

NC

WILLIAM

U

○ See Profile of Frances Nevier - Entry 15 pg 7 30 MAY 2000

Recently Frances and their cousin visited Yates Mill in Wake Co, NC. A workman named AUSTIN GRATON overheard Frances & cousin discussing Upchurch family history. He came over and volunteered that while in service he had a Battalion Commander named: BILL U [scrapfile or

WILLIAM U]

whom he greatly admired. It appears this was a National Guard unit. Bill U either lived originally in Tucson, AZ or lived there now or the same encountered war in Tucson, AZ

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WILLIAM

U, SR

- Input from EMAIL 10 FEB 2009 William U, Sr & RPH
 (He makes no reference to our exchange which he indicated
 on 6 OCT 2008).
 From 10 FEB 2009 Email

I - - U

- 10 FEB, 2009
 Email says
 family was
 from
 Greene Co, AL
- △ A. Jasper U or Monk U (Info from 6 OCT Email; 10 FEB ^{only} MONK)
 - △ C. 1. William U, Sr to Birmingham, Jefferson Co, AL
 a. William U, Jr
 - △ B. Lanier U (Info in both 6 OCT & 10 FEB emails)
 - △ C. Parker U (Info in 6 OCT Email)
 - △ D. Mary U → (Info from 10 FEB Email)

(Note - Email says B, C, D were siblings - I assume
 siblings of A not of WMSR - RPH)

RPH Note - As of 11 FEB 2009 I find some of the name
 of the above in my files but still cannot create
 a Family going backwards. Still uncertain of this
 family is white or black.

② WILLIAM

U, SR

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6 OCT
2006

Subject: Website Contact form submitted by william upchurch sr
From: ~~william.upchurch@comcast.net~~xxxxxxx
Date: Mon, Oct 06, 2008 7:49 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

The following Contact Us form has been submitted to Phil Upchurch:

Name: william upchurch sr

Email: ~~william.upchurch@comcast.net~~xxxx

I was born in birmingham alabama father name was Jasper or monk.brothers was Lawyer, parker,

②

7 OCT
2006

Subject: RE: Website Contact form submitted by william upchurch sr
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Oct 07, 2008 5:36 am
To: ~~william.upchurch@comcast.net~~xxxx

Hi William---

I am pleased to have your contact and always try to help with questions about Upchurch records. I spent about an hour last night working with the names you gave me but could not start a family tree. I will need a little more information to have a chance of success. Can you give me your full name and date and place of birth, your mothers full maiden name and date and place of birth. Those fact

③ RPU Note - 7 OCT 2008 - The results of my search on behalf of William U, Sr (see ① above) leads me to believe he is an African-American. I find two men by the name of Lawyer U in the records for AL - both appear to be African-American. I also find a MONK U who died 18 FEB 1958 in Jefferson Co, AL where Bernayham is located.

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Subject: Website Contact form submitted by william upchurch sr
From: ~~william.upchurch@comcast.net~~xxxx
Date: Tue, Feb 10, 2009 5:38 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

[Note that he makes no reference to his earlier email - RPU]

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Name: william upchurch sr

Email: ~~william.upchurch@comcast.net~~

my father name was monk upchurch brother lawyer upchurch sister mary upchurch from green al can you tell what clan they are from

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WILLIAM

U, SR

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17 FEB
2009

Subject: RE: Website Contact form submitted by william upchurch sr
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Wed, Feb 11, 2009 8:01 am
To: william.upchurch@comcast.netxx

Hi William---

I am glad you decided to continue our interaction which started with your email of 6 OCT 2008. I have spent some more time this morning trying to establish your family line without success. However, I do find hints in my records about people who may be part of your family. I need you to send me as many bits of information as you can which I will place in my files. At some point we should be able to make a family outline.

I find two individuals in Alabama by the name of Lawyer Upchurch:

Lawyer Upchurch born 1 AUG 1901 died 15 OCT 1966

Lawyer Upchurch born 9 APR 1900 died DEC 1984

Can you tell me if one of these is the lawyer who was your Uncle?

