

Dave Erickson Note: When you view and compare the 1900-1940 census records you will see inconsistent spelling of first and last names i.e. Hovstad vs. Hofstad, Gunhild vs. Gunila and Jakob vs. Jacob. You may also note other inconsistencies including dates. I am sure this has a lot to do with a language barrier, human error transcribing handwritten text as well as other reasons.

First Name - **Jakob**

Last Name - **Hovstad**

Birth Place - **Norway**

Birth Year - **May 1863**

Age - **37**

Census Year - **1900**

State - **Minnesota**

County - **Polk**

Gender - **Male**

Marital Status - **Married**

Years Of Marriage - **5**

Estimated Marriage Year - **1895**

Race - **White**

Ethnicity - **American**

Father's Birth Place - **Norway**

Head Of Household First Name - **Jakob**

Head Of Household Last Name - **Hovstad**

Spouse's Given Name - **Helga**

Spouse's Surname - **Hovstad**

Spouse's Birth Place - **Norway**

Immigration Year - **1886**

Relationship To Head of Household - **Self**

First Name - **Helga**

Last Name - **Hovstad**

Birth Place - **Norway**

Birth Year - **Nov 1866**

Age - **34**

Census Year - **1900**

State - **Minnesota**

County - **Polk**

Gender - **Female**

Marital Status - **Married**

Years Of Marriage - **5**

Estimated Marriage Year - **1895**

Race - **White**

Ethnicity - **American**

Father's Birth Place - **Norway**

Head Of Household First Name - **Jakob**

Head Of Household Last Name - **Hovstad**

Spouse's Given Name - **Jakob**

Spouse's Surname - **Hovstad**

Spouse's Birth Place - **Norway**

Immigration Year - **1892**

Relationship To Head of Household - **Wife**

Number Of Living Children - **3**

First Name - **Cristine**

Last Name - **Hovstad**

Birth Place - **Minnesota**

Birth Year - **Sep 1896**

Age - **4**

Census Year - **1900**

State - **Minnesota**

County - **Polk**

Gender - **Female**

Marital Status - **Single**

Race - **White**

Ethnicity - **American**

Mother's Given Name - **Helga**

Mother's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's First Name - **Jakob**

Father's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's Birth Place - **Norway**

Head Of Household First Name - **Jakob**

Head Of Household Last Name - **Hovstad**

Relationship To Head of Household - **Daughter**

First Name - **Gunhild**

Last Name - **Hovstad**

Birth Place - **Minnesota**

Birth Year - **Dec 1897**

Age - **3**

Census Year - **1900**

State - **Minnesota**

County - **Polk**

Gender - **Female**

Marital Status - **Single**

Race - **White**

Ethnicity - **American**

Mother's Given Name - **Helga**

Mother's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's First Name - **Jakob**

Father's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's Birth Place - **Norway**

Head Of Household First Name - **Jakob**

Head Of Household Last Name - **Hovstad**

Relationship To Head of Household - **Daughter**

First Name - **Margit**

Last Name - **Hovstad**

Birth Place - **Minnesota**

Birth Year - **Feb 1900**

Age - **0**

Census Year - **1900**

State - **Minnesota**

County - **Polk**

Gender - **Female**

Marital Status - **Single**

Race - **White**

Ethnicity - **American**

Mother's Given Name - **Helga**

Mother's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's First Name - **Jakob**

Father's Last Name - **Hovstad**

Father's Birth Place - **Norway**

Head Of Household First Name - **Jakob**

Head Of Household Last Name - **Hovstad**

Relationship To Head of Household - **Daughter**