

**VIOLA JOHNSON POINTER  
DECEMBER 2, 1913 – MAY 10, 1948  
VIRGIL POINTER, JR.  
JUNE 25, 1932 – JUNE 25, 1932  
ADDIE MAE POINTER  
JANUARY 18, 1937 – JANUARY 18, 1937**

Viola Johnson was born to Bud Johnson and Addie Campbell Johnson on December 2, 1913 in Tarrant County, Texas.

The 1920 Census Records, records Vida (Viola) 6, living in Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas along with her parents, Bud and Ada (Addie) Johnson. Also in the household were her siblings, Jasper, 14, Bessie M. 10, Thelma, 8, and a cousin, Ida M. Griffin, 18.

The 1930 Census Records, records Viola, 16, living in Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, along with her father, Bud and step-mother, Jennie, along with her siblings, Jasper, 25 and Thelma, 18.

No divorce record or death record found on Addie Campbell Johnson.

Viola Johnson married Virgil Pointer about 1931 yet no marriage record was found.

The 1940 Census Records, records Viola, 26, living in Ward 1, Fort Worth, Justice Precinct 1, Tarrant County, Texas, along with her husband, Virgil, 30, and their children, John Henry, 6, Thelma Jean, 5 and Eddie (Addie) Marie, 1.

Birth certificates were found for her children; Virgil born and died June 25, 1932; his Death Certificate states he is buried in Arlington, Texas so he is in the Arlington Colored Cemetery. On July 5, 1933, John Henry was born; on February 28, 1935, Thelma Jean was born; on January 18, 1937 a female child was born, unnamed; she was born and died on the same day and her Death Certificate states that her name was Addie Mae Pointer and she is buried in Arlington, Texas so she is also in the Arlington Colored Cemetery. on September 8, 1938, Addie Marie Pointer was born; On March 30,

1941, their last child was born, Sheila Mae. All children were born in Tarrant County, Texas.

Is it possible that because Addie Mae died the day she was born that Viola had another female child in 1938 and named her Addie Marie after her mother? The 1940 Census Records lists a child Eddie Marie 1 year old.

Viola Pointer died on May 10, 1948 in Fort Worth, Texas. Her Death Certificate informant was her sister, Bessie M. Hollins who states that Viola was a housewife and that her parents were Bud and Addie Johnson. Her address given was 1865 Harding St., Fort Worth, Texas and she was buried in Arlington, Texas. So she too is buried in Arlington Colored Cemetery.

Virgil remarried after Viola's death to Pansy Jones and they had one daughter, Judy C. Pointer.

Virgil died March 23, 1986 and is buried in Cedar Hill Memorial Park.