

Martha M Upchurch**XID – 14641**

Commentary: Martha M Upchurch was a daughter of Little Berry Upchurch and a granddaughter of Jubal, head of Upchurch Clan 6.

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(1) See 1850 Census – Franklin Co, NC – extracted by RPU
Martha Upchurch age 20, F, W is in home of parents Berry Upchurch [Littleberry Upchurch] age 63, M, W, Farmer, \$150RE and Betsey Upchurch, age 43, F, W [Elizabeth Williams). There is an age bracket 1830 & 1840 Franklin County Census in home of Littleberry Upchurch to accommodate Martha. She was not found on 1850 and later census records.
[Martha Upchurch is daughter of Littleberry Upchurch and granddaughter of Jubal Upchurch – Head of Clan – RPU]

(no number) Item in letter 14 May 1984 Eleanor Grace Williamson to RPU
Franklin Co, NC – Guardian Record: Scarboro – Yarboro 1793 – 1916

(1) September 1847 – Thomas Williams, Jr – guardian of Roena, **Martha**, Marion, and Elizabeth Upchurch, the children of L B and Elizabeth Upchurch.

Note: L B Upchurch = Little Berry Upchurch son of Jubal Upchurch – Head of Clan. Elizabeth Upchurch = nee Elizabeth Barberry Williams. The Guardian Thomas Williams, Jr is most likely the father of EBW – but possibly her brother. Their 4 children are well known but #3 Marian Upchurch has always previously been known as Mary A Upchurch. it is peculiar that the 4 children are being assigned a guardian as of 1847 as nothing is known to be wrong with either parent and both live for quite a few more years. Maybe the parents had a temporarily serious problem in 1847?? – RPU

(1) Thomas Williams deed of gift to his grandchildren, Roeny Upchurch and **Martha Upchurch**, infant children of Littleberry Upchurch and his wife, Elizabeth Upchurch [nee Elizabeth Williams] 11 Sep 1833 Franklin Co, NC Deed Book 26, Page 577. (41, Page 205)

(no number) See Page 29 download in Letter 7 Mar 2000 Flora Pauline Upchurch to RPU

53. Little Berry⁷ Upchurch (Charlotte⁶ Pearce, Stephan⁵, Nathan⁴, Nathan³, Phillip², George¹) was born about 1797 in Franklin County, NC. He married Elizabeth Williams October 1, 1824 in Franklin County. She was born 1807.

Children of Little Upchurch and Elizabeth Williams are:

- i. Roena Upchurch, born about 1828; Stepchild.
- ii. **Martha M. Upchurch**, born about 1830.
- iii. Mary A. Upchurch, born about 1835; married John Sidney Perry,

December 12, 1854, Franklin Co., NC

iv. Elizabeth Upchurch, born about 1839, Franklin Co., NC

142. Roena⁸ Upchurch (Little Berry⁷, Charlotte⁶ Pearce, Stephan⁵, Nathan⁴, Nathan³, Phillip², George¹) was born about 1828. She married Little Berry Johnson December 31, 1851 in Franklin Co., NC. More about Roena Upchurch:

Burial: Wm. Johnson Cemetery SR 1729 & SR1730

Children of Roena Upchurch and Little Johnson are:

i. William Lafayette Johnson, born 1853; died November 16, 1919, Franklin Co., NC

ii. John S. Johnson, born about 1865

143. **Martha M. Upchurch** (Little Berry⁷, Charlotte⁶ Pearce, Stephan⁵, Nathan⁴, Nathan³, Phillip², George¹) was born about 1830. **She** married Kisar Alford January 1, 1841 in Franklin Co., NC.

Children of **Martha Upchurch** and Kisar Alford are:

i. Burkley Moses Alford, born January 10 1845, Franklin Co., NC; died April 3, 1915, Wake Co., NC.

ii. S.A. Alford, born November 11, 1858, Franklin Co., NC; died March 21, 1918
More about S.A. Alford:

Buried: buried in family cemetery Stallings Road, Franklin Co., NC.

144. Elizabeth Upchurch (Little Berry⁷, Charlotte⁶ Pearce, Stephan⁵, Nathan⁴, Nathan³, Phillip², George¹) was born about 1839 in Franklin Co., NC. She married (1) Albert Blalock November 30, 1854 in Franklin Co., NC. She married (2) James Bolton, CSA August 28, 1863 in Franklin Co., NC. He was born about 1837, and died December 7, 1863 in Richmond, VA.

