

**David Upchurch****XID – 8334**

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**(1) David Upchurch** born 1836 is son of Adam Upchurch born 1797 and grandson of Sherwood Upchurch (Head of Clan #10) (29, Page 41).

**(2)** See 1840 Census – Rutherford Co., NC.

**David Upchurch** fits a male 0-5 slot in the home of his father Adam Upchurch. There are 9 children in the home plus the mother and father.

**(3)** See 1850 Census – Rutherford Co., NC.

Adam Upchurch	53	M	
Elizabeth Upchurch	50	F	[nee Elizabeth Freeman]
<b><u>David Upchurch</u></b>	14	M	
+ 5 other children			

**(4)** See 1860 Census – Carroll Co., GA.

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**(5)** See 1870 Census – Carroll Co., GA #1615.

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**(6)** See 1880 census – Carroll Co., GA 30/45

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Francis O. Upchurch*		12	Daughter	born GA
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[spelled Forancis by annotator]				

**(7)** See letter 15 Apr 1990 Ray NMN White, Jr. to RPU.

Lucinda Upchurch of Rutherford Co., NC (possible age = 57?) applied for a Confederate pension. One record shows her as a widow of Daniel Upchurch, and this record shows her as a widow of **David Upchurch**.

(8) Below is 1 of 33 Upchurch or Upchurch related GA death certificates. See GA Geographic File for list to RPU in letter 17 May 2011 from Kay Lind Slappey – RPU 17 Jun 2011.

1 PLACE OF DEATH		LOCAL REGISTRAR'S RECORD OF DEATH		B. O. V. S.	
COUNTY OF <u>Carroll</u>		GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH		17683	
MIL. DIST. No. <u>1163</u>		BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS		17683	
TOWN OR CITY No. _____ ST. REG. DIST. No. _____ REGISTERED No. _____		(IF DEATH OCCURRED IN HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION, GIVE ITS NAME INSTEAD OF STREET AND NUMBER.)			
2 FULL NAME <u>Margaret Rebecca Upchurch</u>					
RESIDENCE, CITY <u>Clem, Ga</u> NO. <u>2</u> ST. _____					
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE IN CITY OR TOWN WHERE DEATH OCCURRED YRS. MOS. DYS. (IF NOT NON-RESIDENT GIVE CITY OR TOWN AND STATE) HOW LONG IN U. S., IF FOREIGN BIRTH? YRS. MOS. DYS.					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL PARTICULARS		
3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD)	16 DATE OF DEATH <u>July 20</u> , 192 <u>8</u>		
5A IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF <u>Was married husband</u>			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM <u>July 20</u> , 192 <u>8</u> TO <u>July 20</u> , 192 <u>8</u> AND THAT I LAST SAW HER ALIVE ON <u>4: P.M.</u> , 192 <u>8</u> AND THAT DEATH OCCURRED, ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE, AT <u>10 P</u> M		
6 DATE OF BIRTH, (MO.) <u>7</u> <u>dead</u> DAY <u>20</u> YEAR <u>1864</u>			THE CAUSE OF DEATH WAS <u>acute dilation heart</u>		
7 AGE <u>64</u> YRS. _____ MOS. _____ DYS. _____			(DURATION) <u>20</u> YRS. _____ MOS. _____ DYS. _____		
IF LESS THAN 2 YEARS STATE IF BREAST FED YES _____ NO _____ IF LESS THAN 1 DAY HRS. _____ MINS. _____			CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) <u>no</u>		
8 OCCUPATION (A) TRADE, PROFESSION OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK <u>Domestic</u> (B) GENERAL NATURE OF INDUSTRY, BUSINESS OR ESTABLISHMENT IN WHICH EMPLOYED (OR EMPLOYER)			(DURATION) _____ YRS. _____ MOS. _____ DYS. _____		
9 BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Carroll Co. Ga.</u>			WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED, IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH? <u>no</u>		
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Daniel Upchurch</u>			DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? <u>no</u> DATE OF _____		
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>N. C.</u>			WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? <u>no</u> WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAG. NOSIS? <u>Chemical</u>		
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Martha Baughman</u>			(SIGNED) <u>W. H. Adert</u> M. D. <u>7-20</u> , 192 <u>8</u> (ADDRESS) <u>Carrollton, Ga</u>		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>S. C.</u>			19 PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL <u>Lowell</u> DATE <u>7-22</u> 192 <u>8</u>		
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (INFORMANT) <u>Mrs. S. L. McElroy</u>			20 UNDERTAKER <u>Martin-Almon Co.</u> ADDRESS _____		
(ADDRESS) <u>Clem, Ga. # 2</u>					
15 FILED <u>8-7</u> 192 <u>8</u> <u>L. V. Spence</u> R.					

- I. **David Upchurch** born NC married ( ) Martha Baughman born SC
- A. Margaret Rebecca Upchurch born 20 Jul 1864 (Carroll Co., GA), died 20 Jul 1928 (Clem, Carroll Co., GA) (buried Lowell, Carroll Co., GA). Died as a widow with the last name Upchurch. Question: Did she marry an Upchurch OR choose to resume her maiden name? RPU

Death Certificate says she was married, husband dead. But her father was an Upchurch. Father: David Upchurch, born NC.

Informant = Mrs. S. L. McElroy

Note: RPU research in Aug 2011 reveals that Mrs. S. L. McElroy, the Informant, is the sister of the deceased – nee Sarah Elizabeth Upchurch, wife of George F. McElroy. The “L” in SEU probably comes from her nickname “Lizzie” – 20 Aug 2011.

