



**Patriot Joseph Morgan  
Platte City, Missouri  
1738-1841**

Joseph Morgan assisted in establishing American Independence as a Private, Capt De La Deson's Company, San Tout Regiment, French Army. His U.S. pension application was rejected because his service was in the French Army.

Joseph was born 1738, Rome, Italy; died 22 December 1841, Platte County, Missouri; and buried Platte City Cemetery, Platte County, Missouri. John married Jennie McEwan. Jennie was born 1762, Ireland; died November 1845, Platte County, Missouri; and buried adjacent to Joseph at the Platte City Cemetery. Children:

- Margaret Morgan (1804-1889). Margaret married George Kay.

Platte City Cemetery is a public cemetery located at 300-400 North Street, Platte City, Platte County, Missouri. Joseph's grave is in the center section near 4th and Petunia Drive, at coordinates: N39° 22' 31.35" and W94° 46' 47.28". His gravesite has been marked by the DAR St. Joseph Chapter.

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