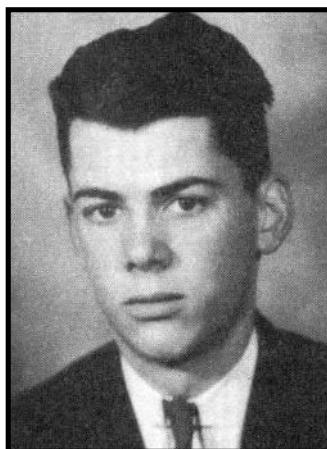


Family Group Sheet		Husband's Full Name William Grover Anderson Sr.					
		Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town County State or Country	Additional Info.
Information Obtained From:		Birth:	24	March	1889	Putnam Co., TN	
Family Members:		Marriage:	22	July	1915	Putnam Co., TN	
Family Bible		Death:	26	March	1970	TN	
		Burial:				Cookeville City Cemetery, TN	
Book of Jared		Places of Residence:					
Vol. 3		Occupation:			Religion:		Military Record:
Census records		Other wives					
		His Father:	Lewis Monroe Anderson		His Mother:	Matilda Isabelle Wallace	
http://www.ajlambert.com		Wife's Full Maiden Name Lillian Lee					
newspapers		Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town County State or Country	Additional Info.
		Birth:	21	November	1889	TN	
		Marriage:	22	July	1915	Putnam Co., TN	
Compiler:		Death:	4	July	1925	TN	
Audrey J. Lambert		Burial:				Cookeville City Cemetery, TN	
39721 Timberlane Dr.		Places of Residence:					
St. Hts., MI		Occupation:			Religion:		Military Record:
		Other husbands:					
Date: 22 August 2001		Her Father:	Thomas Jefferson Lee (1834-1923)		Her Mother:	Tennessee Stanton (1851-1906)	
Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town County State or Country	Additional Info.
M	1. William Grover Anderson Jr.	Birth:	4	January	1917	Baxter, Putnam Co., TN	Son: William Lee "Bill" Anderson
		Marriage:					md Lida Simms
	Full Name of Spouse: Francis Eadley	Death:	6	March	1966	McLean, VA	
		Burial:				National Memorial Park, Falls Church, Fairfax, VA	
M	2. Joe Lee Anderson	Birth:	25	December	1923	Baxter, Putnam, Co., TN	Suicide/Cancer
		Marriage:					Mytle has a
	Full Name of Spouse: Mytle Eugenia Woodford b. 2 January 1921	Death:	18	January	1987	Huddleston, Bedford Co. VA	identical twin they
Burial:					Nr. Richmond, VA	live in VA. no children	



William Grover Anderson Sr.



William Grover Anderson Sr.
Class of 1936
Baxter Seminary, Baxter, Putnam
Co., TN.



Joe Lee Anderson

Joe Lee Anderson

Volunteered for active duty in U.S. Air Force, February 28, 1943

Nativity State: TN

State of Residence: Putnam Co., TN

Enlistment Date: 28 February 1943

Enlistment State: TN

Enlistment City: Camp Forrest

Grade: Pvt.

Education: 3 years of high school

Civil Occupation: Semiskilled occupations in building of aircraft.

Marital Status: Single

Height: 72

Weight: 144

1. After basic training – completed Airplane Mechanics School, Gulfport Field, Mississippi on 29th day of September, 1943.
2. Finished Aerial Gunnery School at Kingman, Arizona on 27, March 1944.
3. Completed course in training for combat crews at Casper, Wyoming on 13th of September 1944.
4. Was assigned to 15th Air Force in Italy as Engineer-Gunner on b-24's.
Special Achievements – Flew 32 combat missions.
Received Air Medal and 1st Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster.
5. Was discharged 24th of October 1945.
6. Served in Air Force Reserve from 18 June 1949 to 10 December 1955.

Roanoke Times & World-News, Jan 1987

BEDFORD - Joe Lee Anderson, 63, of 1540 Oakwood St., passed away unexpectedly Sunday afternoon at his home. He was born in Tennessee, December 25, 1923, a son of the late William Grover Anderson and Lillian Lee Anderson. He was a veteran of World War II, a member of V.F.W. Post 2157 and attended Mentow Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Woodford Anderson; one nephew, William Lee, of Amissville, Va. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. from Updike Funeral Chapel, Bedford, by the Rev. J. Lytle Buckingham with interment in Mentow Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends Monday evening 7:00 to 9:00 at the funeral home.