**(9)** Records for the Sherwood Upchurch/Adam Upchurch Subclan – RPU – 22 Jun 2011

1850 Census – Rutherford Co., Broad River, NC

Name	Born	Age	
Adam Upchurch	1797	53	NC Foreman \$300
Elizabeth Upchurch	1800	50	NC
Lucinda Upchurch	1826	24	NC
Martha Upchurch	1829	21	NC
Sarah E. Upchurch	1832	18	NC
Nancy Upchurch	1833	17	NC
<b><u>David Upchurch</u></b>	1836	14	NC
Daniel Upchurch	1839	11	NC

1860 Census – Rutherford Co., Catheys Creek, PO – Rutherfordton, NC

Elizabeth Upchurch	1780	80	\$300/400	(1800-60?)
Lucinda Upchurch	1825	35		
Delilah Upchurch	1832	28	Insane	
Nancy Upchurch	1838	22		
Daniel Upchurch	1839	21		

1860 Census – Carroll Co., District 11, Laurel Hill PO, GA

<b><u>David Upchurch</u></b>	1838	22	NC Farmer	270, 200
Martha Upchurch	1840	20	SC	
Sarah E. Upchurch	1858	2	GA	

1870 Census – Carroll Co., GA

Only **David Upchurch** shows on printout. Rest of family on original.

Name	Relationship	Age	Gender	where born	when born
<b><u>David Upchurch</u></b>	Head	37		NC	about 1833
Martha Upchurch	Wife	35	F	SC	1835
Sarah Upchurch		12	F	GA	1858
Margaret Upchurch		10	F	GA	1860
John Upchurch		6	M	GA	1864
Francis Upchurch		4	F	GA	1866
Martha Upchurch		4/12	F	GA	Jan 1870

1880 Census – Carroll Co., District 1163, GA

<b><u>David Upchurch</u></b>	Head	1836	44	Farmer
Martha Upchurch	Wife	1845	35	

Sarah E. Upchurch	Daughter	1859	21
Margaret N. Upchurch	Daughter	1862	18
John D. Upchurch	Son	1866	14
Francis D. Upchurch	Daughter	1868	12 [middle initial handwritten corrected O.]
Mary E. Upchurch	Daughter	1870	10

1900 Census – Carroll Co., Militia District 1163 – Clem, GA

Dan M. Johnson	Head	Nov 1858	40
Etta Johnson	Wife	Dec 1873	26 [O, O]
Martha Upchurch	MIL-WD	Oct 1844	58
Lizzee Upchurch	SIL-S	Jan 1858	41
Margiet Upchurch	SIL-S	Aug 1862	37
W <sup>m</sup> Tv Upchurch	Nephew	Mar 1895	5 Marty?

RPU Note: File tentatively as Marty Upchurch born Mar 1895. Appears not to be son of John D. Upchurch, Head. Maybe out-of-wedlock son of a, b, d, or e??

1910 Census – Carroll Co., Lowell, GA

George A. Johnson	Head	1868	42	GA
Ollie F. Johnson	Wife	1869	41	GA [O, O]
Martha Upchurch	MIL	1839	71	SC [S, S]
Margaret Williamson	SIL-WD	1862	48	GA

I. Sherwood Upchurch – Head of Clan

- A. Adam Upchurch born 1797 (Rutherford Co., NC)  
died about 1855 (Rutherford Co., NC)  
married Apr 1824 (Rutherford Co., NC)  
Elizabeth Freeman “Betsy” born 1800 (Rutherford Co., NC)
1. Lucinda Upchurch born 182\_ (Rutherford Co., NC)
  2. Joseph Upchurch born 1827 (Rutherford Co., NC)
  3. James Upchurch born 1828 (Rutherford Co., NC)
  4. Martha Upchurch born 1829 (Rutherford Co., NC)
  5. Sarah E. Upchurch “Delilah” Insane born 1860 (Rutherford Co., NC)
  6. Nancy Upchurch born 1833 (Rutherford Co., NC)
  7. \_\_\_\_\_ Upchurch (female) born 1835) (Rutherford Co., NC)  
(on 1840 census 0-5)
  8. **David Upchurch** born 1837 (Rutherford Co., NC)  
married ( ) Martha \_\_\_\_\_ born 1835-1840 (SC)
    - a. Sarah E. Upchurch born Jan 1858 (GA)  
 (“Lizzie” 1900 = Elizabeth)
    - b. Margaret N. Upchurch born Aug 1862 (GA)  
 married ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Williamson
    - c. John D. Upchurch born Jun 1864 (GA)
    - d. Frances Ollie Upchurch born 1868 (GA)  
 married ( ) George A. Johnson born 1868 (GA)
    - e. Mary Etta Upchurch born Dec 1873 (Martha in 1870) (GA)

- married ( ) 1887 ( ) Dan M. Johnson born Nov 1898  
 9. Daniel Upchurch born 1839

**(10)** Census 1860 – Laurell Hill P.O., Carroll Co., GA

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**(13)** Census 1900 Carroll Co., GA

**David Upchurch** not found but his presumed widow Martha Upchurch born Oct 1841 age 58 born GA is in home of her son-in-law Dan M. Johnson. [Hence, David Upchurch died after 1880 and before 1900. – RPU]

**(14)** See letter 30 Apr 1999 Flora Pauline Upchurch to RPU.

**David Upchurch** born 1836. He was the Bondsman when his brother Joseph Upchurch married 10 Jan 1861 (Rutherford Co., NC) Mary Moode. Minister: T. G. Hawkins, J. P. [Note: **David Upchurch** was on 1860 census of Carroll Co., GA. He would have had to travel back to Rutherford Co., NC to be the bondsman for the 1861 wedding – or could one be a bondsman and not be present? – RPU]