I have a Monk Upchurch who died in Jefferson Co., Alabama on 18 FEB 1958. Would that be your father?

I have a list of 24 upchurches who died in Jefferson Co., AL between 1908 and 1959. Can you tell me if you had Upchurch relatives other than Monk who could have been in this list?

I know this is a slow process but it is the only way I know to try to solve the puzzle.

Will be happy to continue to work with you.

Phil Upchurch

⑥ 27 JUL 2009 - Tara U emailed me about the same family as William U, Sr contact

⑦ 9 MAY 2012 - Emailed U-E Newdell 6 MAY 2012 - Gata Faulstich Note - Cancelled in Address Book

WILLIAM

U

○ RPU Download 26 AUG 2011

U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name: **Wm. Upchurch**
Side: Confederate
Regiment: Alabama
State/Origin:
Regiment Name: 5 Alabama Cavalry
Regiment Name Expanded: 5th Regiment, Alabama Cavalry
Company: C
Film Number: M374 roll 45

WILLIAM
FL

FV

WILLIAM

U

b 1898 (FL) & 1978 (FL)

○ SOCIAL SECURITY OUTPUT 1870-1991

WILLIAM	UPCHURCH	BIRTH	FL	07/15/1898	262-81-3994
WILLIAM	UPCHURCH	DEATH	FL	05/00/1978	262-01-2994 XXX

NOTE: As of 1 MAY 2003 it does not appear that this William U fits into the FL family of the Nathaniel Smith U line of the Nathan U, F / Gilbert U Subclan - RPH

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WILLIAM

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AL MARRIAGES 1800-1920 In Sta 21 OCT 2002
Charles John Peterson, Jr Ed RPU

Alabama Marriage Records, 1800-1920			(COUNTY)
Husband	Wife	Marriage date	Place
K. B. Upchurch	Martha S. Hanby	04 Feb 1866	Lawrence
<u>Wm. Upchurch</u> ↑	Rhoda Jane Manus	02 Jul 1865	Lawrence

AL

WILLIAM
b 1860 (AL)

U

○ The Following Citations may involve individuals of a closely related Upchurch Family - RPA 15 JAN 1999

I. Arguably an Upchurch Male Patriarch to about 1840

II. 1900 Census - Cleburne Co, AL

William U age 40 b OCT 1859 (AL)

Martha U age 31 b JAN 1869 (AL)

Sydney U son age 8 b SEP 1891 (AL)

+ 7 Boarders (not named)

III. 1910 Census - Calhoun Co, AL

William K. U age 50

Sarah F. U WIF age 34 b GA

ALBERTA U SON age 18 [Maybe a gambler SYLVESTER - RPA]

+ 3 Boarders (not named)

Went about 20

IV. 1980 Census - AL - Candidates for a William U to about 1859-

• William Joppa U 21 - not a good fit as other information shows him born 4 AUG 1857

• William C U 20 - not a good fit as he named Anne Wilhelmina Gulyby which does not fit either wife listed in II & III

V. Social Security Output 1870-1991

SYLVESTER	UPCHURCH	BIRTH	AL	09/10/1891	421-07-5433
SYLVESTER	UPCHURCH	DEATH	AL	09/00/1974	421-07-5433

NOTE: This is most likely the SYLVESTER shown in II

AL

WILLIAM ①

U

XID-10437

○ Re Exchanges between Lois Taylor and William
Kendrick U, Sr in 1964 - RPA Comments 9 AUG 2002

Cross Reference thru sheet in Profiles of William
Kendrick U, Sr. Also Lois Taylor as possibly
Lois McGraw. File letters for present under Profile
of Lois Taylor. Ltr dated 6 FEB 1964, 9 JAN 1964, 14 NOV
1964, 20 NOV 1964 + an earlier one not yet found.