Myrtle Eugenia (Woodford) Anderson Obt.

b. 2 January 1921, Bedford Co., VA – d. 7 June 2007, Mentow Baptist Church, Huddleston, VA, md on the 3rd of December 1948 to **Joe Lee Anderson**, b. 25 December 1923, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN - d. 18 January 1987, Huddleston, Bedford Co. VA, s/o **William Grover Anderson Sr.** (1889-1970) & **Lillian Lee** (1889-1925). Both buried in Mentow Baptist Church Cemetery, Bedford Co., VA. Myrtle Eugenia (Woodford) Anderson, d/o **Gilbert Earnest Woodford** (1894-1977) & **Lela Mae Wilson** (1898-1980).

She was born on Sunday January 2, 1921 in Bedford County, VA., a daughter of the late Gilbert E. Woodford and the late Lela Wilson Woodford. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Joe L Anderson. She was a member of the Mentow Baptist Church and was a retired employee of the U.S. Civil Service.

Surviving are her twin sister, Minnie Woodford, of Bedford, VA., sister, Bessie W. Johnson of Bedford, VA., three brothers, Gilbert E Woodford Jr. of Easton, MD., Fred R. Woodford, Davis E Woodford, both of Huddleston, VA., and numerous nieces and nephews.

Minnie Artie Woodford Obt.

b. 2 January 1921, Bedford Co., VA – d. 6 May 2010, Bedford City, Bedford, VA, d/o **Gilbert Earnest Woodford** (1894-1977) & **Lela Mae Wilson** (1898-1980). Minnie Artie Woodford was the twin sister of **Myrtle Eugenia (Woodford) Anderson**, b. 2 Jan. 1921, Bedford Co., VA – d. 7 June 2007, wife of **Joe Lee Anderson** (1923-1987). Buried: Mentow Baptist Church Cemetery, Huddleston, Bedford Co., VA.

Minnie Artie Woodford, 89 of Bedford, VA passed away Thursday, May 6, 2010 at Campbell Rest Home. She was born on Sunday, January 2, 1921 in Bedford Co, VA, a daughter of the late Gilbert E Woodford and Lela Wilson Woodford. She was also preceded in death by her twin sister, Myrtle Eugenia Anderson; sister, Edith W. Smith, Una W. Jones and Bessie W. Johnson, and a two brothers, Kyle Woodford, Sr. and Gilbert E. Woodford, Jr. She was a retired bank teller with Dominion Bank and was a member of Mentow Baptist Church.



Surviving are her brothers, Davis E. Woodford & wife, Brenda, Fred R. Woodford & wife, Emma, all of Huddleston; as well as numerous nieces & nephews.

The family requests that those wishing to make memorials to consider Mentow Baptist Church, 3282 Mentow Drive, Huddleston, VA 24104.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 8, 2010 at 2 PM at Updike Funeral Chapel, Bedford with Rev. Wayne Murphy officiating. Interment will follow in the Mentow Baptist Church Cemetery. Friends may call Friday after 12 noon and the family will receive friends from 6 until 8:00 PM at Updike Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Bedford.

Obituary of William Grover Anderson Jr.

b. 4 January 1917, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN – d. 6 March 1966, McLean VA

Buried: National Memorial Cemetery, Arlington, VA

s/o William Grover Anderson Sr. & Lillian Lee

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. for William Grover Anderson Jr., 49 in Falls Church, VA and burial will be in the National Memorial Cemetery in Arlington, VA.

Mr. Anderson son of Grover Anderson of Cookeville, TN died Sunday at his home in McLean, VA, after a brief illness.

He was a native of Putnam County and spent his childhood here. His mother was the late Mrs. Lillian Lee Anderson.

He recently retired from Government service during which time he was in the Income Tax Division for 25 years.

Besides his father he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Frances Eadley Anderson; a son, William Anderson of McLean, VA and a brother, Joe Lee Anderson of Richmond, VA.

Herald – Citizen March 30, 1970 Grover Anderson

William Grover Anderson, 81, died Thursday at Master's Nursing Home on the Algood Road, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 at the chapel of Hooper – Huddleston Funeral Home with Rev. Andrew Albert officiating. Burial was in the Cookeville City Cemetery.

Mr. Anderson was a native of Putnam County, the son of the late Lewis and Matilda Wallace Anderson and was reared in the Silver Point – Baxter area.

His wife whose death occurred several years ago was the former Lillian Lee also from Putnam County.

Mr. Anderson was once a merchant of Baxter, was a chairman of the Putnam County School Board and for a number of years served as a trustee of Baxter Seminary.

He served as representative at large in the Tennessee Legislature for some years, and was instrumental in getting various appropriations for Tennessee Tech during its initial year. He also held the position as secretary of the Putnam Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Anderson was a Mason. The Excelsior Lodge of Baxter conducted a service in his memory Friday night at the funeral home.

