First Generation

1. Louis Ouvre dit Grandlouis was born in 1777 in Ormond Parish, Lesceuse, France.¹ (Image 778) He lived in St Ferdinand Township, Illinois in 1793.² He lived in St Ferdinand, St Louis District, Louisiana and Missouri Territory in 1810.³ Louis lived in Florissant, St Louis, Missouri in 1830.⁴ He lived in St Ferdinand, St Louis, Missouri in 1840.⁵ He was buried on 20 Feb 1844 in St Ferdinand Cemetery, Florissant, Missouri.⁶ (Image 879) Louis died on 20 Feb 1844 at the age of 67 in Florissant, Missouri.⁷ Link to parents: Marriage record names parents Antoine Auvray and Marguerite Ouel.

NOTES

Louis Auvray married Catherine Rivet in the old cathedral, St. Louis, Missouri on 7 February 1797. (Film 008119509, Images 658, 778, 779 on FamilySearch)

The burial record says "Mr Louis Ouvre (alias Grand Louis)."

^{1.} Marriage record from St Louis King of France (Old Cathedral), St Louis, Missouri, Film 008119509 on FamilySearch.

^{2.} Illinois, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes Index, 1810-1890 on Ancestry.

^{3.} U.S. Census Reconstructed Records, 1660-1820 on Ancestry.

^{4. 1830} United States Census.

^{5. 1840} United States Census.

^{6.} Death record from St Ferdinand, Florissant, MO - Film 008119510 on FamilySearch.

^{7.} Ibid.