

Peyton Upchurch**XID – 37695**

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(no number) From letter 3 Nov 1999 Charles John Peterson, Jr to RPU

Charles provided details on the Riley Family which he happened to notice included nee Penny Upchurch. The document in pages 4, 5, and 6 of Mississippi Genealogical Exchange, Vol 4. 1958/ This page and the document have been placed in: Bible File for Riley Family and in the Biofile System under Riley Family.

The document shows Michael Riley and Penny Upchurch married on 20 Dec 1813 in the Laurens District of South Carolina. [There is a town Laurens in Laurens Co, SC – RPU]

It is a strange circumstance that other records show that Reney Upchurch married 20 Dec 1813 (Franklin Co, NC) Michael Riley with **Peyton Upchurch** as witness. At this point the bride is being cross-referenced as Reney Upchurch, Corinna Upchurch and Penny Upchurch.

It is not clear how the bride links to the Upchurch family but our best information is that Peyton Upchurch was the son of James Upchurch, V – Head of the Upchurch Clan No 7. A further guess is that the bride was a sibling of Peyton Upchurch.

One notes there is a community of Riley in Franklin Co, NC. It had a post office 1873 – 1898. The family name of Riley appears to be rare in Franklin co, NC in the 1750 – 1850 era.
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(1) Franklin Co, NC - Marriages

Michael Riley to Reney Upchurch

Bond 20 Dec 1813

Bondsman/Witness **Peyton Upchurch**

N. Long

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Franklin Co, NC Tax Records

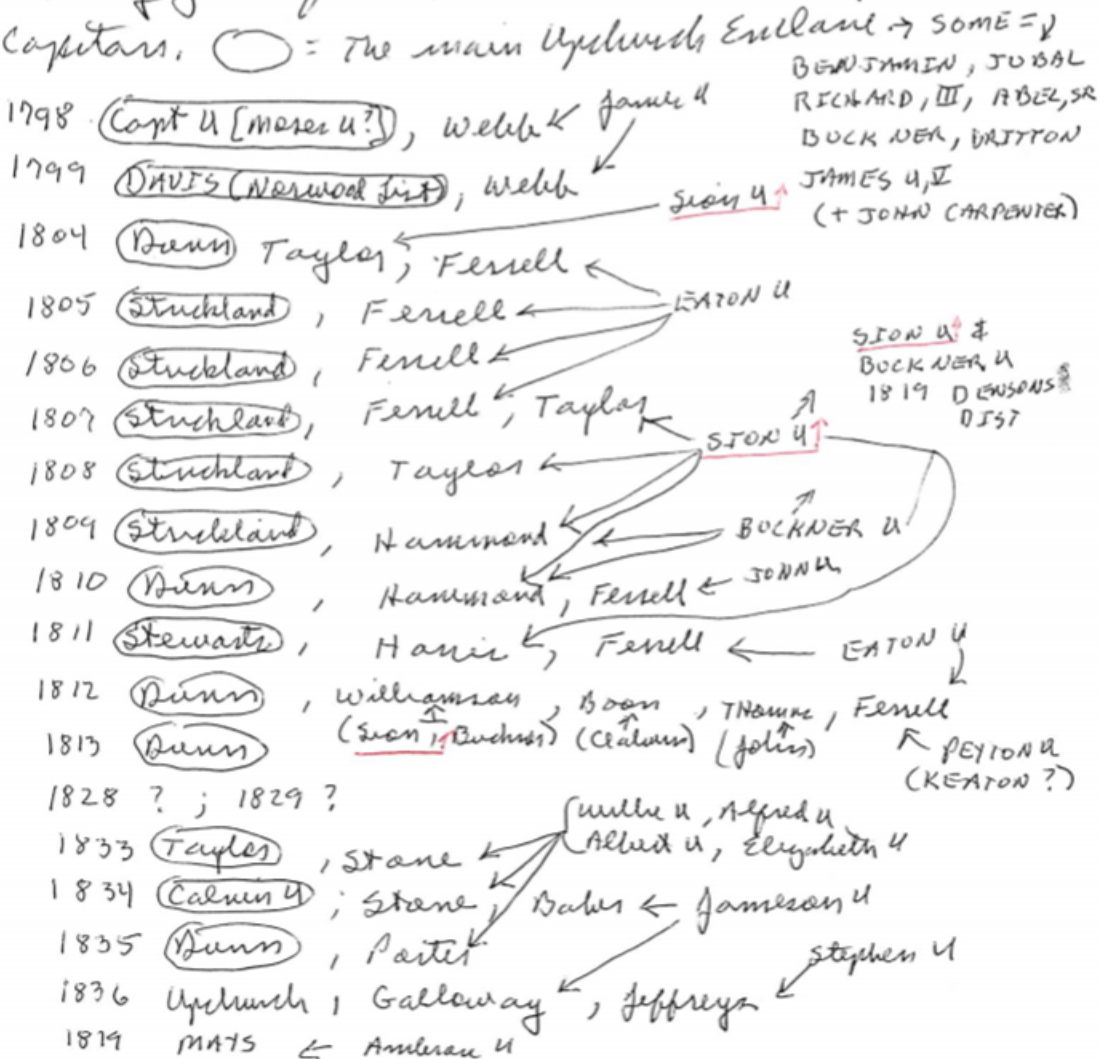
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| Stewarts District | Keaton Upchurch | 1811 | 0A | 1WP | 0BP |
| Ferrells District | <u>Peyton Upchurch</u> | 1812 | 0A | 1WP | 0BP |

[Note: This sheet will be filed under both Keaton Upchurch and Peyton Upchurch – but need to research the idea that Peyton could be a garbled spelling or misreading of Keaton Upchurch – RPU 23 May 2002.]

