

## Filley Family Tombstone Inscriptions

Mountain View Cemetery  
30 Mountain Avenue, Bloomfield, CT  
8 March 2000, updated to May 2004

### Filley Family Obelisk

(Location: Approx. 50 yds. on the right after entering front gate)  
Tall obelisk of gray granite

#### West face of obelisk (*Top to Bottom*) - Photo #1

Oliver Filley; Died March 6, 1795; Aged 39  
Tabitha Barber; His Wife; Died Oct. 13, 1842; Aged 86  
Jerusha; Their Daughter; Died Sept. 11, 1795; Aged 7 Yrs.

ON BASE OF OBELISK:

FILLEY

#### North face of obelisk (*Top to Bottom*) - Photo #2

Children of Oliver and Annis Filley  
Joseph Earl; Died Oct. 27, 1812; Aged 2 mos.  
An Infant Daughter; Died June 30, 1813  
An Infant Son; Died Dec. 22, 1820  
John Eldridge; Died March 15, 1846; Aged 27  
Oliver Filley; Died Dec. 9, 1846; Aged 62  
Samuel J. Chapman  
Jennette A. Filley; His Wife; 1892

ON BASE OF OBELISK:

Oliver Filley; Died Dec. 9, 1846; Aged 62  
Annis Humphrey; His Wife; Died April 16, 1868; Aged 82

#### South face of obelisk (*Top to Bottom*) - Photo #3

Children of Jay H. and Julia N. Filley  
Marcus Dwight; Died March 28, 1839; Aged 2 Yrs.

ON BASE OF OBELISK:

Jay H. Filley; Born March 13, 1810; Died March 17, 1883  
Julia Newbury [sp.]; His Wife; Born Feb. 23, 1808; Died Sept. 14, 1881

#### East face of obelisk (*Top to Bottom*) - Photo #4

Children of Louis J. and Charlotte B. Filley  
Louis James, Jr.; Died Sept. 20, 1871; Aged 5 Weeks  
Julia Barnard; Died March 6, 1890; Aged 11 Yrs.  
Oliver Dwight Filley; Jan. 9, 1885; Feb. 14, 1945  
Kathryn Hertle; His Wife; May 4, 1882; Oct. 5, 1965

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Marion Shaffer; His Wife; May 14, 1916; Jan 15, 2002

ON BASE OF OBELISK:

Louis J. Filley; Dec. 24, 1840; June 1, 1906  
Charlotte Barnard; His Wife; Sept. 22, 1843; May 2, 1919

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### Individual Tombstones:

A. **First location:** Directly in front of the Filley obelisk

Three marble stones of varying sizes

- 1) Oliver Filley; Died Dec. 9, 1846; Aged 62 (Photo #5)
- 2) “A life of toll and pain | Exchanged for endless rest”
- 2) Annis (Photo #6)
- 3) John E. Filley; Died Mar. 15, 1846; Aged 27 (Photo #7)  
“Fast fade the prospects | of human hope | Unbearably love lies buried | in the dust”

B. **Second location:** Approx. 100 yds. up center road from obelisk, on the left

Large gray granite stone, “Filley” inscribed on the bottom

In Loving Memory  
Alfred N. Filley  
1844-1929  
Hattie C. Filley, His Wife  
Passed Away Jan. 1, 1909  
“Until The Day Break And The Shadows Flee Away”



Photographs courtesy of Janis Langston

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**Oliver Filley - Photo #5**



**Annis - Photo #6**



**John E. Filley - Photo #7**

Small stones:



**Jerusha**



**Tabitha**



**Oliver**



**JNF**



**JHF**



**MDF**

[To be added]

**KHF**

[To be added]

**ODF**

[To be added]

**LJF**

[To be added]

**CBF**

[To be added]

**Julie**

[To be added]

**Louie**