

Ada Garth Sykes

1862 – 1938

- **01 June 1862:** Ada Garth was born to Lafayette and Rebecca Garth
- **1870** United States Census: Ada Garth is eight years old living in the household of her parents.
- **15 January 1880:** Solomon Sykes and Ada Garth married in Decatur, Morgan County, Alabama; Crawford “Major” Hooks, 2nd pastor for The First Baptist Church, Colored officiated the marriage.
- **1880** United States Census: S.S. and Ada assist in the rearing of S.S.’s brothers: Charles Pearl, J.J., and Melvin Elijah Sykes
- **Twelve children** born of S.S. and Ada Garth Sykes:
 - ✓ 30 October 1880: Jessie Garfield Sykes
 - ✓ 10 November 1881: Eunice Sykes
 - ✓ 23 October 1883: Solomon Sharper Sykes
 - ✓ 15 August 1885: Rebecca Lee Sykes
 - ✓ 02 August 1887: Newman M. Sykes
 - ✓ 17 May 1890: Galileo Newton Sykes
 - ✓ April 1892: Frank Jehoy Sykes
 - ✓ 26 September 1894: Estella Mamie Sadie Sykes
 - ✓ 17 Februar 1897: Theodore L. Sykes
 - ✓ 27 June 1898: Carl Maceo Sykes
 - ✓ 10 January 1905: Melvin Elijah Sykes
 - ✓ 28 November 1907: Ada Eunicetine Sykes
- **Circa 1911** family photograph: 8 of the children lived beyond 1910.
- **25 May 1925:** S.S. Sykes died
- **04 October 1938:** Ada Garth Sykes died. Her parents, Lafayette Garth and Rebecca Garth.