

## Willis Bartlett Shellhorn & Emma Mae Kelley Shellhorn

**Willis Bartlett Shellhorn** was born in Sep 1866 in Richardson, Nebraska. He was the son of **John Shellhorn** and **Mary Frances Lyda Shellhorn**. This family moved to New Mexico by 1870 from Nebraska. He lived in the Mogollon and Whitewater Canyon area. In his homestead papers Willis states he established residence on the land in Glenwood on 20 May 1912 and built his house at that time. His occupation was a rancher and cattleman. He died on 20 Apr 1922 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico. Cause of death was Influenza and pneumonia with a contributory cause of Chronic Nephritis. He was buried in Alma Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico on 22 Apr 1922. Tombstone states Birth 1866 & Death 1924, however Death Certificate states he died 20 April 1922 and buried on 22 Apr 1922 in Alma.

Willis married **Emma Mae Kelley** on 28 Feb 1899 in Alma, Catron, New Mexico. Emma was born on 17 Feb 1882 in Aragon, Catron, New Mexico. She was the daughter of **Patrick Henry Kelley** & **Felicita Baca Fajardo Kelley**. After the death of Willis she married **William Author Trotter** about 1927 in New Mexico. He died 15 Nov 1934 and she remained a widow the rest of her life. She died on 15 May 1962 in Silver City, Grant, New Mexico in Watts Hospital. Cause of death was Bilateral Pneumonia, Chronic Myocarditis and right heart failure. She was buried in Glenwood Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico on 18 May 1962.

They had the following children:

**Leonard Edward Shellhorn** was born on 2 Jun 1900 in Alma, Catron, New Mexico. He was named after his Uncle Len Shellhorn but went by the name of Edward. He married Rhoda Burn about 1922 in New Mexico. Rhoda died in a car wreck and Edward married Olive Hope Walker in 1931. They were divorced and he later married Golda Clark. He lived in Mogollon, Glenwood and Silver City area most of his life. Edward died on 24 Feb 1977 in Albuquerque, Bernalillo, New Mexico and was buried on 1 Mar 1977 in the Glenwood Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico.



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**Essie Mae Shellhorn** was born on 13 May 1902 in Mogollon, Catron, New Mexico. She married Benjamin Harrison (Harry) Hughes on 13 Dec 1920, John Thomas Bearup on 2 Apr 1926 and Herman Bee Williams on 20 Nov 1934. She was the mother of 5 children. She lived in several different areas in New Mexico, Oregon, and Arizona. She was residing in Tucson, AZ at the time of death. Essie died on 25 Jul 1969 in Goldthwaite, Mills, Texas while visiting her daughter. Death was due to Acute Myocardial Infarction due to Coronary Sclerosis. She was buried on 29 Jul 1969 in Evergreen Cemetery, Tucson, Pima, Arizona.

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**Emma Mae KELLEY SHELLHORN**

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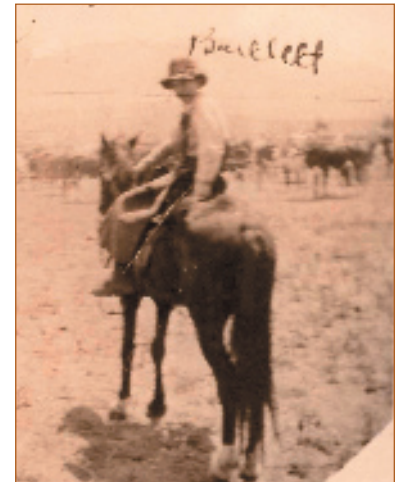
**Willis Bartlett Shellhorn** was born on 3 Jul 1905 in Mogollon, Catron, New Mexico. He was known as Bartlett. His death was from an accidental gun shot wound at the age of 14. He was hunting and crawled under a fence when he stumbled and the gun accidental went off killing him. He died on 7 Mar 1919 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico. He was buried in Alma Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico.

**Stella Inez Shellhorn** was born on 21 Oct 1908 in Mogollon, Catron, New Mexico. She was known as Inez and married Doug Norris on 6 Jun 1930. They had one daughter. Inez & Doug lived in Chambers, AZ and owned a Motel and Gift Shop. She died on 12 Aug 1979 in Albuquerque, Bernalillo, New Mexico and was buried on 14 Aug 1979 in Glenwood Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico.

**Garnett Marie Shellhorn** was born on 9 Sep 1912 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico. She married Ed Rozell 20 Jul 1930 then Paul Rooks on 5 Oct 1935. Garnett was the mother of two children. Paul and Garnett owned a Motel and Gift Shop in Chambers, AZ. She died on 27 Oct 1989 in Albuquerque, Bernalillo, New Mexico and was buried on 31 Oct 1989 in Glenwood Cemetery, Catron, New Mexico.

**Charles Kenneth Shellhorn** was born on 1 Jun 1916 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico. He was known as Kenneth and was a lifelong resident of Glenwood. He married Margie Haas 23 Apr 1938 and they were the parents of 6 children. He died on 7 Sep 1996 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico and was buried in Sep 1996 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico.

**Harriet Sara Shellhorn** was born on 4 Mar 1919 in Glenwood, Catron, New Mexico. She married John Flack, Floyd Glover then Walter Marty on 16 Sep 1954. Harriet lived in Chambers, AZ and was residing in Tucson, AZ at the time of her death. She was the mother of 3 children. She died on 5 Feb 2001 in Tucson, Pima, Arizona. She was Cremated with the Ashes being placed in the Glenwood Cemetery, Glenwood, New Mexico.



Willis Bartlett Shellhorn,  
known as 'Bartlett'



**Shellhorn Kids**

(standing) Kenneth, Inez & Edward  
(seated) Essie, Garnett & Harriett