

## Mary Charity Upchurch

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**Commentary:** See last page for notes by RPU. Some confusion over whether there is a Mary Charity daughter of Keaton, or whether this Mary Charity is actually Charity daughter of Charles, head of Upchurch Clan 2.

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(1) Input from email 10 Mar 2013 Rita Fullerton to RPU – RPU extract 18 Mar 2013

### Descendants of Charles Upchurch Generation 1

Charles Upchurch was born on 11 Feb 1755 in Granville, North Carolina, United States. He died in 1842 in Henry, Georgia. He married Mary Gay, daughter of John Gay and Martha Elias Harper about 1779 in Franklin County, North Carolina. She was born in 1752 in Franklin, North Carolina. She died in 1799 in Putnam, Georgia.

Charles Upchurch and Mary Gay had the following children:

1. **Charity Upchurch** was born in 1795 in Wake, North Carolina. She died in 1880 in Marshall, Alabama. She married Hughy Russ. She married an unknown spouse on 05 Jan 1837 in Upson, Georgia. [Wrong statements about marriages – RPU 19 Mar 2013]

The above shows:

\*I. Charles Upchurch – Head of Clan

born 11 Feb 1755 (Granville Co, NC) died 1842 (Henry Co, GA)

\*married Mary Gay born 1752, daughter of John Gay\* and Martha Elias Harper\* (Franklin Co, NC) died 1799 (Putnam Co, GA)

\*A. Charity Upchurch born 1795 (Wake Co, NC) died 1880 (Marshall Co, AL)

\*Married 5 Jan 1837 (Upson, GA) Hughy Russ [Wrong – see below]

Note: Rita issues a disclaimer as she got this from the Internet. I will enter the items marked \* as tentative pending further proof – RPU

Comment [RP1]: I started here because this information is shared with many other trees and I have done little direct research from this point back.

(2) 19 Mar 2013 – Two observations – RPU

1. The starting point for the **Charity Upchurch** – Hughy Russ marriage is as follows:
2. I have look at my detailed records for Charity Upchurch, daughter of Charles Upchurch – Head of Clan and conclude. She a different Charity Upchurch than the one who married Hughy Russ.

(3) Marriage Records 11 Nov 1998

Russ, Hughy

Wife: Charity Upchurch  
 Marriage Date: 5 Jan 1837  
 Recorded in: Upson, Georgia  
 Source: FHL Number 282882  
 Dates: 1825 0 1886

**(no number)** Records for Charity Upchurch born 1818 – RPU 18 Mar 2013

1850 Census – GA, Upson Co, District 86			
Hugh Riof	1817	33	NC
<b>Charity</b> Riof	1818	32	GA
James Riof	1838	12	
William Riof	1840	10	
Mary Riof	1847	3	
Atigel Rdlerd	1830	20	
Elizabeth Hannah	1832	18	

1860 Census – GA, Upson Co, GA Millitia District 470			
H russ fer ofa Childres	1808	52	NC
<b>Charity</b> Russ	1818	42	GA
William O Russ	1840	20	
M A Russ	1848	12	
*B Russ	1859	1	

1870 Census – GA, Taylor Co, Butler			
Hugh Russ	(68)	63	NC
<b>Charity</b> Russ	1819	51	GA
*Frances Russ	1859	11	GA

1870 Census – GA, Upson Co, PO = Thomaston			
Thomas Momand	1842	28	
Mary Momand	1848	22	
Agnes Momand	1866	4	
Hattie Momand	1868	2	
Thomas Momand	1870	7/12	

1880 Census – GA, Upson Co, Jug			
Elijah Momand	1841	39	GA
Mary Ann Momand	1848	32	GA; wife
Agnes Momand	1866	14	GA; daughter
Hattie Momand	1868	12	GA; daughter
Thomas Momand	1870	10	GA; son
Mamie Momand	1873	7	GA; son

Erastus Momand	1875	5	GA; son
Pearly Momand	1878	2	GA; daughter

1910 – Family not found

1920 Census – GA, Bibb Co, Macon			
Mary A Momand	1851	69	widow

1930 Census – GA, Bibb Co, Macon			
James G Dugger	1866	64	GA; head
Mary C Dugger	1872	58	GA; wife
Dudley B Dugger	1906	24	GA; son
Sarah L Dugger	1908	22	GA; son
James Dugger	1916	14	GA; son
Mary A Momand	1848	82	mother; (actually mother in law)

