

NOTABLE MEN & WOMEN OF TEMECULA VALLEY

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JOSE ANTONIO ESTUDILLO - 1805 - 1852

Portrayed by **Bill Veale**

Husband and father of twelve who was an amansador (horse trainer) and later, a rancher and local politician.

SAMUEL "O.T." HACKETT - 1836 - 1920

Portrayed by **Gerry Nicholas**

Stagecoach driver who owned and operated the local mail route from San Diego to Temecula.



MARY JANE WELTY - 1840 - 1937

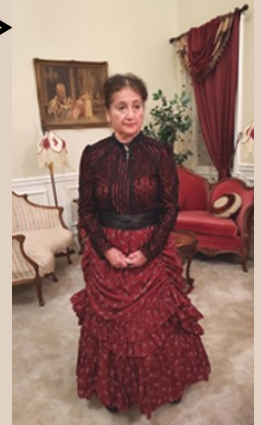
Portrayed by **Bonnie Martland**

Homestead wife, mother, and pioneer traveler who owned and operated the Welty Hotel in Temecula.

RAMONA WOLF - 1846 - 1894

Portrayed by **Rosalinda Del Castillo**

Wife & mother who, with her husband, Louis, owned the Little Temecula Rancho and the Wolf Store adobe.



ELENA COUTS DEAR - 1862 - 1952

Portrayed by **Bonnie Martland**

Descendant of a prominent Californio family who resided at Rancho Guajome and later at Rancho Santa Rosa.

YSABEL "BESSIE" BARNETT - 1879 - 1969

Presented by **Loretta Barnett**

Wife & mother who was the first Caucasian child born and raised in the Temecula valley.



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CATHERINE "TRIXIE" FERNALD - 1879 - 1946

Portrayed by **Shelley Leddy**

Wife and mother who with her husband owned a quarry and a general store & photography studio in Temecula.

EDNA HALL SWANGUEN - 1896 - 1973

Portrayed by **Michele Elling**

Wife & mother, owner of Hall's Café who was Temecula's colorful telephone switchboard operator.



ANNIE MENDENHALL BERGMAN: 1895 - 1998

Presented by **Mindy Johnson**

Wife & mother, postmaster, and rancher born on Palomar mountain & lived most of her life in Aguanga.



JEAN BETHELL - 1902 - 2002

Portrayed by **Julie Gilbert**

Secretary to Erle Stanley Gardner, famous author of the Perry Mason mystery novels.



E. HALE CURRAN - 1900 - 1999

Portrayed by **Mindy Johnson**

Business woman who grew up in the Fountain House Hotel and was employed at Guenther's Murrieta Hot Springs Resort.



The Temecula Valley Historical Society meets on the fourth Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the "Little Temecula History Center" located on the corner of Redhawk Pkwy and Wolf Store Road (next to Kohl's). We have a "Meet & Greet" time with refreshments at 5:30 p.m. Our programs are free and open to the public, and are presented by knowledgeable historians. For more information visit our website: www.temeculahistory.org,

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