

## Adolph Keller

**BIRTH** 1 Mar 1867  
Hungary

**DEATH** 15 Jul 1923 (aged 56)  
Virginia, St. Louis County, Minnesota, USA

**BURIAL** Bnai Brith Jewish Cemetery  
Eau Claire, Eau Claire County, Wisconsin, USA

**MEMORIAL ID** 19189881



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Honors Mr. Keller

Funeral services of the late Adolph Keller of Virginia, Minn., were held at Eau Claire [Wisconsin] yesterday afternoon. Rabbi Dr. Lefkowitz of Minneapolis officiated. Mr. Keller is a brother-in-law of Adolph Bachman of this city.

From the Duluth Herald the following tribute is reported:  
Virginia, Minn. July 16 - More than 1,000 Virginia residents today paid homage to the life of Adolph Keller, who died here Sunday.

Thronging the B'Nai Abraham synagogue shortly before noon, and then escorting the body of one of Virginia's pioneers to the Duluth, Missabe & Northern depot, where it was to begin its final trip to rest at Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Mr. Keller breathed his last early Sunday morning [15 July 1923] in the presence of his family, and ended a period of suffering that endured for more than six months.

While services were conducted early today at the Jewish synagogue, last rites will not be observed until the body arrives at Eau Claire, the home of the Keller family. Rabbi Morris Lefkowitz of Minneapolis ... a warm friend of the deceased, will conduct services. Rev. Ephriam Frier, Eveleth, officiated at the services in Virginia today.

Mr. Keller came to Virginia [Minn.] in April 1902 and was resident agent for the Hamel company, a Duluth horse firm. Later he organized the Virginia Horse Company, which soon became the largest establishment of its kind on

the iron range.

Mr. Keller was born in Hungary 56 years ago. He came to Eau Claire with his parents in 1883, and was married at Boyd, Wis., to Henrietta Kann on August 28, 1892.

He is survived by his widow and two sons, Joseph and Nathan, and one daughter, Mrs. I. Fieldman of Duluth.

The body was accompanied to Eau Claire by the Keller family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Baer, Morris Baer, Max Simon, John Mesberg, and Mrs. Joseph Levy.

Source: Eau Claire Leader (Eau Claire, Wisconsin), 19 July 1923, page 12

## Family Members

### Parents



William Keller  
1841–1905



Johanna *Kohn* Keller  
1843–1902

### Siblings



Rose *Keller*Cohen  
1872–1918

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