Notes for James Bolton, CSA:

Joined Co B, 47th Regt May 13, 1862 at the age of 25. On detached service as a shoemaker.
Died in hospital at Richmond, Virginia.

Child of Elizabeth Upchurch and James Bolton is:

i. Anne Bolton, born about 1864

(no number) Book: The Upchurch Family of High Falls, NC (Moore Co.) Pg. 68

I. Jubal Upchurch - Head of Clan

5 Jubal Upchurch b: 1762 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: about 1836 in Franklin County, North Carolina

+ Charlotte Pearce b: 1775 in Franklin County, NC m: 1791

6 Littleberry Berry Upchurch b: 1796 in Franklin Co, NC d: 01 Oct 1880 in Wake Co, NC

+ Elizabeth Betsy Williams b: 1806 in NC m: 01 Oct 1824 in Franklin, NC, USA d: 1875 in Wake Co, NC

7 Rowina Upchurch b: 1828 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1880

+ Littleberry Johnson m: 30 Dec 1851 in Franklin Co, NC

- 8 Sarah Johnson b: 1855 in Franklin Co, NC
- 8 William Johnson b: 1856 in Franklin Co, NC
- 8 John S. Johnson b: 1865 d: 1955
- 7 **Martha Upchurch** b: 1830 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1924
- 7 Mary Upchurch b: 1835 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1929

(family outline continues below)

- 7 Elizabeth Upchurch b: 1839 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1929
 - + James Bolton b: 1837 in NC m: 28 Aug 1863 in Franklin Co, NC d: 07 Dec 1863 in Richmond, VA
 - 8 Anne Bolton b: 1864 in Franklin Co, NC [James Anna Bolton]
- 6 John Upchurch b: 1800 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1895
- 6 Stephen Upchurch b: 1805 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1885
 - + Ann Medlin b: 1827 m: 16 Mar 1841 in Wake Co, NC, USA
 - * 2nd wife of Stephen Upchurch:
 - + Rebecca Chamblee b: 1807 in Wake Co, NC m: 20 Jul 1828 in Franklin Co, NC, USA
 - 7 Geneva Ann Upchurch b: 1844 in Wake Co, NC d: 1939
 - 8 John H Upchurch b: 1879
 - 7 Joseph Henry Upchurch b: 1846 in Wake Co, NC d: 1939
 - 7 Bryant Upchurch b: 1853 in Wake Co, NC d: 28 Jan 1935
 - + Sarah Florence Kirk b: 1855 in Wake Co, NC m: 10 Oct 1877 in Wake Co, NC d: 1900 in Wake Co, NC
 - 8 Rebecka A J Upchurch b: Jul 1878 in Wake Co, NC
 - 8 Minnie Upchurch b: Jul 1881 in Wake Co, NC
 - 8 J A Upchurch b: Mar 1885 in Wake Co, NC
 - 8 Joseph Henry Upchurch b: 20 Sep 1892 in Wake Co, NC
 - 7 Sallie Upchurch b: 04 Nov 1855 in Wake Co, NC d: 1945
 - 7 Rebecca Upchurch b: 1859 in Wake Co, NC d: 1953
- 6 Calvin Upchurch b: 1806 in Franklin Co, NC d: 1844 in Franklin Co, NC
 - 7 Calvin Upchurch
 - 7 Guston Upchurch
 - 7 Mary Upchurch
 - 7 Payton Upchurch
 - 7 Sealy Upchurch
 - + Cynthia Upchurch m: 31 Mar 1838 in Franklin Co, NC
 - * 2nd Wife of Calvin Upchurch:
 - + Agnes Young b: 1806 m: 14 Dec 1826 in Franklin Co, NC, USA d: 1899
 - 7 Benjamin Upchurch b 29 Oct 1830 in Franklin Co, NC USA d: 1910 in Neills Creek Township, Harnett Co, NC, USA
 - 7 Nathan E Upchurch b: 1832
- 6 Frances Upchurch b: 1809 in Harnett Co, NC d: 1845 in Wake Co, NC
- 6 Charlotte Upchurch b: 1810 d: 1904

