

GUILD BURIAL GROUND

Walpole, Massachusetts

LOCATION

This cemetery is located on Old Post Road near Common Street on the Sharon line.

ANCESTRY

John Guild, born about 1616 in England died 4 October 1682 in Dedham. John married Elizabeth Crooke on 24 January 1645 in Dedham. Elizabeth, born in Roxbury died 31 August 1669 in Dedham.

John's son Samuel, born 7 November 1647 in Dedham died 1 January 1730 in Dedham. Samuel married Mary Woodcock, daughter of John Woodcock and Sarah Curtis on 29 November 1676 in Dedham. Mary, born 9 March 1650/51 in Roxbury died after 1697 in Medfield.

Samuel's son Nathaniel born 12 January 1678 in Dedham died 28 January 1774 in Dedham. Nathaniel married Mehitable Farrington or Hartshorne. Mehitable born about 1684 died 10 February 1771 in Dedham.

Nathaniel's son Nathaniel born 20 March 1712 in Dedham died 9 December 1796 in Walpole. Nathaniel married Mary Boyden, daughter of Thomas Boyden and Deborah Wight on 12 June 1733 in Dedham. Mary was born 9 February 1708 in Wrentham and died 20 March 1776 in Walpole. Nathaniel also married Anna _____ 27 April 1777 in Walpole. Anna was born about 1722 and died 28 November 1797 in Sharon. This Nathaniel Guild probably was the individual who gave the land for and was the first person to be buried in the Guild Burial Ground.

FACTS

In correspondence dated 28 October 1996, William P. McCann of Birmingham, Alabama, an 11th generation grandson of the immigrant John Guild and his wife Elizabeth Crooke, provided The Walpole Historical Society with certain data gathered as a result of his visit to the Guild Burial Ground. These included a 1917 photo of the cemetery, a schematic diagram of the cemetery, actual epitaph verbiage as well as descriptions and locations of headstones and the Guild Tomb. These items are available for viewing at the Walpole Historical Society.

LISTING

Although not documented as such, the following listing is based on a “walk through” or inventory that was most likely completed by a member or members of the historical society and Mr. McCann. Because not all dates were captured during the inventory, we have attempted to verify missing dates through vital records and other sources. These are so noted.

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NAME	DOD	DOB/AGE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
Anderson, Kjersti	4 Jan. 1883(Sharon) Mass Deaths Vol. 347, Page 286	18 yrs., 7 mos., 15 das.	Terrace 1	“Christine”
Baker, Amelia R.	10 Feb. 1876 (Sharon) Mass Deaths Vol. 284, page	68 yr., 5 mo., 17 das.	Baker Plot Terrace 1	Wife, William, nee Hunkings of New Chester, NH

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Baker, Clarissa Jane	11 Feb. 1835 (Sharon VR's)	4 yr., 8 mos.	Baker Plot Terrace 1	Daug., William and Amelia (Hunkings)
Baker, Ebenezer	24 July 1810	29 July 1775 (Walpole VR's)	Terrace 6	Son, Ebenezer and Esther (Boyden) Source: Genealogy of Richard Baker, NEHGR 43:286
Baker, Ebenezer	9 Feb. 1864 (Walpole) Mass Deaths Vol. 175, page 281	22 June 1803 (Walpole VR's)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Son, Ebenezer (1775-1810) and Lucy (Maxfield)
Baker, Ellen E.	26 Aug. 1915	Abt. 1848, Ossippe, NH (Per marriage record)	Baker Plot Terrace 1	"Evelyn" daug., Edmond Dorr and Lydia, wife #2, Frederick H.
Baker, Esther	6 Jan. 1805	68 yrs. (1737, Walpole VR's)	Terrace 6	Wife, Ebenezer, daug., David Boyden and Prudence (Leach) Source: Thomas Boyden and His Descendants, online searchable database, NEHGS website
Baker, Frank Wallace	30 May 1920	May 1882, Sharon (Mass Births Vol. 332, Page 315)	Baker Plot Terrace 1	Son, Fred H. and Ellen E. (Dorr) "twin"
Baker, Franklin	4 Sept. 1844	20 June 1843 (Sharon VR's)	Baker Plot Terrace 1	Son, William and Amelia (Hunkings)
Baker, Fred H.	15 Feb. 1911	73 yr., 8 mos., 23 da.	Baker Plot Terrace 1	Son, William and Amelia (Hunkings)
Baker, Hannah	23 Aug. 1806	1 yr., 4 mos.	Terrace 6	Daug., Ebenezer (1775-1810) and