Lois had a heritage linked to the Abel U, Sr/
Benjamin U Subden but may not have been
an Upchurch descendant. She is definitely linked
to members of the MCGRAW family who definitely
married into the Abel U, Sr / Benjamin U Subden

As of 9 AUG 2002 RPA show the above
mentioned Benjamin U had sons:

- Churchill U XID-10443 - md 10 MAR 1861
(Lauderdale Co, MS) Elizabeth M. McGraw
XID-26043
- William U XID-10437 - md 1864 (MS)
Mary McGraw XID-1835

HOWEVER: Lois Taylor refers to her Great Aunt Mary
Elizabeth McGraw and says she md 10 MAR 1861
(Meridian, Lauderdale Co, MS) her "Uncle" [Could be
her Great Uncle by marriage ?? - RPA] William Church-
well U - This poses the question are XID-10443 +
XID-10437 one & the same and are XID-26043
& XID-1835 one and the same. Need to Resolve.
RPA 9 AUG 2002

○ FROM 42 Pg 23

William UPCHURCH(11)

William UPCHURCH(11) has been a big mystery as he has been very elusive. Until he showed up in 1880 Clarke County, Mississippi, in the household next to his brother, Benjamin Newton UPCHURCH(15),⁸³ it was not known that he was the son born to Benjamin(7) in the time span of 1830 to 1835. By 1850 William had left his father's household,⁸⁴ and was not found again in any Mississippi records until the 1880 census. William UPCHURCH(11) was born about 1830 in Alabama. Around 1864 he married Mary McGRAW, the daughter of Betsie ?. Mary was born about 1835 in Alabama. Mary was probably a sister to Elizabeth M. and Hannah J.

McGRAW who also married brothers of William. William had four known children: John Benjamin UPCHURCH(18); George E. UPCHURCH(19); Richard UPCHURCH(20); and Sonny UPCHURCH(21). Richard UPCHURCH(20) and Sonny UPCHURCH(21) were born in Mississippi about 1875 and 1878, respectively.⁸⁵ Nothing else has been found on either of these children.

① See 1880 Census - Clarke Co, MS

William U WM 50 b MS
 Mary U wife 45 b AL [MARY MCGRAW]
 John B. U. son 14 b MS
 George U son 10 b MS
 Richard U son 5 b MS
 Sonney U son 2 b MS
 Betsie McGraw Mother-in-law 60 b SC.

[Note on the 1880 Census of Clarke Co, MS there is a Fygie McGraw age 19 step dau in the home of Benjamin U age 35 b MS. There two McGraw's may help link the two families - RPH]

② See It 6 APR 1983 Genevieve Ellen Sharp D RPH

A. Abel U Sr (XFD-589)

A. Bartley U

B. Benjamin U b 1805 NC d 8 FEB 1863 (Atlanta, GA)

1. William U b 1830 md Mary - b 1835 (AL)

a. John B. U b 1866 MS

b. George U b 1870 MS

c. Richard U b 1875 MS

d. Sonney U b 1878 MS (87)

③ See It 6 AUG 1998 William Lee Padilla D A A

William U b 1833 md 1864 (MS) Mary McGraw.

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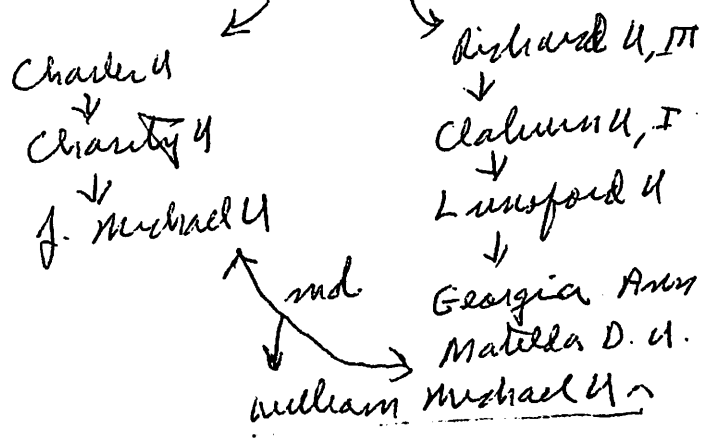
WILLIAM

