

## **Life Sketch of Susan Ann Elizabeth Turple Brady Cook**

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Birth date: 17 Mar 1818 Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada  
Death date: 24 Oct 1906 Goshen, Utah County, Utah  
Parents: William Turple, Frances Robinson  
Pioneer: Fall 1852 Wagon Train From Canada  
Spouse 1: Charles Brady  
Married: 1841  
Death Sp: Unknown  
Child: Amelia (Gourley), 13 Sep 1842

Spouse 2: Henry Lyman Cook  
Married: 28 Sep 1852 Goshen, Utah County, Utah  
Death Sp: 17 Nov 1869 Goshen, Utah County, Utah  
Children: Henry Lyman, 14 Sep 1854 Cedar City  
Susan Florilla (Burgess), 3 Nov 1857  
George Franklin, 27 Jan 1860  
Hyrum, 8 Jul 1862

Susan Ann Elizabeth was second of nine children, all born in Nova Scotia, Canada. At age Twenty-three, she married Charles Brady. They were parents of one daughter, before the untimely death of Charles.

Susan Ann Elizabeth converted to the Church of Jesus Christ, joined a wagon train from Canada and came to Utah, settling in Goshen, where she married a second time, September 28, 1852, to Henry Lyman Cook.

They made their home in Cedar City for the birth of two children. They returned to Goshen, where two more children joined their family. They were some of the first settlers to Goshen, and as such, had the responsibility for community and church functions.

Susan was a hard worker and a good mother. She was a widow once again when Henry passed away. Her children were young but she was very resourceful and independent and raised them on her own.

Susan was a widow for thirty-six years, passing away at the age of eighty-eight. She is buried beside Henry in the Goshen Cemetery.