

## Family Group Sheet for Stefan Konstantinovich KOSHKO

<b>Husband:</b>	Stefan Konstantinovich KOSHKO
Birth:	13 February 1886 in Diatlovo, Slonin, Grodno, Byelorussia
Death:	24 June 1967 in Leavenworth, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA
Burial:	28 June 1967 in Mount Calvary Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas City, Kansas, USA
Marriage:	12 July 1912 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA
Father:	Konstantinovich KOSHKO
Mother:	
<b>Wife:</b>	Michalina Mary ZYBKO
Birth:	08 August 1891 in Zenziel, Slovin, Grodno, Byelorussia
Death:	20 April 1955 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA
Burial:	23 April 1955 in Mount Calvary Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas City, Kansas, USA
Father:	Paul Josif ZYBKO
Mother:	? <ZYBKO>
<b>Children:</b>	
1 M	Name: Joseph Charles KASKO Birth: 25 May 1913 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA Death: 14 January 1985 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Burial: Kansas City, Kansas, USA Marriage: 09 December 1949 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Spouse: Delores Colleen MOORE
2 M	Name: John KASKO Birth: 25 December 1914 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA Death: 07 January 2007 in Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas, USA Burial: 10 January 2007 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Marriage: 25 July 1942 in Clay County, Missouri, USA Spouse: Margaret Ann ROOSE
3 F	Name: Anna K. KOSHKO Birth: 11 August 1917 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Death: 13 October 1993 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Burial: 18 October 1993 in Mount Calvary Cemetery, Kansas City, Kansas, USA Marriage: 15 July 1941 Spouse: John Peter MYSZKA Jr.
4 M	Name: Tony KOSKO Birth: 25 October 1920 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA Death: 28 September 1970 in Concordia, Lafayette County, Missouri, USA Burial: September 1970 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA Marriage: 07 January 1949 in Dallas, Texas, USA Spouse: Dorothy May STOPA
5 F	Name: Mary (Mánya) KOSHKO Birth: 21 September 1922 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas, USA Death: 29 August 2000 in Laguna Niguel, Orange County, California, USA Burial: 07 September 2000 in Rose Hills Memorial Park, Whittier, California Marriage: 12 July 1948 in Inglewood, Los Angeles County, California, USA Spouse: Edwin Wight GIDDINGS

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6	Name:	Walter James KOSHKO
M	Birth:	19 December 1929 in Kansas City, Kansas, USA
	Death:	30 March 1977 in Schell City, Vernon, Missouri, USA
	Burial:	04 April 1977 in Schell City, Missouri, USA
	Marriage:	22 May 1954 in Bates County, Missouri, USA
	Spouse:	Eula Euredile HENDERSON

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## Notes

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### Stefan Konstantinovich KOSHKO

Michalina (Mary) filed for divorce on December 11, 1944, to take effect 6-months from that date . Mary contended that Steve was "guilty of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty." During their marriage they acquired property at 3098 N. 12th Street, Kansas City, Kansas, USA. This property was acquired from Mike and Paulina KORDASH, March 22, 1926. On the deed Steve was known as Stef. They had also acquired property at 750 Simpson Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas, USA and was sold (as part of this divorce) to Anna and John Peter Myszka, Jr., for \$500. Mary received the residence at 3098 N. 12th Street, Kansas City, Kansas, USA and Steve received the \$500 from the sale of 750 Simpson Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas, USA. Steve was to pay \$40/month for the support of Walter (the only child under age). (Data from divorce papers in possession of Leonard Enlow 2009). There is family story that they remarried in 1954.

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Service: Entered Czar Nicholas army service Jan 1, 1908 and discharged Nov 6, 1910. Was transferred to 2nd class reserve 1917, transferred to Home Guard Dec 31, 1925. He had the rank of Senior Fireworker. He was from the Region of Grodno, District of Slonin, and Village of Diatlovo. (Data from discharge papers in possession of Leonard Enlow 2009)

