



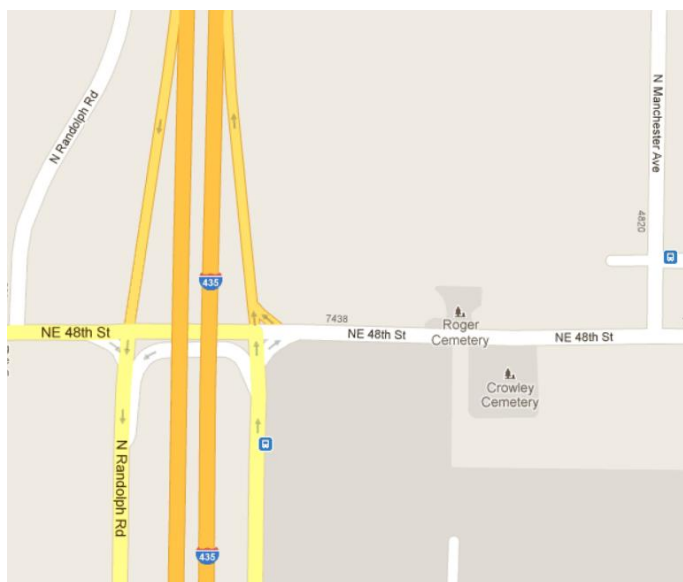
## Patriot James Crowley Clay County, Missouri 1764-1840

James Crowley assisted in establishing American Independence as a Private, Capt. Madison, Capt. Gamble, and Capt. Nevill's Company, Col. James Wood's Regiment, Virginia Militia. His service is documented in his pension application S15790 at the U.S. National Archives & Records Administration.

James (son of Samuel Crowley and Elizabeth Strong) was born 20 May 1764, Henry County, Virginia; died 04 Sep 1840, Clay County, Missouri; and buried in Clay County, Missouri. James married Mary McClain (daughter of Thomas and Susannah McClain) in 1786, Henry County, Virginia. Mary was born 1770, Henry County, Virginia; and died 04 Sep 1844, Clay County, Missouri. Children:

- Samuel Crowley (1786-1849). Samuel married Celia Mayo.
- Elizabeth Crowley (1789- ).
- John Crowley (1792-1877). John married Sarah Mayo.
- Thomas Crowley (1792- ).
- James Isham Crowley (1795-1878).
- Nancy Crowley (1800-1873). Nancy married John Wilson.
- Hiram Crowley (1801- ). Hiram married Matilda Stephenson.
- Hulda Crowley (1803-1889).

A memorial marker is located at Crowley Cemetery near 7400-7700 NE 48<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, Clay County, Missouri. James' marker is at the south end at coordinates N39° 10' 48.01" and W94° 29' 23.83". James Crowley is believed buried rural Clay County, Missouri.



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