				Lucy (Maxfield)
Baker, John	29 Aug. 1856, Walpole Mass Deaths Vol. 103, Page 183)	31 Jan. 1836 (Walpole VR's)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Son, Ebenezer (1803-1864) and Relief (Drake)
Baker, Julia Frances	23 Oct. 1828	22 March 1828	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Ebenzer (1803-1864) and Relief (Drake)
Baker, Lucy	4 Sept 1846 (Sharon VR's)	67 yrs., Dorchester (Per daug.'s death record) Baptized 1 Dec. 1776	Terrace 6	Daug. Samuel Maxfield, wife, Ebenezer (1775- 1810 Source : Dorchester First Church Baptisms NEHGR 68:238 (July 1914)
Baker, Lucy	28 May 1891, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 419, Page 481)	6 August 1809	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Ebenezer (1775-1810) and Lucy Maxfield
Baker, Martha			Baker Plot Terrace 2	Unable to locate.
Baker, Martha Ann	23 April 1866, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 193, page 283)	17 Sept. 1832, No. Yarmouth, ME (Per death record)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Benjamin Davis and Elizabeth, wife Ebenezer
Baker, Martha Ann	4 Nov. 1858, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 121, Page 219)	17 Oct. 1832 (Walpole VR's)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Ebenezer (1803-1864) and Relief (Drake)
Baker, Mary F.	30 May 1868, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 212, page 276)	29 yr., 2 mos., 12 das., Medfield (Per death record)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Lovell Fairbanks and Keziah (Cole), wife #1, Frederick H.
Baker, Nellie Frances	12 Feb. 1868, Sharon (Mass	20 June 1867,	Baker Plot	Daug, Frederick H. and Mary

	Deaths Vol. 212, Page 276)	Sharon (Mass Births Vol. 197, Page 337)	Terrace 1	(Fairbanks)
Baker, Relief	9 Nov. 1887, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 383, page 320)	28 Dec. 1802, Mansfield (per death record)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Oliver Drake and Ruth Sever, wife, Ebenezer (1803-1864)
Baker, Sarah E.	21 April 1899, Cambridge (Mass Deaths Vol. 493, page 342)	25 Nov. 1829, Augusta, ME VR's	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., James Whittier and Sally R. (Lock)
Baker, William	5 May 1867 (Sharon) (Mass Deaths Vol. 203, page 254)	4 Sept. 1801 (Walpole VR's)		Son, Ebenezer (1775-1810) and Lucy (Maxfield)
Billings, Betsey	24 24 July 1875, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 275, Page 276)	18 Dec. 1806 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 1	Wife, Jonathan (1803- 1860), daug., William Tolman and Eunice (Hewins)
Billings, Bradford	11 Nov. 1871, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 239, page 309)	13 Nov. 1796, Sharon	Between terraces 4 and 5	Son, Jonathan and Mary (Fisher)
Billings, Hartford	30 Nov. 1823, Sharon	9 Dec. 1782, Sharon	Between terraces 4 and 5	Son, Jonathan and Mary (Fisher)
Billings, Harvey Tolman	12 Nov. 1883, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 347, page	50 yrs., 3 mos., 3 das.	Terrace 1	Son, Jonathan and Betsey (Tolman) Death records

