



Perry M. Keen



Charles Ford Keen



Victor Keen  
WWII - POW of Japanese

# Perry M. Keen Family

The Perry M. Keen family graves are located in Block 18 at Roselawn Cemetery. There are eight Keens buried at Roselawn, beginning with the earliest death of Sally Ann Keen, first born of Charles Ford Keen and Dorothy Jane Becker Keen. Sally died on November 13, 1936 from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) at 11 weeks of age.

Next to follow was the father of Charles Ford Keen, Perry M. Keen, Sr., who died on June 5, 1946. Perry was a businessman in Pueblo who also served in the Colorado State House of Representatives. His wife, Etta Ford Keen, is buried next to him. She died on December 13, 1959.

The older brother of Charles Ford Keen, Victor Keen, died on January 30, 1955. He was the father of Ann Morgan Keen Hecht, aka Morgan. Victor graduated from Pueblo Central High School in 1916, and went on to become a Far Eastern foreign correspondent of note with the *New York Herald Tribune*.

Charles Ford Keen died on September 9, 1967. He was the father of Sally Ann Keen, Charles Ford Keen, Jr., Victor Ford Keen and Raymond Powers Keen. Charles was a graduate of Pueblo Central High School and University of Colorado Law School. He was a practicing attorney in Pueblo for many years, the District Attorney for Pueblo County, and for the last 6 years of his life was the Federal Bankruptcy Judge for Southern Colorado.

Dorothy Jane Becker Keen, the wife of Charles Ford Keen, died on February 18, 2000. She was 90 years old. Dorothy was a graduate of the University of Colorado (B.A. - 1932). In her more than 30 years working as a social worker with Pueblo Family Service Agency and Pueblo County Juvenile Court, she was responsible for more than 200 adoptions and placements of foster children in the Pueblo area.

The younger brother of Charles Ford Keen was Perry M. Keen, Jr. He died on January 9, 1985. Perry worked in real estate sales, and was active in the arts and theater in the Pueblo community. His wife, Frances E. Keen, preceded him in death. She died on August 7, 1983. Frances was also very active in the arts and theater community. Perry, Jr. and Frances had three children: Katherine (Kate), Perry M. III and Victoria E. Keen.

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