## **Glenn Workinger**

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Glenn Workinger was born April 7, 1891 in Bluecreek Township, Adams County, Indiana. His parents were Charles Clayton Scofield Workinger and Amanda Elizabeth (Meyers) Workinger. Glenn had nine siblings: Harry, Mable, Charles, Birgo, Eva, David, Thresa, Loy, and Everil. Glenn's father was a farm hand, and his mother was a housewife. They lived in Adams County. Glenn Workinger married Mary Wechter on October 5, 1912 in Adams County, Indiana. They had four children: Flo, Fern, Dale, and Charles. Glenn was a hard worker. He had many different jobs throughout his life, but that was common in that time frame. His son Charles said, "It seemed like every job he worked was a plus. It bettered him with every job." Glenn and his family also moved a lot, because of his jobs. They had lived in Detroit, Michigan for a few years, Ohio for a few years, and then back to Adams County where they stayed till he died. While he was living in Adams Co. he was a member of the first school board at Adams Central School. He served for four years as the secretary. Glenn Workinger died of a heart attack on November 7, 1981 in Decatur, Indiana. He was buried in the Ray Cemetery in Monroe, Adams County, Indiana.

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