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# LETTER HOME

# Andrew Engleman to wife Anna Maria Evilsizer

Eldorado County California July the 20th 1851

Dear wife.

I once more by the Mercy of God embrace the opportunity to inform you that I am still well and in good health and spirits. Hoping that those few lines may find you and the children enjoying the same or similar so.

I will now let you know that me, and Lee and Isaac are still mining to gather yet and expect to as long as we stay in California. We are still in Misouri Kanion yet where we have bin for about eight months out in the mountains about twelve miles from George town and about four miles from a

little town called Gray Eagle City which is on what is called the middle fork of a Merican river. We have our provisions packed to us from a trading post about one mile from where we are at work. We have not bin out of this Kanion but once or twice farther than the trading post since we have bin here.

As we have our letters brought to this trading post by express which goes from the MidleAmerican river to Coloma Sacramento and San Francisco for letters. This is the surest way to get our letters that is all, though it is very few that I have ever got from you. Not one word have I ever seen or heard from you except from my Dear father whom I never shall forget and one letter that July Ann rote to Isaac. Mentioned that you wanted me to come home which is every thing that I ever have heard from you. I Hope that you have

not forgotten me. Many is the times that I have thought of you and the dear little children with tears trinkling down my face. Many are the letters that I have rote to you and Jacob and Martin and Abraham and never have received but one from any of you and that was rote November the 6th 1850. But whether that is all you have rote or not I can't tell but I hope that it is not. It is all that I have received as yet from any of you. I will now let you know that I received one on the 14th of this month from my dear father rote May the 12th 1851 which gave me much sadisfaction to hear that they are all well and that he had bin out to Crawford last week and found you all well at that time and doing well and that you looked better than he ever saw you and that the children were all well at that time but that they had all had the hooping cough and that Thomas had had the araciples but was now going to school which gave me much sadisfaction. have rote to you in two of my letters before to send them all the chance you have. He rote that young son of mine was the finest that you ever have had and that you call him Isaac Andrew which is a great big name. He also informed me that Jacob had lost their son. Jesse died with Croop which I am very sorry to hear but for them not to greave too much for he is better off than any of us and that they shall try to meet him where parting shall be no more. I am very sorry to think that I never will see Mother in law any more in this world but I hope to meet her in heaven. Isaac is very much hurt to think that he will see

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# FOUND CARL BAKER

Name: Carl L Baker Gender: Male

Date of Death: 23 April 1997 Birth Date: 03 July 1938

Volume: 31125 Certificate: 042189 Autopsy: No

Social Security Number: 277322849

Father's Surname: Baker Time of Death: 5:05 PM Marital Status: Married

Hispanic Origin: Non Hispanic Place of Death: Residence Years of Schooling: 11 Certifier: Physician Referred to Coroner: No Method of Disposition: Burial Mother's Surname: Evilsizor

Race: White

Birth Place: Madison County, Ohio

Residence: Ohio

Age: 58

Thank you Robin Laughlin for identifying this man.

He is the son of George Bake and Elva Irene Evilsizor Elva was born 11/30/1895 in Champaign Co, OH and died 5/21/1974. She was the daughter of William Irvin Evilsizor, II and Mary Estella Haney.

Carl's wife is Norma J Stokes

# JAMES ARTHUR EVILSIZER

Name: EVILSIZER, JAMES ARTHUR

Date of Birth: June 18, 1930 Death Date: May 24, 1994

Sex: Male Race: White Age: 63 Years

Place of Occurrence: Salisbury, Rowan, North

Carolina

Place of Residence: . Rowan, North Carolina

Autopsy: No

Hospital: General Hospital 100 Beds & Over

Marital Status: Married Attendant: Medical Examiner Mode of Burial: Cremation in state

State of Birth: Ohio

Social Security Number: 300225952 Fathers Surname: EVILSIZER

Place of Injury:

EVILSIZER, JAMES ARTHUR

SFC US ARMY

VETERAN SERVICE DATES: Unknown - 04/30/1972 DATE OF BIRTH: 06/18/1930

DATE OF DEATH: 05/24/1994

DATE OF INTERMENT: 05/27/1994 BURIED AT: SECTION D SITE 372 SALISBURY NATIONAL CEMETERY

Name: James A Evilsizer

Date Eligible to Return from Overseas: 27

May 1969

Date Recommended Award Received: 08 Mar

1969

Date Award Forwarded: 01 May 1969

Service/Country: U.S. Army Command/Staff: I Corps

Recommended Award: Bronze Star Medal (Approved Award: Bronze Star Medal (Service) Location Award Presented: Award Presented in Republic of Vietnam [South Vietnam] (RVN) Posthumous: Award presented while Living