Survivors are a son Joe Anderson, Washington D.C.; 4 sisters, Mrs. Addie Gill, Cookeville, Mrs. Audra Denny of Silver Point, Mrs. Floyd Shanks of Silver Point, and Mrs. Ollie Julian, Baxter, and a grandson, and 2 grandchildren.

1920 Census – 20th Civil District – Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 83 Family: 83 Line: 98 - Baxter

Anderson, William Head Owns Home 30 Married Retail Merchant Hardware TN TN TN

(William Grover Anderson Sr. md Lillian Lee. He is the s/o Lewis Monroe Anderson & Matilda Isabelle Wallace)

Anderson, Lillian Wife 25 Married TN TN TN *(Lillian Lee, d/o Thomas Lee Sr. & Tennessee)*

Anderson, Grover J. *Dau* M W 2 11/12 Single TN TN TN *(Should be Son) (William Grover "Junior" Anderson Jr. md Francis Fraidley)*

1930 Census – 13th Civil District – Putnam Co., TN – Wallace Ridge Road

Dwl: 119 – Family: 124 – Line: 1

Louis Anderson Head 63 Owns Home - Lives on a Farm M W Married (21 yrs. old 1st marriage) Farmer

General Farm TN TN TN

Matilda Anderson Wife 57 F W Married (16 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

Joe Lee Anderson Grand-son 6 M W Single TN TN TN

(Joe Lee Anderson was the s/o William Grover Anderson Sr. & Lillian Lee)

1940 Census Providence Dist., Falls Church Rd., Fairfax, VA

Dwl: 202 – Home value: 10,000

Hobart M. Shears Head 44 TN Clerk Department of Agriculture

Warneda Shears Wife 32 TN Secretary Congress

Loretta J. Shears Dau 8 WA

John W. Oliver Father-in-Law 75 TN

Cora J. Oliver Mother-in-Law 67 TN

Grover Anderson Lodger 22 Putnam Co., TN Laborer Dist. Government

Maud Holmes Lodger 15 Putnam Co., TN



The Family of William Lee Anderson Sr. s/o William Grover Anderson Jr.

L to R: Top row:,Billy Anderson,& William Lee Anderson Sr.;

Middle row: William Lee "Billy" Anderson Jr. & Lida (Simms) Anderson;

Bottom row: Nathaniel Brett Anderson & Lynn Anderson.



William Lee "Billy" Anderson Jr.
s/o William Lee Anderson Sr &
Lida (Simms) Anderson

Senior Class picture:
1981-1982.



Nathaniel Brett Anderson



L to R: Nathaniel Brett Anderson,

ANDERSON – LEE

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was that of Miss Lillian Lee and Mr. Grover Anderson which was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J.E. Oliver, in Baxter Thursday evening, Rev. Alonso Harris performing the ceremony.

Miss Lee was so attractive in a beautiful gown of white satin; she carried bride's roses. The music was rendered by Miss Clara Miller of Nashville. Only the immediate family and a few intimate friends were present. The bride is an accomplished popular young lady and has a large number of friends in Cookeville. The groom is a prominent young businessman, cashier of the Baxter Bank and Trust Company.

They will take a short western trip after which they will be at home after September the 1st to their friends in Baxter.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN: 22 July 1915.

Lillian (Lee) Anderson Obt.

b. 21 November 1889, TN – d. 4 July 1925, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 22nd of July 1915, Putnam Co., TN to **William Grover Anderson Sr.**, b. 24 March 1889, Putnam Co., TN – d. 26 March 1970, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Lewis Monroe Anderson** (1867-1935) & **Matilda "Tildy" Isabelle Wallace** (1872-1956). Lillian (Lee) Anderson, d/o **Thomas Jefferson Lee** (1834-1923) & **Tennessee Stanton** (1851-1906), both buried in Maddux Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN.

Mrs. Lillian Lee Anderson, age 35 years, wife of Grover Anderson of Baxter died Saturday at Howard hospital, following an illness of several months. Her condition had been critical for three weeks, yet her death came as a distinct shock to her family and friends. Surrounded by loved ones who did everything that could be done by human hands, her spirit was set free from the links that bind us here, to join her father and mother who preceded her to that Better Land.

The funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church on Monday by her pastor, Rev. Van Smith, assisted by Rev. B. T. Watson and Rev. Harry L. Upperman, who paid beautiful tributes to the life of the Christian mother whose going saddened the entire community. The musical numbers were appropriate and beautiful. The pall-bearers were, honorary: O. K. Holladay, D. C. Wilhite, Dr. W. A. Howard, O. D. Massa, H. S. Hargis, Walter L. Whitson, Beecher Gentry, Dr. J. T. Moore, Active: Rev. Harry L. Upperman, R. L. Richardson, E. C. Dowdy, Lawrence Grace, Will Bradford, Will Sewell, Van Nunnally, V. B. York, Dr. Freeman.