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Franklin Co, NC Tax Records.

Grave extracted some but not all Upchurch listings for the 1798-1836 era for Franklin Co, NC. Below is a list by years for the various Districts (by District Captains. ○ = The main Upchurch Enclave → SOME = ↓



Upchurch names in above entry:

- Abel, Sr.
- Albert
- Alfred
- Ambrose
- Benjamin
- Britton
- Buckner
- Claburn

District Captains:

- Baker
- Boon
- Davis (List Norwood)
- Denson
- Dunn
- Ferrell
- Galloway
- Hammond

Other names:

- John Carpenter

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| Eaton | Harris |
| Elizabeth | Jeffreys |
| James | Mays |
| James, V | Porter |
| Jameson | Stewart |
| John | Stone |
| Jubal | Strickland |
| Keaton (?) | Taylor |
| <u>Peyton</u> | Thomas |
| Richard, III | Upchurch (Moses?) |
| Sion | Upchurch, Calvin |
| Stephen | Webb |
| Willie | Williamson |

(no number) Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Com NC 1798 – 1864 From Carla Jones 29 Oct 2006

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| <u>No date or district listed</u> | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1804 | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1805 | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1806 |
| - Averit Pierce 100 acres 1 WP - Eaton Upchurch 250 acres 1 WP | - Eaton Upchurch 250 acres 1 WP | Eaton Upchurch 1 WP | - Eaton Upchurch 50 acres 1 WP |
| <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1807 | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1809 | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1810 | <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1811 |
| - Eaton Upchurch 100 acres 1 WP | - Eaton Upchurch 50 acres 1 WP | John Upchurch 1 WP Simeo (sic) Carpenter 2 WP | John Upchurch 1 WP Eaton Upchurch 50 acres 1 WP Simion Carpenter 343 ¼ acres 1 WP |
| <u>Captain Ferrells District</u> 1812 | <u>Captain Gays District</u> 1814 | <u>Captain Gays District</u> 1815 | |
| Peyton Upchurch 1 WP Eaton Upchurch 50 acres 2 WP Simeon Carpenter 343 ¼ acres 1 WP | - Keaton Upchurch 1 WP - Eaton Upchurch 50 acres 1 WP Simeon Carpenter 493 acres 2 WP 1 BP | - Nathan Pearce 236 acres \$3 per acre \$708 1 WP Averett Pearce 334 acres \$2.50 per acre \$835 1 WP 1 BP Simon Carpenter 493 ¼ acres \$3 per acre \$1,481.25 1 WP 1 BP Keaton Upchurch 1 WP Eaton Upchurch 50 acres \$3 per acre \$150 1 WP | |
| <u>Captain Gays District</u> 1816 | | Tax Records No date 1785-1898 broken series C.R. 039.703.1 1816 Insolvent Taxables 1790-1836 1816 | |
| - Simion Carpenter 493 ¼ acres \$1,481.22 ½ 1 WP 1 BP Nathan Pearce 296 acres \$888 1 WP Averet Pearce 473 acres \$1,300.75 1 WP 1 BP - Eaton Upchurch 50 acres \$125 1 WP | | Eaton Upchurch 1 WP | |

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| <u>Captain Sanders District</u> 1817 Simeon Carpenter 689 acres \$3 per acre \$2067 1 WP 3 BP Everit Pearce 523 acres \$3.75 per acre \$1,961.25 1 WP 1 BP Nathan Pearce 296 acres \$3 per acre \$888 1 WP | <u>Captain Sanders District</u> 1818 Simon Carpenter 679 ¼ acres \$3 per acre \$2,039.75 2 WP 3 BP 1 stud horse or jac Nathan Pearce 300 acres \$2.50 per acre \$750 1 WP 1 BP Gray Pearce 523 acres \$2.75 per acre \$1,438.25 1 WP |
| <u>Captain Sanders District</u> 1819 Simeon Carpenter 626 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1,878 1 WP 4 BP Nathan Pearce 300 acres worth \$3 per acre \$900 1 WP 1 BP Avarite Pearce 523 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$1,307.50 1 WP 1 BP | <u>Captain Baker's District</u> 1834 Jamison Upchurch 1 WP Pd 84 cents Everette Pearce 146 acres worth \$3 per acre \$438 Nathan Pearce 960 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1,920 |
| <u>Captain Broom's District</u> 1855 Everet Pearce 146 acres worth \$3 per acre | <u>Captain Jeffrey's District</u> 1936 Stephen Upchurch 1 WP Nathan Pearce 586 acres worth \$2 per acre Everet Pearce 146 acres worth \$3 per acre 1 BP |

RPU comments re: 1804 – 1836 Tax Lists shown above.

Listed:

Everett Pearce (AKA Averett)

Eaton Upchurch

John Upchurch

Simeon Carpenter

Peyton Upchurch

Keaton Upchurch

Nathan Pearce

Gray Pearce

Jamison Upchurch

Stephen Upchurch

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District **Peyton Upchurch**
1812 Capt Ferrell 1WP
1813 & beyond – Peyton not found