

PIONEER--- AMELIA READ BAILEY

Amelia Read Bailey----Ogden Feb. 1, 1897

Amelia was born at North Crawley, Bucks, England daughter of William Bailey and Sarah Brinley Bailey. She was born the 2nd of Oct. 1813.

Died in Ogden City, Utah on the 10th, of Oct. 1896 at the age of 86, almost without a moments notice. She was buried from the Second Ward Meeting house on Oct 13, 1896.

She was married to Henry Bailey on the 20th day of June, 1833. She was the mother of 10 children- 5 boys and 5 girls, also the grandmother of 42 grand children and 4 great grandchildren. Her children are as follows; William Henry, Sarah Elizabeth, Joseph Moroni, Sarah Elizabeth, Nephi, Lenora, Tryphena, Alvin, Mary Ellen and John Ezra. She was baptized in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints by Elder Robert Harten in 1846. At that time I was commencing to travel and labor in the Manchester Conference.

And we made our home at New Mills in Derbyshire where I raised up a Branch in that town and represented them in the General Conference. Our house was always a home for the missionaries and she always felt to act as a mother to them and myself as a father.

The choir, under the leadership of Prof. Hitch Cliff, furnished sweet music on the occasion of my dear wife's funeral and the speakers referred to her in the highest praise as a kind hearted wife and a true mother.

She died as she had lived a faithful Latter-day Saint. The brethren Welch and Hall Brother Thomas Hall of Salt Lake City, and our Bishop Elder Mc Quarrie, spoke words of comfort and consolation to Brother Bailey.

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She had the following brothers and sisters; William Smith Read, Joel Read, James Read, Naomi, Josiah, Jesse, John, Tryphena, Ezra.