

Armenia J Hicks**XID – 3782**

Commentary: Armenia Jane Hicks married 1843 John Upchurch (XID – 3776) born 22 Apr 1814 in NC died 1871 in Green Co, AL. She was his 2nd wife. He was son of Abel Upchurch (XID – 589), grandson of William Upchurch (XID – 160; Head of Clan 8)

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1880 Census – Greene Co, AL – Springfield TWP					
Abel Upchurch	head	1855	25		
Nancy Upchurch	wife	1856	24		
Lular Upchurch	dau	1877	3		
Charles Hicks	farm hand	1861	19		

1900 Census – Greene Co, AL – Springfield TWP					
A J Upchurch	head	Aug 1855	44	AL	marr 23 years
Nancy Ann Upchurch	wife	May 1856	44	AL	[3, 6]
Lela Martis Upchurch	dau	Dec 1878	21	AL	
Amenia Jane Upchurch	dau	Jan 1882	18	AL	
James Thomas Upchurch	son	Nov 1884	15	AL	
Alonzo Franklin Upchurch	son	Aug 1886	13	AL	
Anna Mary Upchurch	dau	May 1891	9	AL	
Rebecca Adline Upchurch	dau	Sep 1893	6	AL	

1910 Census – Sumter Co, AL - Cuba TWP					
Abra J Upchurch	head	1856	54		marr 33 years
Nancy N Upchurch	wife	1857	53		[6, 5]
Frank A Upchurch	son	1887	23		single
Rebecca A Upchurch	dau	1894	16		single
Rebecca L Russell	MIL	1834	76		[6, 4]; widow

1920 Census – Abel Jameson Upchurch not found – RPU

Family Tree from Ancestry.com
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Abel Jameson Upchurch
Birth 6 Aug 1854 in Greene, Alabama
Death 9 Jul 1929 in Sumter, Alabama, United State

Family Members

Parents

John Upchurch 1814 – 1871
Armenia Jane Hicks 1825 – 1894

Spouse & Children

Nancy Ann Russell 1856 –
 Lola Martin Upchurch 1878 –
 Armenia Jane Upchurch 1882 –
 James Thomas Upchurch 1884 –
 Alonzo Franklin Upchurch 1886 –
 Annie Mary (Gussie) Upchurch 1890 – 1972
 Rebecca Adline Upchurch 1893 –

1854 Birth
 6 Aug Greene, Alabama

1877 *Marriage to Nancy Ann Russell
 Age: 23

1880 Residence
 Age: 26 Springfield, Greene, Alabama, United States

1900 Residence
 Age: 46 Springfield, Greene, Alabama

1910 Residence
 Age: 56 Cuba, Sumter, Alabama

1929 Death
 9 Jul Sumter, Alabama, United States

*The presence of MIL Rebecca L Russell in the home of Abel Jameson Upchurch on the 1910 Census could be interpreted to mean that she married first a Mr --- --- Lee and had a daughter Nancy Ann Lee who married AJU – followed by a 2nd marriage to a Mr --- --- Russell – RPU

I. Abel Upchurch, Sr – Head of Clan

A. John Upchurch 1814 – 1891

married (1st) 1835 (Greene Co, AL) Jane Wilder 1819 – 1840

married (2nd) 1843 (Greene Co, AL) Armenia Jane Hicks¹ 1825 – 1894

1.¹ Abel Jameson Upchurch born 6 Aug 1854 (Greene Co, AL) died 9 Jul 1929 (Sumpter Co, AL)

married 27 Jan 1876 (Greene Co, AL) Nancy Ann Lee born May 1856 (AL)
[Per RPU records - *Nancy Ann Russell shown below needs study – RPU – 5 Mar 2011]

- a. Lela Martin Upchurch 6 Dec 1878 (AL)
- b. Armenia Jane Upchurch “Minnie” born Jan 1882 (AL) died 22 Aug 1905 (AL) (Buried Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Greene Co, AL)

(family outline continues below)

- c. James Thomas Upchurch born Nov 1884 (AL)
- d. Alonzo Franklin Upchurch born Aug 1886 (AL)
- e. Anna Mary Upchurch “Annie” born May 1891 (AL) “Gussie” died 1972
- f. Rebecca Adaline Upchurch born Sep 1893 (AL)

(1) See 20 Jul 1979 letter Julia Elizabeth Upchurch to RPU
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(2) See 12 Jun 1979 letter (Page 19). Armenia Jane Hicks married 27 Apr 1843 (Greene Co, AL) John Upchurch. She is buried at Union Christian Church Cemetery, Greene Co, AL. She was born 7 Mar 1825 (Greene Co, AL) died 2 Jan 1894 near Union. “The Eutaw Whig & Observer of Thursday, 4 Jan 1894 says she was a member of the Union Christian Church and a highly esteemed person but does not give any family information.”