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#### TEXT OF NEWSPAPER DEATH NOTICE: STEVE KOSHKO

Steve Koshko 81, of 515 North Eighty-sixth, Kansas City, Kansas, died Saturday at a Leavenworth, Kansas hospital. He was born in Grodno, Russia, and lived here 55 years. Mr. Koshko retired in 1953 after 40 years as a coach repairman for the Kansas City Terminal Railway company. He was a member of the Holy Trinity Russian Orthodox church, the Z.M.P. lodge, and the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America. Surviving are four sons, Tony Kosko, 345 North twenty-eight; Joseph Kasko, 8540 Barnett; John Kasko, 350 North twenty-ninth, and Walter Koshko, Downey, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Ann Myszka of the home, and Mrs. Mary Giddings, Downey, Calif., and 11 grandchildren. Services will be held at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday at the Butler chapel, 22 South Eighteenth, Kansas City, Kansas, and at 10 o'clock Wednesday at the church; Burial in the Mount Calvary cemetery. A prayer service will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night at the chapel, where friends may call from 6 to 9 o'clock Tuesday night. (copy in possession of Leonard Enlow, original in the possession of Linda LaPietra)

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Other information compiled by Mánya Giddings 1999. Most information from translated discharge papers in possession of Len Enlow (2009).

#### Stepan Konstantinovich Koshko

Born: February 13, 1886

Died: June 24, 1967

Region: Grodno

District: Slonin

Village: Diatlovo

Country: Byelorussia (now Belarus) Belonged to Poland until the end of WW I when they gained independence.

Grodno is close to Poland's NE corner and is south of Lithuania - north of the Ukraine.

Religion: Russian Orthodox

· Had one brother (name unknown)

· Parent's names unknown

· He was a beekeeper.

· Served in Czar Nicholas army, entered the service Jan 1, 1908

· Regiment: 2nd artillery stationed at Kronstadt ford in Finland

· Discharged honorably Nov 6, 1910

· Passport issued Feb 28, 1911, stamped March 1, 1911



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## Notes (con't)

- Traveled to USA and became a citizen Dec 9, 1926
- Married Mehelena Zybko
- Children: Joseph Charles, John, Anna, Tony, Mary, Walter James

Worked and retired from Kansas City terminal Railroad, had a semi-stroke, lived with Anna and died June 24, 1967 in Leavenworth, Kansas.

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U.S. Social Security Death Index

Given names : Steve

Surnames : Koshko

Birth date : 13 Feb 1886

Death date : Jun 1967

Social security number : 703-03-9374

Issued : Railroad Board

Residence : Kansas

Last residence : Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas

Age at death : 81

Last benefit :

Verify or proof code :

Description : Name index to deaths recorded by the Social Security Administration beginning in 1962.

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FROM: Ellis Island Information 17 March 2009

Stefan KASZKO: ARRIVAL: 06 April 1911; DEPARTED FROM: Hamburg; AGE: 25 years old, single;

ETHNICITY: Russian; RESIDENCE: Slonim, Russia; SHIP: Pretoria

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From Staatsarchiv Hamburg Passenger lists (1850-1934) Shows his departure 23 March 1911, he was a laborer. Ship was Pretoria a steamer and he traveled in steerage class.

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## Relationship Notes for Stefan Konstantinovich KOSHKO and Michalina Mary ZYBKO

Stepan and Michalina were divorced on December 11, 1944 and remarried in 1954 (Data from divorce papers in possession of Many Giddings 4-17-2000)

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## Michalina Mary ZYBKO

FROM: information compiled by Mánya Giddings 1999

Mehelena Zybko

Born: Aug 8, 1881

Died: April 20, 1955

Region: Grodno

District: Slonin

Village: Zenziel

Country: Bylerussia (now Belarus)

Religion: Catholic (Polish influence)

1. Mother & Father names unknown
2. Father had three brothers, one went to USA where she (Michalina) stayed with him when she went to USA. Stepan provided passage money without her knowledge.
3. Three younger sisters, Eve, Anna, Claudia, (Michalina was the oldest)
4. Two brothers, Josh (John), Bernard (youngest)
5. Josh came to USA after Mehelena
6. Bernard was taken away by soldiers during the revolution and never heard from since.

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**Notes (con't)**

7. Father owned small plot of land and was a pottery maker
8. They grew flax to make linen
9. Girls spun the flax during winters in order to weave cloth (Mánya has the first piece of cloth that was made completely by Mehelena)
10. First cousin in USA - Ignaius Zybko. He had eleven children: Walter, Anna, Helen, Joseph, Tony, Isabel, Adiene, Bernard, Frank, Casmir, Magalene.
11. Casmir died at age of 23, July 12, 1954 and is buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery Kansas City, Kansas, USA.
12. Died from sudden hardening of arteries.

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FROM: Mary Tady (Wife of Paul Michael Tady) TADY Family Tree at Ancestry.com.

