

ISAAC LOREN AND ANNA EAGAR COVINGTON

Loren born: February 20, 1885, Orderville, Utah

Died: May 27, 1970, St. George, Utah

Anna born: June 16, 1896, Virgin, Utah

Died: April 19, 1983

Loren began attending Brigham Young University in 1905 at age nineteen. He was among the first graduating class of the Arts. He painted and sold many pictures to help pay his tuition and support his family. He also gave many paintings to friends and family as wedding gifts.

Loren and Anna were married on December 27, 1916, in the St. George Temple. They had a double wedding ceremony with Anna's brother, William Hinton Eagar and Mary Workman.

Stanley Bradshaw took the two couples to St. George to be married. It was a real treat for them to travel by car. The hotel they stayed in was being remodeled and didn't have lights, so they used candles. At this time, they saw and ate grapefruit for the very first time!

Anna is remembered for her talent of making candy. Loren and Anna were the parents of five boys and one girl. Loren was painting until his death, age 85. Anna enjoyed her family and church work until her death.

The paintings shown in the Pioneer Courthouse are a sample of the paintings that have hung in churches, temples and homes throughout the United States and the world.

The mural on the left is of Angel's Flight at Zion National Park, and the one on the right is of the Grand Canyon.