

The Final Resting Place of David Thomas Lenox



This is the new marker for David Thomas Lenox. He was moved from the Blue Mountain (Kees) Cemetery to the cemetery at the West Union Baptist Church in West Union, Oregon in about 1960. He now rests beside his wife, the former Louisa Swan.

This sign is located on the front of the West Union Baptist Church. Organized May 25, 1844 in the Lenox home this is the oldest Baptist Church west of the Rockies.

Regular services are still being conducted in this building, built in 1855



This plaque was first placed on the Lenox crypt in 1924 by his grandson. When he was moved to the cemetery at the West Union Baptist Church around 1960, the plaque traveled with him. It contains the family crest and a motto in Latin translated to say "The value of a gift is in the giver"

(If you know the significance of the elements in the crest, please email me.)