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① From Land Records File - to RPA from Gilbert Kendrick Alford, Jr 11 NOV 1998 1 ALABAMA ENTRY for WILLIAM U

ACCESS_NR AL4840__285
 IMAGE_NAME 00020080
 VOL_ID 070
 DESCRIP_NR 1
 ALIQUOT_PT SWNE
 SECTION_NR 33
 TOWNSHIP 19S
 RANGE 9E
 BLOCK_NR
 MERIDAN_CD HUNTSVILLE
 TOTAL_ACRE 40.2750
 FRAC_SECT N
 PATENT_L_N UPCHURCH
 PATENT_F_N WILLIAM
 PATENT M I K
 L_O_CODE MONTGOMERY
 DOCUMENT_N 13365
 MISC_DOC_N 22390
 TITLE_AUTH HOMESTEAD
 SIGNATURE Y
 SIGN_DATE 1895/01/31
 SUBSU_RESV N
 METES_BOUN N
 SURVY_DATE
 WARR_L_NAM
 WARR_F_NAM
 CANCEL_DOC N
 MULT_PATEN N
 MULT_WARR N
 REMARKS

② NOTE: Best guess is that there is William Michael U son of J. Michael U & Georgia Ann Matilda D. U will cross file under William Michael U & William U
 Richard U, II



AL

WILLIAM

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○ See Greene Co, AL Geographical File - Entry 10 APR 2001
- to RPA by Catherine Virginia Hale

This item is an index to Upchurch family members in an unnamed book. [RPA as of 18 APR 2001 may not include this group]

UPCHURCH FAMILY - Pg 67

A. J. U - Pg 68

Remainder of entries on Pg 86 as follows:

ANNIE LAURIE U

LUDAY U

WM U ↑

BETTIE ELIZABETH U

MARY U

WINNIFRED

EMMA VA. U

RICHARD

VA. U

JAS ISLAN U

BEVERLY U

STEVE U

AL DEATH RECORDS 1908-1959
 In Iti 21 OCT 2002 Charles John Peterson, Jr Ed RPM

WILLIAM
 b c 7 d 1918 (AL) U

Name	Death Date	Death County	Vol.	Certificate	Comment
Azzile Upchurch	Dec-31	Greene	53	26492	
Charity Upchurch	Jul-25	Greene	32	15944	
Cheny Upchurch	4-May-51	Greene	25	12017	
Eliza Upchurch	10-May-21	Greene	17	8124	
Ethel Upchurch	17 ?? 1910	Greene	7	42??	
Eugenia Upchurch	Dec-38	Greene	55	27275	
Fannie E Upchurch	5-Mar-56	Greene	45	22420	
Hunley Upchurch	Dec-28	Greene	59	29118	
Laura A. Upchurch	Jul-23	Greene	29	14397	
Laura Upchurch	26-Mar-47	Greene	10	4617	
Leanna Upchurch	16-Mar-18	Greene	9	40	
Lee E. Upchurch	Nov-30	Greene	51	25412	
Mary Upchurch	30 ?? 1910	Greene	7	431	
Mattie P Upchurch	30-Jun-58	Greene	27	13423	
Sarah A Upchurch	Jan-39	Greene	7	3072	
Sarah Upchurch	16-Oct-16	Greene	14	76	
Tie Upchurch	17-Apr-19	Greene	12	158	
Tom Upchurch	2-May-09	Greene	7	7	
Willie Upchurch	Mar-32	Greene	10	4922	
<u>Wm. Upchurch</u>	19-Jul-18	Greene	23	116	

GA

WILLIAM

U

Rec'd in its 6 AUG 1994 Katherine Ann McEel DRM

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GEORGIA, Henry County.