Mrs. Anderson was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lee and was born and reared in Jackson county near Granville. She was married to Grover Anderson on July 21, 1915. Together they spent only ten years, but they were happy ones. To this union were born two sons, ages one and six years. Besides these sons and her husband she leaves four sisters and three brothers: Mrs. John Oliver of Nashville, Mrs. Charles Reagan of Cookeville, Mrs. Elbert Whitely of Gordonsville, Mrs. Oman Gwaltney of Gordonsville, John Lee and Tom Lee of Granville and Robert Lee of Nashville.

Mrs. Anderson met death cheerily without a complaint of fear, she told those about her that she was prepared to die, but she wanted so to live to rear her children.

"Why shouldst thou fear the beautiful Angel, Death, Who waits thee at the portals of the skies, Ready to kiss away thy struggling breath, Ready with gentle hand to close thine eyes."

Thomas Jefferson Lee Obt.

Thomas Jefferson Lee, Confederate veteran, and one of the most prominent and highly respected citizen of this section of the state, died at his home in the Tenth civil district of this county last Thursday, Nov. 1. He was 88 years old and had been prominently identified with the public life of Putnam county almost from the organization of the county.

He was gallant Confederate soldier, and having been wounded and captured by the Federals, he was confined for fourteen months as a prisoner of war in the Federal prison, Fort Delaware, from which he was pardoned by President Lincoln later in the afternoon of the same day in which President Lincoln was assassinated. Facts relative to the issuance of his pardon by President Lincoln, known to the deceased and his friends at the time, convinced them that the granting of the pardon was the last official act of President Lincoln on that fateful day in the evening of which he suffered martyrdom.

The deceased was, for many years, a successful merchant and owned one of the best farms in this section of the state.

He was for many years active and influential in the political life of this county and section.

His wife died several years ago. He is survived by three sons and five daughters, as follows: John M. Lee, and T. J. Lee, Jr., of this county, Robert T. Lee of Nashville, Mrs. John E. Oliver and Mrs. Charles A. Reagan of this city, Mrs. William Grover Anderson of Baxter and Mrs. Mollie Whitley and Mrs. Mattie Gwaltney of Gordonsville. Also by one brother, Hop T. Lee, of this county.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN: Thursday, 6 November 1923.

Thomas Jefferson Lee

b. 17 October 1834

d. 27 October 1923, Putnam Co., TN

Wife: Tennessee Stanton md 15 May 1866

Buried: Maddux Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

*See Maddux Graveyard

Tennessee (Stanton) Lee

b. 16 August 1851

d. 3 January 1906

Husband: Thomas Jefferson Lee md 15 May 1866

Buried: Maddux Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

*See Maddux Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN



Nathaniel Brett Anderson s/o
William Lee Anderson Sr &
Lida (Simms) Anderson

Senior Class picture:
1985-1986

THE ANDERSON'S

L to R: William Lee "Billy" Anderson Jr., Lynn
(Anderson) Oliver, & Nathaniel Brett Anderson.



Source: *Biographical Directory of the Tennessee General Assembly, Volume III (1901-1931)* by Ilene J. Cornwell with research by The Tennessee Historical Commission, Nashville, 1988 (Family History Library 35 North West Temple, Salt Lake City, UT): HOUSE , 65th, 66th, and 76th General assemblies, (1927-1931), (1949-1951); representing Putnam County; Democrat, Born March 24, 1889, in Boma, Putnam County, Tennessee; son of Louis and Matilda (Wallace) Anderson; extent of education not known. Married July 21, 1915, to Lillian Lee; names of children, if any, not found. His occupations included farmer, merchant, and businessman in Baxter and Cookeville, both in Putnam County; general secretary, Putnam County Chamber of Commerce. Served as mayor of Baxter; member county board of education; member Baptist Church; Free and Accepted Masons, 32nd degree, Scottish Rite, York Rite, Order of the Mystic Shrine. Died March 26, 1970, in Cookeville; buried in Cookeville City Cemetery. (**Sources:** *McClain, History of Putnam County*, 140; Tennessee Public Acts, 1927, 1929, 1949; Tennessee Vital Records, Death Certificate #8880).



THE ANDERSON GRANDCHILDREN

July 1997

Kyle Everett Oliver, s/o of Lynn (Anderson) Oliver & Mr. Oliver; holding Kyle is John William Anderson, s/o Nathaniel Brett & Ann Anderson; Christa Lea Anderson, d/o Billy Anderson and Lindy & Lottie Anderson, d/o's of William Lee "Billy" Anderson Jr.

*See more Anderson family files at:

<http://www.ajlambert.com>