(3) See letter 9Jul 1981 James Roy Taylor to RPU
Armenia Jane Hicks married John Upchurch of the William Upchurch, IV/Abel Upchurch, Sr Sub-clan → [Error – should be Abel Upchurch, Sr/John Upchurch Sub-clan – RPU]

(4) See sheet received 17 Jul 1981 by RPU from Fred Upton Upchurch, Sr
John Upchurch married 27 Apr 1843 (Greene Co, AL) (by John Hall, JP)
on marriage papers = Armenia J
on tombstone = Armenia Jane Hicks
She was daughter of Tillman Hicks and his wife Polly
She was born 7 Mar 1827 (Greene Co, AL) and died 2 Jan 1894
Obituary refers to her as Mrs A J Upchurch

(5) Cemetery Records = Union Christian Church Cemetery, Union, Greene Co, AL
Armenie Jane Upchurch [nee **AJH**] 7 Mar 1825 – 2 Jan 1894

(6)

I. Abel Upchurch, Sr – Head of Clan
A. John Upchurch born 22 Apr 1814 (NC)
married () **Armenia Jane Hicks**

(7) Marriage Records 11 Nov 1998
 Upchurch, John Marriage
 Wife: Armena J Hicks
 Marriage Date: 27 Apr 1843
 Recorded in: Greene, Alabama
 Source: FHL Number 1290852
 Dates: 1823 – 1868

(no number) From: Letter 25 Aug 2004 James Roy Taylor to RPU Pages 4 – 5
 [Note: This Hicks family was closely associated with the family of Abel Upchurch, Sr in Franklin Co, NC and in Greene Co, AL – Both families trekked to Greene Co, AL in the 1810 – 1840 era – RPU]

This may explain where the Tillman name came from, and it also gives more linkage between the families. Note the highlighted names.

1. Asa Hicks was born in 1762 in Franklin, North Carolina. He died in 1855 in Greene, Alabama. Asa Married Sally Ingram daughter of Thomas Ingram. Sally was born about 1784. They had the following children:

- 2F i. Tamsey Hicks was born about 1792. She died after 1850.
- 3M ii. Tilmon Hicks was born in Aug 1797. He died in Nov 1868.
- 4M iii. Littleberry Hicks was born in 1801. He died in 1870.
- 5F iv. Linney Hicks was born in 1805 in Franklin, North Carolina.
- 6F v. Linsey was born on 5 Jan 1811. She died on 2 Sep 188 in Choctaw, Alabama.
- 7M vi. George Wright Hicks was born about 1813 in Franklin, North Carolina. He died in 1855 in Newton, Mississippi.
- 8F vii. Harriet Hicks was born on 19 Jul 1816. She died on 8 Aug 1895.
- 9M viii. Irvin or Irwin Hicks died about 1840.
- 10F ix. Martha Hicks.

Second Generation

2. Tamsey Hicks (Asa) was born about 1792 in Franklin, North Carolina. She died after 1850 in Greene, Alabama. Tamsey married John Cottles. They had the following children:

- 11F i. Anna Cottles was born in 1831 in Alabama.
- 12M ii. Milerson Cottles was born in 1833 in Alabama.
- 13 M iii. John P Cottles was born in 1835. He died on 15 Jul 1862.
- 14M *iv. Isaac Leonard Cottles was born about 1837. He died on 15 Nov 1861.
 Because Tamsey would have been about 399 to 45 when these 4 kids were born, some researchers believe they may actually be her grandchildren.
 He married 4 Aug 1856 (Greene Co, AL) Mary Jane Upchurch, daughter of **Armenia Jane Hicks****.

*1st cousins

3. Tilmon Hicks (Asa) was born in Aug 1797 in Franklin, North Carolina. He died in Nov 1868 in Greene, Alabama. He was buried in Green, Alabama.

Tilmon married (1) Polly Driver on 10 Sep 1823 in Franklin, North Carolina. They had the following children:

- 15F *i. **Armenia Jane Hicks**** was born on 7 Mar 1825. She died on 2 Jan 1894. **Armenia** married 27 Apr 1843 (Greene Co, AL) John Upchurch, son of Abel Upchurch, Sr
- 16F ii. Elvira Hicks was born in 1830 in Greene, Alabama.
- 17M iii. William F Hicks was born in 1834 in Greene, Alabama.

Tilmon married (2) Mrs. Martha [Jones] on 23 Jan 1843 in Greene, Alabama. They had the following children:

- 18F iv. Isabella Hicks was born in 1846 in Greene, Alabama
- 19F v. Drucilla Hicks was born on 11 Feb 1848. She was buried on 27 Aug 1866.