

# The Cemetery on Baker Island

There is only one known burial area on Baker Island. Hugh Dwelley was kind enough to forward me a list of the persons buried there:

## Baker's Island Cemetery

Joseph Gilley d. 7-10-1894 aged 81 years  
 Adeline (Dolliver), wife d. 5-27-1876 aged 54 years 8 months  
 Charles A. Gilley b. 11-27-1847 d. 11-24-1914  
 Joseph W. Gilley b. 10- -1859 d. 5-5-1918

Elisha Gilley d. 7-28-1901 aged 93 years  
 Hannah Manchester, wife d. 5-14-1880 aged 69 years  
 Samuel B. Gilley, son d. 1-8-1922 aged 70 years  
 Hattie, wife of Samuel B. d. 2-11-1908 aged 51 years  
 Victor, son of Samuel & Hattie d. 1884  
 Leona, daughter b. 1890 m. Chester Sawyer

Robert S. Stanley d. 11-29-1890 aged 63 years  
 Phoebe Gilley, wife d. 4-24-1929 aged 87 years  
 Albert Stanley, son d. 10-12-1949 aged 78 years

Winfield Coulter

CEM_LOC	GIVEN	FAMILY	BORN	DIED	AGE	NOTES
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<a href="#">Baker</a>	Winfield	Coulter				ashes buried 2009
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Adeline (Dolliver)	Gilley	1821	5-27- 1876	54y8m	wife of Joseph, dau. of Peter (1798-1871) and Phoebe Jane (Smallidge) Dolliver (1798-1876) of Manset
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Charles A.	Gilley	11-27- 1847	11-24- 1914	66	son of Joseph & Adeline
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Elisha	Gilley	1808	7-28- 1901	93	husb. of Hannah Manchester
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Hannah Manchester	Gilley	1811	5-14- 1880	69	wife of Elisha
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Hattie	Gilley	1857	2-11- 1908	51	Harriet "Hattie" Elizabeth, wife of Samuel B.
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Joseph	Gilley	1813	7-10- 1894	81	husb. of Adeline (Dolliver)
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Joseph W., Jr.	Gilley	10- -1859	5-5- 1918	58	son of Joseph & Adeline
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Leona	Gilley	1890			Leona Hannah, dau. of Samuel B. & Hattie
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Samuel B.	Gilley	1852	1-8- 1922	70	Samuel Bulger Gilley, son of Elisha & Hannah M.; husb. of Hattie
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Victor	Gilley		1884		son of Samuel B. & Hattie
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Albert	Stanley	1871	10-12- 1949	78	son of Robert S. & Phoebe

<a href="#">Baker</a>	Phoebe Gilley	Stanley	1842	4-24-1929	87	wife of Robert S.
<a href="#">Baker</a>	Robert S.	Stanley	1827	11-29-1890	63	husb. of Phoebe Gilley

Note: Emails from Ralph Stanley, 14 & 15 Oct 2009, remark:

Joseph Gilley's wife was Adeline Dolliver, not Manchester [as previously listed on this web site]. Adeline was the daughter of Peter (1798-1871) and Phoebe Jane (Smallidge) Dolliver (1798-1876) of Manset. Peter was the son of Peter and Margaret (Stanley) Dolliver. Margaret was the daughter of John and Marguerite (LaCroix Stanley).

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Leona Hannah Gilley was the daughter of Samuel Bulger Gilley and his wife Harriet Elizabeth Manchester. He was the son of Elisha and Hannah Manchester (Stanley) Gilley. Harriet was the daughter of Moses and Elizabeth W. (Burns) Manchester. Samuel Bulger Gilley married second, 30 Apr 1910, Nora Theresa Higgins, born in 1874, the daughter of Edmund and Katherine (Flynn) Higgins. Hannah Manchester Stanley, wife of Elisha, was the daughter of John and Phoebe (Rich) Stanley. Her brother, William, married Ruth Gott and moved to Swan's Island. William was the ancestor of all the Stanleys at Swan's Island. Leona married Chester Sawyer, son of Joshua and Alberta (Hodgdon) Sawyer. They had at least four children, three, Donald Gilley Sawyer, Harriet Leona Sawyer, Berton Chester Sawyer born at Islesford and George R. Sawyer born at Bernard. Possibly there were two other children, Bradford and Kay but I am not sure. Harriet Leona died shortly before she was three years of age. She was burned in a tragic accident when a kettle of scalding water got upset.

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I forgot to mention that there is now another grave on Baker Island. A short while ago Gordon Coulter buried his father's ashes in the cemetery and will have a stone for him next year. His father, Winfield Coulter, was the grandson of John S. and Harriet (Gilley) Coulter. Harriet was the daughter of Joseph and Adeline (Dolliver) Gilley. John and Harriet's son, Charles, first married Flora L. Stanley, daughter of Asa Doane and Maria Ellen (Spurling) Stanley and second Helen Garnor. Charles and Helen were the parents of Winfield. Harriet (Gilley) (Coulter) Taylor is buried at Mt. Height at SWH. After John Coulter died she married James A. Taylor.

-Ralph Stanley