She directed me to Ellis Island and found Michalina SHIBKO (should be ZYBKO). Site states that she arrived 3 Jun 1912, age 22, single, domestic occupation, departed Libau, Latvia, ship name Kursk. States she was staying with Father Josif Kosko, Kansas City, MO.

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KOSHKO - Mrs. Michalina Mary Koshko, 56, of 3098 North Twelfth, Kansas City, Kansas, was dead on arrival at the Providence hospital yesterday after suffering a heart attack at the home. Mrs. Koshko was born in Poland and had been a resident of Kansas City, Kansas, since 1912. She was a member of St Joseph's Catholic church. and the Z. N. P. lodge. Surviving are her husband, Steve Koshko of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Ann Myszka, 515 North Eighty-sixth, Wyandotte County, and Mrs. Mary Giddings, Downey, Calif., and four sons, Joseph Koshko, 634 Northrup; John Koshko 2918 Delavan; Tony Koshko, Los Angeles, and Walter Koshko, Bell, Calif.

FROM: Newspaper clipping in possession of Len Enlow 2009

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**Joseph Charles KASKO**

Joe joined the Navy and was on the USS Kwajulien (aircraft carrier). They divorced (Alma Clark) after he came back from the service. He met Delores Moore thru sister-in-law Mary, who was married to Edward Zawacki who was good friend of Joe.

Joe was a Water Tender Third Class (T) USNR when discharged for the Navy at Norman, Oklahoma. He entered active service 2-7-1944. (These facts taken from discharge papers copy in possession of Leonard Enlow, original in the possession of Linda LaPietra, 9-27-2000)

**Fact Notes for Joseph Charles KASKO**

Marriage (Delores Colleen MOORE): Miss Dolores Collen Moore, whose marriage to Mr. Joseph Charles Kasko, son of Mrs. Mary Kasko of Kansas City, Kansas, will take place Friday in the Quindaro Christian church. Miss Moore is a daughter of Mrs. Bertha Moore of Chadron, Neb. (From newspaper clipping)

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**John KASKO**

JOHN KASKO

John Kasko, 92, died January 07, 2007. Services 2:00 PM Wed., January 10th, at Chapel Hill-Butler Funeral Home, 701 N. 94th St., KCK. Burial Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Visitation after 1 :00 P.M. Wednesday at the funeral Home. CArr: Chapel Hill-Butler Funeral Home).  
Published in the Kansas City Star on 1/8/2007.

**Fact Notes for John KASKO**

Marriage (Margaret Ann ROOSE): Application for marriage No. 29981, dated 25 July 1941. He was at Ft. Leonard Wood in Missouri when he applied for a marriage license.

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**Anna K. KOSHKO**

Anna Myszka

Services for Anna K. Myszka, 76, Kansas City, Kan., will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the Joseph A. Butler & Son Funeral Home, 19th and Minnesota Ave.

Burial will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. The family suggests memorials to Cancer Action, Inc., Kansas City Kansas.



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**Notes (con't)**

Mrs. Myszka died Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1993, at Providence Medical Center. She was born in KCK and was a lifelong area resident.

She worked at Deluxe Check Printing before she retired in 1978. Mrs. Myszka was a Catholic.

Surviving are a son, John P. Myszka III, Kansas City Kansas; two daughters, Nancy A. Johnson, Orange California, and Karen S. Enlow, Corona, California

Calif.; a brother, John Koshko, Perry, Kan.; a sister, Manya R. Giddings, Leguna Nigual, California.

FROM: Kansas City Kansan, Friday, October 15, 1993. Len Enlow has the original clipping (2009)

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**Tony KOSKO**

Tony was 49 when he died in a car wreck along I-70 west of Concordia, Lafayette County, Missouri, USA. He was in the Merchant Marines in World War II.

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Name: Kosko, Tony

Birth Date: 25 October 1920 (Historical Events)

Death Date: September 1970 (Historical Events )

Issuing State: KANSAS

Death Residence:

Death Payment:

SSN: 510 - 12 - 4275

SOURCE: WorldVitalRecords

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**Walter James KOSHKO**

U.S. Social Security Death Index

Given names : Walter

Surnames : Koshko

Birth date : 19 Dec 1929

Death date : Mar 1977

Social security number : 512-26-4236

Issued : Kansas

Residence : Missouri

Last residence : Schell City, Vernon, Missouri

Age at death : 48

Last benefit : Schell City, Vernon, Missouri

Verify or proof code :

Description : Name index to deaths recorded by the Social Security Administration beginning in 1962.

