shorey Corner". Then they began anew two miles or so farther north."

US CENSUS: 1810 Athens, Somerset, ME
US CENSUS: 1820 1830 Bingham, Somerset, ME
US CENSUS: 1840 Athens, Somerset,
US CENSUS: 1850 Bingham, Somerset, ME

Children:
Rebecca Drew WILLEY***
b: 26 AUG 1802 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: 04 OCT 1884 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
Marriage1: Joseph Nudd PHILBRICK***
b: 1801 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH
(son of Levi PHILBRICK and Polly NUDD)
Married: 12 NOV 1824 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
Marriage2: Chandler HARLOW
Married: 29 APR 1851 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME

David GILMAN
b: 24 JUN 1796 in Wakefield, Carroll, NH
d: 20 SEP 1868 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
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Marriage: Fanny SPOFFORD
b: 15 JUL 1797 in Claremont, Sullivan, NH
Married: 1819 in Bingham, Somerset, Maine



Rest in Peace, From a grateful descendant.

- [Lisa Clark](#)

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(He was born Jonathan WILLEY. After a fight with his father Turner WILLEY he changed his name, taking his mother's middle name as his last.)

Daniel Smith WILLEY

b: 10 MAY 1798 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: 18 MAY 1820 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH

Elizabeth WILLEY

b: 24 JUL 1800 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH

Turner William WILLEY

b: 26 OCT 1806 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: 16 NOV 1887 in Athens, Somerset, ME

Mary WILLEY

b: 05 AUG 1809 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH

John WILLEY

b: 27 MAY 1812 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: aft 1870 in Solon, Somerset, ME
Marriage: Susan CUMMINGS
b: 1816 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
Married: 18 NOV 1840 in Bingham, Somerset, ME

Simeon WILLEY

b: 1813 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH
d: aft 1850 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME
Marriage: Abigail PHILBRICK
b: 1816 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH
(dau. of Levi PHILBRICK and Mary Polly NUDD)
d: aft 1850 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME
Married: 19 OCT 1834 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME

Esther WILLEY

b: 27 JAN 1815 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: in Bingham, Somerset, ME

Stephen WILLEY

b: 09 MAY 1817 in Bingham, Somerset, ME
d: in Bingham, Somerset, ME

Family links:

Spouse:

Turner Willey (1772 - 1851)*

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