Name: James A Evilsizer

Date Eligible to Return from Overseas: 27

May 1969

Date Recomm Award Received: 29 Sep 1969
Date Award Forwarded: 13 Nov 1969

Service/Country: U.S. Army

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his dear mother no more in this world but he hopes to meet her in heaven where parting shall be no more. You need not think that because we are in a farin land that we are like the natives. Have no care nor fear many is the time that we think of our future days to come. I now will let you know something about our mining. We are runing what is called a long torn which we can make an average of six dollars a day each which is tolerable good wages at this time in California these days. have not made a great deal as yet. I have got but three pounds of gold at this time but I think if I have my health till fall that I can make that much more which will sadisfy me for the trip to California

I expect to come home this winter sometime if God willing and meet you face to face and if not I hope to meet you in heaven where meeting shall be to part no more. A few lines to Martin. I would like to know what is the reason that you don't rite to me. Have you forgotten me intirely or what is the matter. I have rote two letters to you and never got any answer from you yet. If you get this I want you to rite to me as soon as you get it and rite about all the neighbors and relatives, how they are doing and getting along in the world and whether there are any improvements up in the neighborhood and so on and so forth, about crops fruit and so on. Tell granny Wymon that I saw Charles Dyer last Wednesday and that he is well and harty and in good spirits and has got six or seven hundred dollars in gold now and that he thinks he will



There's Gold in Them Thar Hills

quaintances.

Nothing but to remain your affectionate brother untill death I send a few lines to Abraham. I received one letter that you rote to me which gave me much sadisfaction to think that you have not forgoten me. I have sent you my respects in several letters that I sent home. I now send my best respects to you, my respects to Jacob and Elizabeth and my love to you my dear wife and children who I expect to meet next winter sometime if God willing. I will close by signing my name

Andrew Englemanto Mary Ann Engleman

I want you to answer this as soon as you get it. Levi sends his love to you all and says if Luiza Wymon is single yet when he comes home that he will snarl her. Isaac sends his best respects to you all.

# James Arthur Evilsizer, (Cont)

Command/Staff: I Corps

Recommended Award: Army Commendation

Medal (Service)

Approved Award: Army Commendation Medal ( Location Award Presented: Award Presented in Republic of Vietnam [South Vietnam] (RVN) Posthumous: Award presented while Living

Name: James A Evilsizer

Date Eligible to Return from Overseas: 27 May

1969

Date Recommended Award Received: 17 Sep

1971

Date Award Forwarded: 18 Oct 1971

Service/Country: U.S. Army Command/Staff: I Corps

Recommended Award: Bronze Star Medal Approved Award: Bronze Star Medal (Service)

Clusters: One Cluster

Location Award Presented: Award Presented in Republic of Vietnam [South Vietnam] (RVN) Posthumous: Award presented while Living

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### UNIDENTIFIED—

Name: Laura Ann Evilsizer

Sex: Female

Death Date: 06 Apr 1953

Death Place: Hancock Co, New Cumberland, West Virginia (Rockyside) Age at Death: 79y 11m 20d Burial Place: Chester, WV Burial Date: 4/10/1953

Cemetery: Locust Hill Cemetery

Funeral Home:

Birth Date: 4/16/1873 Birth Place: Wood Co, WV Marital Status: Widow Occupation: Home

Address:

Residence: New Cumberland, WV

Mother: unknown Mother's Birth Place: Father: unknown Father's Birth Place:

Informant: Daughter, Mrs Mary Hoffman COD: Cancer of mouth and jaw FOUND after printed, next issue

**EVILSIZER**, Frances

**Leona** Death date: 12/14/1942, Summit County Certificate #76389

EVILSIZER, Fred Death date: 4/29/1940, Columbiana County Certificate #22658

**EVILSIZER, Lee** Death date: 7/28/1938, Hamilton County Certificate #43794

Name: Robert L Evilsizer Birth Year: 1920 Race: White, citizen Nativity State or Country:

Ohio State: Ohio County or City: Clark Enlistment Date: 4 Dec 1942 Enlistment State: Ohio Enlistment City: Columbus

Branch: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA Branch Code: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA Grade: Private Grade Code: Private Term of Enlistment: Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law Component: Selectees (Enlisted Men) Source: Civil Life Education: 4 years of high school Civil Occupation: Gunsmith\* (Armorer), Diesel Mechanic (Automobile mechanic, Diesel engine), Camera Repairman (still camera), Instrument Repairman, Nonelectrical (Instrument maker), Utility Repairman (Mechanic, general), Equipment Maintenance Man, Motion Picture equipmen t Marital Status: Single, without dependents

Height: 72 Weight: 122