THOMAS GAY U, SR
EATON U
RICHARD S. MASON

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,
THAT WE, Gay Upchurch Eaton
Upchurch and Richard S. Mason

acknowledge ourselves jointly and severally bound unto the Judges of the Inferior Court when sitting as a Court of Ordinary of said county, and their successors and assigns, in the just and full sum of one thousand

11 MAY 1840

Dollars, to the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and the heirs and executors of us and each of us, jointly and severally, by these Presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this Eleventh day of May 1840

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That if the above bound Gay Upchurch

who was this day appointed Guardian of the person and property of

William Upchurch

Orphan Child of Elizabeth Upchurch deceased, his acknowledging of the same by his acceptance of said appointment, and of Letters of Guardianship of this date; shall well and truly maintain, clothe and educate said orphan according to his circumstances, and shall take good and lawful care of his person and property according to the laws of this State, and shall annually make a just and true return of all his actings and doings herein, unto the said Court, then this obligation to be void: else to remain in full force.

In Witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written.

WILLIAM U

NOTE: The role or Upchurch connection of Richard S. Mason in this transaction is not clear.

Gay & Eaton are William Upchurch brothers. Best guess is that William U, the illegitimate youth, is a son of a female Upchurch. Gay would not have had dau old enough to have had such a son. Eaton U did have dau old enough to have had such a son. However, the best guess is that this William U is William Green U, the illegitimate son of Charity U, a sister of Gay and Eaton.

[L. S.]
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○ FROM 1995 CD-ROM

Upchurch Stephen S	3559 Salem Rd	Covington	GA 30209-8739	404-787-6256
<u>Upchurch William</u> [†]	Bagley Dr	Cumming	GA 30130	404-887-8685
Upchurch O L		Dahlonega	GA 30533	706-864-7143
Upchurch Jimmy	1253 Creekwood Pass	Dallas	GA 30132-4645	404-445-3475
Upchurch Ronald E	Cstlbry Bri Rd	Dawsonville	GA 30534	706-265-2759

GA ① WILLIAM U

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[CROSSFILE WITH WILLIAM LEWIS HUSTON GREEN]

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Gay Upchurch [L. S.]
Eaton Upchurch [L. S.]
Richard S. Mason [L. S.]

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NOTE #1 A William U appears on the 1880 census for
Lamar Co, TX but no other information - This could
be WILLIAM GREEN U - RPH

NOTE #2. The son of Charity U is AKA William Lewis Green ↑

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NOTE - Need to establish whether or not this William U
who was adopted by Thomas Gay U Sr was:

#1 • The son of his sister Charity S. U

#2 • The same as the William Jesse U who
was in Henry Co, GA on 1850 census and in
Sanaca Co, TX on 1860 census & beyond.

#3 • Both #1 & #2

[see Master outline of Charles U / Charity S. U
Subplan for tentatively placed family of
William Jesse U]

- RPH
22 JUN 2002

GA

WILLIAM U
b 1882 (GA) d 1882 (GA)

XID-3111

① See Attachment to 18 SEP 1978 It's Belle West to RPH

William U b 21 MAR 1882, d same day was son
of Joseph Junghen and Betty M. (Robison) U. of
Charles/Thomas Gay U clan. See chart.

② See It's 28 JAN 1989 Mary Jo U to RPH

William U b, d & bur at Waco, GA.

① See file 22 JAN 1991 Garland Rudolph U, Sr DRPH

I. Richard U, III - Head of clan

A. Clavern U, I

1. Richard U, IV

a. Kenyon Brannon U, I and Martha
Susan Hamby

Martha Susan (Hamby) U kept a bible in which she listed her children. Also listed in the bible is the notation "William [middle initial not legible] Upchurch ↑ Date NOV ? 0, 1867".

NOTE: This William U ↑ has no reasonable fit as a child or nephew of Kenyon Brannon U, I. The closest fit would be William Clavern U b AUG 1822 (Harrods Co, GA) d 2 1900 and 17 MAR 1842 (Henry Co, GA) Mary J. Whitaker b 1822 (GA), who was an Uncle of Kenyon Brannon U, I
- RPH]