#### Georgia Deaths

Name: Mary A R Momand

Death Date: 11 Sep 1933

County of Death: Bibb

Elijah Thomas Momand 1841 – 1918

1865            Marriage to Elijah Thomas  
21 Sep        Momand  
Age: 47        Upson, Georgia, United States

#### Dugger Family Tree

james hugh russ 1807 – 1889

mary charity Upchurch 1818 – 1879

#### Charity U Russ

Birth 12 Mar 1818 in Taylor, Georgia

Death 7 Jun 1879 in Taylor, Georgia

#### I. Keaton Upchurch [son of Charles Upchurch – Head of Clan – RPU]

A. Charity Upchurch born 1818 (GA)

married 5 Jan 1837 (Upson Co, GA) James Hugh Russ

1. James Russ born 1838
2. William O Russ born 1840
4. B (Frances) Russ born 1859
3. Mary Ann Russ born 1847

married 1865 (Upson Co, GA) Elijah Thomas Momand

Children a – j (10)

a. Agnes L Momand 1866 – 1960

b. Hattie R Momand 1868 –

c. Thomas Ragland Momand 1869 – 1953

d. Mary Charity Momand 1871 – 1963

married ( ) James G Dugger

3 children:

Dudley B Dugger

Sarah L Dugger

James Dugger

e. Erastus Clarence Momand 1874 – 1960

f. Pearly Momand [see 1880 Census above]

g. Bishop Marvin Momand 1880 – 1968

h. Ferman Ferris Momand 1886 – 1955

i. Henry Grady Momand 1888 – 1957

j. James Tillman Momand 1891 – 1917

#### (4) GA – Upchurch Research

##### History of Upson Co, GA Nottingham

pp 206 2 Mar 1836 Ashburn Upchurch to Lucinda Pike  
 pp 231 17 Nov 1844 James Goslin to Barbry Upchurch  
 pp 208 5 Jan 1837 Hughey Russ to **Charity Upchurch**  
 pp 244 31 Jul 1849 Hinyard Ivey to Claryman Upchurch  
 pp 222 20 Feb 1842 Jeremiah J Hamrick to Frances Upchurch

##### Good Hope Primitive Baptist Church

pp 351 Index of 1875: (among others) – Sariah M Upchurch

##### List of Volunteers, Co D, 13<sup>th</sup> GA Regiment (Civil War)

pp 667 Private Upchurch, Elbert  
 Upchurch, --- ---

Note: I assume all of the above entries are for Upson Co, GA although Pg 251 and 667 could be from other records and possibly from another county. – RPU 28 Mar 2003

**(no number)** Cross reference sheet for the Charles Upchurch/Keaton Upchurch Sub-clan in GA  
 – RDU 26 Mar 2013

The following marriage record is in need of clarification.

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My current analysis is that the Groom has been variously styled as Hughy Russ and Hughey Russ but that it should be Hugh Russ and that his complete name is James Hugh Russ.

Further, Charity Upchurch is actually **Mary Charity Upchurch**. I conclude she is the daughter of Keaton Upchurch named after her Aunt Charity Upchurch, daughter Charles. Note that Mary Charity (Upchurch) Russ named a daughter Mary Charity Russ thus fiving honor to the name Charity in at least three generations.

**(no number)** Upchurch presence in Upson Cp, GA – from letter 6 Mar 2013 Claude C Burgess of Upson Co, GA to Diane Clay Watts – see her biofile for copy – RPU 16 Mar 13

Groom Upchurch File Upson Co, GA 1825 – 1932

Henry Upchurch [son of Keaton Upchurch]

married 1862 ( ) Martha E Cummings

Ausburn Upchurch [Osborn Upchurch, son of Benjamin Upchurch & grandson of Harmon Upchurch, Head of Clan]

married 1854 ( ) Lucinda Pike

Bride File: (not found in Cemetery File)

Barby Upchurch [Barbary Upchurch] daughter of ?

married 1844 ( ) James Goslin

Charity Upchurch [not a daughter of Charles Upchurch, Head of Clan]

RPU note 21 Apr 2013 Charity = **Mary Charity Upchurch**,  
daughter of Keaton Upchurch

married 1837 ( ) Hughy Russ

Ellen Upchurch [Ellender Upchurch, daughter of Keaton Upchurch]

married 1856 ( ) Jackson Griggers

Frances Upchurch [Frances Upchurch, daughter of Keaton Upchurch]

married 1842 ( ) Demnos McGehee

Luria Upchurch [Luriah Upchurch, daughter of Keaton Upchurch]

married 1857 ( ) John Thomas Heath