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Billings, Jonathan	2 Nov. 1827, Sharon	16 August 1749, Stoughton	Terrace 6	Son, Jonathan and Sarah (Guild) Source: Roger Billings of Milton, Mass and Some of His Descendants NEHGR 92:376-377 (1938) American Revolution
Billings, Jonathan	10 Feb. 1860, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 203, Page 273)	9 July 1803 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 1	Son, Jonathan and Mary (Fisher)
Billings, Mary Jane	15 Oct. 1858, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 121, Page 216)	18 yrs.	Terrace 1	Daug., Jonathan and Betsey (Tolman)
Billings, Mary A.	23 Sept. 1846, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 27, Page 108)	19 March 1763 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 6	Wife #2 Jonathan (1749- 1827), daug., Thomas Fisher and Mary (Pettee)
Billings, Susanna	16 Jan. 1807, Sharon	14 May, 1786 (Sharon VR's)	Between Terraces 4 and 4	Daug., Nathaniel and Miriam (Bullard)
Clark, Beerli	1898, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 482, Page 592)	1816 (Unable to locate.)	Left rear	At time of marriage, was of Boston.
Clark, child	?	?	Left rear	Poison Ivy patch
Clark, child	?	?	Left rear	Poison Ivy Patch
Clark, Maria	1901, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 578, page 115)	3 March 1817 (Walpole VR's)	Left rear	Daug., Nathaniel Guild (1769-1848) and Caty (Willet)

Fisher, Caroline	31 August 1897 (Unable to locate)	12 August 1812 (Unable to locate)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Daug., Herman Guild and Peggy/Margaret (Pettee), w. Cyrus Fisher
Fisher, Cyrus	20 Feb. 1880, Canton (Mass Deaths Vol. 320, Page 220)	15 August 1809 (Medway VR's)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Son, Elihu and Rhoda (Partridge) Source: John Partridge and His Descendants NEHGR 57:397 (1903)
Gere, Mary Elizabeth	26 Nov. 1860, Brooklyn, NY	10 August 1829 (Walpole VR's)	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Ebenzer and Relief (Drake), wife of Edward
Guild, Adeline	5 August 1855, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 94, Page 169)	20 Dec. 1805 (Walpole VR's)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Daug., Samuel Nason and Fanny (Mann), wife #1, Charles (1805-1887)
Guild, Caroline M.	3 June 1859, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 130, Page 186)	9 August 1837 (Dedham per death record)	Guild Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Charles and Cynthia Kingsbury
Guild, Caty	26 March 1861, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 148, Page 287)	86 yrs., 6 mos. (Walpole per death record)	Right rear	Daug. Andrew Willett and Sybil (Hartshorne), wife, Nathaniel (1769- 1848), nee Willett
Guild, Charles	15 March 1880, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 320, Page 258)	1 August 1801 (Dedham per death record)	Guild Plot Terrace 2	Son, Abner and Sarah (Dean)
Guild, Charles	27 August 1887, Walpole (Mass Deaths	18 July 1805, (Walpole per death record)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Son, Herman and Margaret (Pettee)

	Vol. 383, Page 320)			
Guild, Charles Henry	20 Nov. 1906, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 88, Page 527)	11 April 1833, (Dedham per death record)	Guild Plot Terrace 2	Son, Charles of Dedham and Cynthia (Kingsbury)
Guild, Curtis	12 Nov. 1822 (UTL)	14 January 1799 (Walpole VR's)	Right rear	Son, Nathaniel and Caty (Willette)
Guild, Cynthia	18 Dec. 1893, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 437, page 564)	25 Dec. 1805 (Walpole, per death certificate)	Guild Plot Terrace 2	Daug., William Kingsbury and Susannah (Maxfield), wife Charles (1801-1880) of Dedham
Guild, Frances Adeline	Feb. 1905	10 March 1833 (Walpole VR's)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Daug., Charles and Adeline (Nason)
Guild, Herman	11 Oct. 1847, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 33, Page 136)	14 Jan. 1773 (Walpole VR's)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Son, Nathaniel (1741-1793) and Rebecca (Hart)
Guild, Jacob	15 Feb. 1824 (UTL)	9 Oct. 1800 (Walpole VR's)	Right rear	Son, Nathaniel (1769-1848) and Caty (Willett)
Guild, Jane	Dec. 1824 UTL	Dec. 1807 (Unable to locate)	Guild Tomb Terrace	
Guild, Margaret	30 Oct. 1846 (31 October 1845, Walpole VR's)	25 Dec. 1781 (Walpole VR's)	Guild Tomb Terrace 4	Daug., Benjamin Pettee and Margaret (Clap), wife, Herman
Guild, Nathaniel	9 Sept. 1796	87 yrs. (abt. 1709)	Right rear	Son, Nathaniel (1678-1774) and Mehitable (Farrington or Hartshorne) Revolutionary War
Guild, Nathaniel, Jr.	1 April 1793	52 yrs.	Right rear	Son, Nathaniel (1712-1796) and

