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**OWINGS BIBLE RECORD**

(contributed by Carol L. Porter)

This bible was purchased at the estate auction of Otto O. Owings and his sister, Annie Christina Owings, in June 1993. They were the children of Richard Boyd Owings and Anna Elizabeth Wolf. Their farm was located on Salem Bottom Road in Carroll County, Md.

The New Testament of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, translated out of the Original Greek; and with the former translations diligently compared and revised. Philadelphia: Published by John B. Perry, 198 Market Street (no date)

**BIRTHS**

Johnathan Manroe Owings was born the First of Jan 1827  
 Ann Rebecca Glaze Owings his wife was born Nov 26th 1841  
 Florence Bell Manroe Owings was born the 10 of Feb 1860  
 James McIllean Owings was born the 26 of March 1862  
 Ann Eliza Owings was born June 7th 1864  
 Richard Boyd Owings was born October 5th 1866  
 Infant daughter was born 23d February 1869  
 Johnathan Manro Owings was born March 7th 1870  
 William Harry Owings was born February 17, 1873  
 Ella E. Owings was born 10th of Dec 1874  
 Effie Owings was born Jan 27 1878  
 Infant daughter was born April 6 1881  
 Harry C. Barnes was born April 23rd 1875  
 Viola R. Owings was born the 24 of February 1895

**DEATHS**

Jonathan Manroe Owings departed this life 24 March 1872  
 William Harry Owings departed this life 20 April 1873  
 Ann R. G. Owings departed this life May 27 1881  
 Annie E. Owings departed this life April 16 1881

**BIRTHS**

Charley E. Owings was born June 17th 1869  
Mary A. Owings was born June 29th 1871  
Carrie E. Owings was born May 11th 1874  
Grace M. Owings was born May 1th 1878  
Blanche A. Owings was born January 30th 1881  
Effie S.D. Owings was born February 29th 1884

Jonathan M. Owings was killed by a falling of a tree February  
27th 1822 in the 7 year of age  
Richard Owings departed this life 8th of April 1845 aged 62  
years  
Sarah E. Yingling departed this life Dec 15th 1862 aged 43  
years six months  
Elizabeth Owings departed this life (no further information)

Carrie E. Owings departed this 10 of November 1876 aged 2  
years 5 months and 29 days 1876  
James Owings departed this life July 10th 1847 aged 30 years  
3 months 25 days  
David A. Owings died on 20 of November 1888 aged 66 years  
8 months and 20 days

**LOOSE PAPERS FOUND INSIDE BIBLE**

Mary M. Cook was born July 21th 1831 daughter of Richard  
Owings, Jr. granddaughter of Richard Owings Sr.

William Yohn & Rachel R. Owings were married on the 26th of  
January 1860

William Yohn Sr. was born August 18th 1803

Rachel Ruth Owings wife of William Yohn was born April 9th  
1833

William Yohn Jr. son of Wm. & Rachel Yohn was born Nov 8th  
1860

Ella Yohn daughter of Wm. & Rachel Yohn was born January  
26th 1862

Effie Owings departed this life February 12 1881  
Jonathan M. Owings died April 17 1915  
Richard B. Owings died Dec 4 1934  
James Mclean Owings died May 19 1938

(written on the back cover)

Anna C. Owings born April 26, 1906

#### LOOSE PAPERS FOUND INSIDE BIBLE

##### **MARRIAGES**

Richard Owings was married to Elezabeth Mannro on the 12 of  
December 1812  
Charles E. Owings was married to Clara A. Hull on the 14th of  
October 1896  
Frances G. Saffell was married to Mary A. Owings December  
17th 1891  
Vernon H. Barnes was married to Grace M. Owings February  
21th 1899  
Richard Owings was married to Frances E. Shipley the October  
20 1868

##### **BIRTHS**

Richard Owings was born 15 Sept 1783  
Elizabeth Owings was born July 18 1795  
Jonathan M. Owings was born March 2nd 1815  
James Owings was born April 5th 1817  
Sarah Elizabeth Owings was born June 16th 1819  
David A. Owings was born February 27 1820  
Jonaph (sic) M. Owings was born January 1th 1826  
George W. Owings was born Dec 28th 1828  
Mary M. Owings was born 21 July 1831  
Rachel R. Owings was born April 9th 1834  
Richard Owings was born Oct the 3 1839  
Frances E. Owings was born August 2nd 1847

Manro Yohn was born September 4th 1863

Mary Yohn youngest child of Wm. & Rachel Yohn was born July  
27th 1871

LOOSE HANDWRITTEN PAPER FOUND INSIDE BIBLE

Age 39 Years Six Months

On May 27, 1881 Mrs. Anna R. G. wife of Jonathan Owings and  
daughter of Squire Jno. B. Summers of Warfieldsburg.

As daughter, her affection was unexampled, as mother, so  
kind, indulgent, careful, performing a mother's part so nobly; as  
sister, her love was boundless, her sisterly devotion great to an  
extreme; as neighbor, none ever gathered round them in so  
short a lifetime such a host of admiring friends no poor ever  
turned from her door hungry, no suffering ever lasted in her  
community which her ministering hand could alleviate as a  
Christian she was resigned to die to meet her Saviour and  
triumph in the eternal palace prepared for those who run well  
the race set before them. Father Mother Husband Brother and  
children, but live by her noble example; you have lost one of  
earth's brightest angels (sic) while she has gone to wear a  
crown of celestial (sic) glory won well earned and lasting

O my mother art thou dead has thy life forever fled hast thou  
bid adieu to earth and all its pleasures little worth the color  
from thy cheeks has fled. It has the paleness of the dead quiet  
and still dost thou lay wake mother wake see tis day Mother tis  
I who am here a child to thee ever dear I call thee but in vain  
will you never speak to me again Farewell Mother  
(by Florence)