				Mary (Boyden) Revolutionary War Source: Thomas Boyden Descendancy
Guild, Nathaniel	24 March 1848 (Walpole VR's)	19 Sept 1769 (Walpole VR's)		Son, Nathaniel (1741-1793) and Rebecca (Hart)
Guild, Rebecca	20 Aug. 1830	8 Dec. 1748 (Dedham VR's)	Right rear	Daug., Jacob and Sarah (Farrington), wife, Nathaniel (1741-1793)
Hartshorn, Calvin	8 Nov.1889, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 401, page 335)	2 March 1804 (Holden VR's)	Left rear	Son, Ebenezer and Betsey (Greenwood)
Hartshorn, Calvin Guild	13 Feb. 1932	23 Feb. 1840 (Walpole VR's)	Left rear	Son, Calvin and Mary Ann (Guild)
Hartshorn, Edward Curtis	21 April 1849 (Walpole VR's)	22 Sept. 1844 (Walpole VR's)		Son, Calvin and Mary Ann (Guild)
Hartshorn, Mary Ann	19 Jan.1891, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 419, page 481)	7 October 1807 (Walpole VR's)		Daug., Nathaniel Guild (1769-1848) and Caty (Willett), wife, Calvin.
Hersey, Hannah G.	5 Nov. 1884, 148 Dorchester St., South Boston (Mass Deaths Vol. 357, page 297)	7 Jan 1814 (Sharon VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 4	Daug., Benjamin Rhoades and Hannah (Flower), wife, Quincy.

Hewins, Abigail	April 1842	41 yrs., 3 mos. (abt. 1801)	Terrace 4 Behind Guild Tomb	Wife, Otis
Hewins, Enoch	Oct. 12 1822 (Sharon VR's)	5 March 1823 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 4 Behind Guild Tomb	Son, Philip and Lucy
Hewins, Howard	22 Jan. 1828 (Sharon VR's)	17 May 1815 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 4 Behind Guild tomb	Son, Philip and Lucy
Hewins, Otis, W.	14 Jan. 1877, Dedham (Mass Deaths Vol. 293, page 252)	67 yrs., 2 mos., Sharon (Per death record)	Terrace 4, behind Guild Tomb	Son, Philip and Lucy
Hewins, Philip	20 Sept. 1827	12 Feb. 1776 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 4, behind Guild Tomb.	Son, Enoch and Sarah (Hewins)
Holmes, Sarah A.	8 May 1856, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 103, page 180)	15 yrs., Freetown, ME (Per death record) abt. 1840	Rhoades Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Herman and Anne M. (McCurdy) Gravestone reads daug., Benjamin Rhoades and Ann.
Johnson, Cora M.	?	1892	Terrace 5	Wife, Joseph A. Unable to locate.
Johnson, Joseph A.	1941	1868	Terrace 5	Unable to locate.
Johnson, Joseph A., Jr.	1939	1915	Terrace 5	Son, Joseph A. and Cora Unable to locate
McCurdy, Margaret	4 April 1845, Sharon VR's	21 yrs., 4 mos., New Boston, NH	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Daug., Robert and Rosanna VR's list Margaret

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Montrose, Dorothy E.	1932	1920	Terrace 5	
Montrose, James A.	1920	1918	Terrace 5	
Pierce, Dennis A.	12 March 1883, E. Douglas (Mass Deaths 348, page 394)	1842, Rochester (Per Death Record)	Terrace 6	Son, Dennis and Lydia (Rhoades)
Pierce George A.	1910, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 103, Page 138)	15 March 1846, Rochester VR's	Terrace 6	Son, Dennis A. and Lydia (Rhoades)
Pierce, Lydia B.	1906, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 88, Page 485)	1825	Terrace 6	Wife, Dennis A., nee Rhoades.
Pierce, Sarah V.	1923	5 April 1849, Plymouth VR's	Terrace 6	Daug., Calvin Raymond and Sarah Douglas, wife, George A.
Rhoades, Amos	24 July 1880, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 320, Page 258)	1795 (B., Sharon per Death Record.)	Terrace 6	Son, Daniel and Lydia (Rhoads of Dedham)
Rhoades, Ann M.	3 March 1901, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 518, Page 105)	88y, 6 mo, Sharon? abt. 1812	Rhoades Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Robert McCurdy and Rosanna, wife Benjamin, Jr. (d. 1891), wid. Herman Holmes
Rhoades, B. Frank	21 Nov. 1922		Rhoades Plot Terrace 2	
Rhoades, Benjamin	4 May 1832	70 yrs., 10 mos. (abt. 1761)	Rhoades Plot	Captain

			Terrace 3	
Rhoades, Benjamin "Franklin"	22 Dec. 1891, Milford (Mass Deaths Vol. 419, page 476)	83y, 2mos., abt. 1808, Sharon (Per death record) Bp. 7 August 1814, (Ashfield VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 2	Son, Benjamin and Hannah (Flower)
Rhoades, Benjamin Francis	9 Aug. 1883 (Unable to locate)	15 March 1845 (Sharon VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Son, Benjamin, Jr. (d. 1891) and Ann (McCurdy)
Rhoades, Charles E.	30 Oct. 1858 (Unable to locate)	14 June 1821 (Sharon VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Son, Benjamin and Harriet (Keith)
Rhoades, Charles, W.	9 August 1883	24 yrs., 1 mo., 19 das.	Rhoades Plot Terrace 2	Died, Lake City, LA
Rhoades, Daniel	1830	1752	Unable to locate	Husband of Lydia "Rhodes" of Dedham.
Rhoades, Francis E.	11 Jan. 1849, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 15, page 78)	12 March 1827 (Sharon VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Son, Capt. Benjamin and Harriet (Keith)
Rhoades, Hannah	7 Jan. 1814 (Sharon VR's)	23 yrs. Bp. 13 August 1780, (Ashfield VR's)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Daug., William Flower and Hannah, wife #1, Capt. Benjamin
Rhoades, Harriet	28 August 1838 (Sharon VR's)	15 March 1796 (Walpole VR's)	Rhoades Plot, Terrace 3	Daug., John Keith and Prudence, wife #2, Capt. Benjamin
Rhoades, Jonathan	11 Feb. 1845 (Sharon VR's)	Unable to locate.	Unable to locate.	Son, Capt. Benjamin and Harriet (Keith)
Rhoades, Mehetable	27 Jan. 1843 (Sharon VR's)	89 Yrs. (abt. 1724)	Rhoades Plot Terrace 3	Daug., Nathaniel Coney and _____, wife, Jeremiah.
Rhoades, Nellie M.	21 Sept. 1869, Sharon (Mass	Abt. 1821	Rhoades Plot	Daug., Warren H. Holmes (B.

	Deaths Vol. 221, Page 279)	Unable to locate.	Terrace 3	Sharon) and Ann (Gay), wife, B. Frank
Rhoades, Zilphia	14 July 1872, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 248, Page 362)	1793 (abt. 1790) maybe Scituate?????	Terrace 6	Daug., Levi Simmons and Barbara, wife, Amos
Richardson, Emeline	22 August 1891, Sharon (Mass Deaths Vol. 419, Page 476)	24 March 1811 (Sharon VR's)	Terrace 1	Daug., Benjamin Rhoades and Hannah (Flower), wife, Isaac "Emmiline"
Richardson, Isaac	11 March 1887, Boston (Mass Deaths Vol. 384, Page 71)	76yrs., 10mo., Medway (Per death record) (abt. 1810)	Terrace 1	Son, Isaac (b, Foxboro) and "Barbray" (b. Bridgewater At time of marriage (1832), was of New Bedford.
Richardson, Sylvia	16 Oct. 1870, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 230, Page 238)	77yrs. (Per death record, b. Walpole) abt. 1793	Baker Plot Terrace 2	Daug., Oliver Drake and Bethia, wife John
Turner, John	17 Jan. 1855, Medfield (Mass Deaths Vol. 94, page 148)	1 Mar. 1785 (Walpole VR's)	Left rear	Son, Nathaniel and Lucy.
Turner, Polly	21 Nov. 1864, Walpole (Mass Deaths Vol. 175, page 282)	78 yrs. (abt. 1786)	Left rear	Daug., Nathaniel Guild (1741-1793) and Rebecca (Hart), wife, John