

William A Upchurch**XID – 7235**

Commentary: William A. Upchurch was the son of James Laton and the grandson of Abel, head of Upchurch Clan 8.

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(1) Census Records for the John C Upchurch (1833 – 1878±) Family of Greene Co, AL 1850 – 1870 – by RPU 25 Feb 2010

1850 Census – Greene Co, AL

Name	Born about	Age	
Luton Upchurch	1807	43	NC
Nancy Upchurch	1812	38	SC
Mary A Upchurch	1831	19	AL
John Upchurch	1833	17	AL
Charles Upchurch	1835	15	AL
Robert Upchurch	1839	9	AL
William Upchurch	1844	6	AL
Francis Upchurch	1846	4	AL
James Upchurch	1849	1	AL

1860 Census – Greene Co, AL

Name		Born About	Age			
N Upchurch	F	1812	48	SC	Plantress	\$11,000/\$12,000
R Upchurch	M	1841	19	AL		
W Upchurch	M	1845	15	AL		
F M Upchurch	F	1848	12	AL		
S Upchurch	M	1852	8	AL		
S A Upchurch*	F	1852	8	AL		

*Margaret E Spencer = granddaughter

1870 Census

Nancy Upchurch born 1812 SC (nee Nancy T Coleman) not found

1860 Census – Greene Co, AL – Clinton

Name		Born About	Age			
J C Upchurch	head	1834	26	AL	Planter	\$925
N Upchurch	wif	1840	20	AL		
M A Upchurch	dau	1859	1	AL		

1870 Census – Greene Co, AL – Clinton

Name		Born About	Age			
J C Upchurch	head	1834	36	AL	Farmer	\$100/\$700

Nancy Upchurch	wif	1840	30	AL
M A Upchurch	F	1858	12	AL
L Upchurch	M	1861	9	AL
J C Upchurch	M	1863	7	AL
J M Upchurch	M	1866	4	AL
W D Upchurch	M	1869	1	AL

1870 Census – Greene Co, AL – Mantua

Name		Born About	Age	
Sarah Eatman		1817	53	NC
¹ N J Eatman	M	1842	28	AL
C J Eatman	M	1847	23	AL
² S P Upchurch	M	1851	19	AL
Mary Martin	F	1812	58	NC
Benj Martin	M	1849	21	AL

¹ – Farming

² – Farm labor

I. Abel Upchurch, Sr – Head of Clan

A. James Laton Upchurch, Sr 1807 – 1860

Married () Nancy T Coleman

1. Mary Ann Upchurch

a. Margaret E Spence

2. John C Upchurch 1833 – 1878±

Married () Nancy Brown 1839 – 1887

a. Mary Ann Upchurch

b. Laton Upchurch

c. John C Upchurch

d. James Madison Upchurch

e. William Dennis Upchurch

f. Thomas Clark Upchurch born 1871

g. Charlie Belle Upchurch born 1875

3. Charles B Upchurch

4. Abel Upchurch, III 1837 – 1839

5. Elizabeth Upchurch 1839 – 1841

6. Robert J Upchurch CSA 1841 – 1862

7. Joseph Upchurch 1843 – 1875

8. **William A Upchurch** 1845 – 1893

9. Francis H (M) Upchurch born 1846 male vs female?

10. James Laton Upchurch, Jr 1849 – 1852

11. Samuel Pirese Upchurch 1852 – 1922

(1) See attachment to 2 Feb 1978 letter Elna E Burkhalter to RPU

A. Page 16 – Greene Co, AL Records copied by Mrs S M Marshall – Pleasant Hill Cemetery – Located Highway 14

Minnie, daughter of J and N A Upchurch 31 Jan 1881 – 24 Apr 1860

[dates should be verified – CJM 1 Aug 2021]

William A Upchurch

Seleta A, wife of W A U

23 Jun 1845 – 3 Jun 1893

26 Oct 1848 – 20 Mar 1901

Also listed same cemetery:

Several Hollingsworths – Mack D Hollingsworth

Several Hintons – see William Hinton

Several Durrettts – see William Brantley Durrettts

[Note: just from above writing I suspect the “N” in N A Upchurch is a misprint for “W” – RPU]

(2) See letter 26 Sep 1981 James Clayton Harmon to RPU

A. **William A Upchurch** born 23 Jun 1845 (Greene Co, AL) died 3 Jun 1893 (buried Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Greene Co, AL) married 23 Jun 1870 (Eutaw, Greene Co, AL) Seleta A Brown.

B. Note Will File --- --- On 1 Oct 1860 in Greene Co, AL Nancy T (Coleman) Upchurch files for dower rights as widow of Laton Upchurch, She lists William A Upchurch as under 21 and in the home.

(3) See letter 6 Aug 1998 William Lee Pattillos to RPU

William A Upchurch born 23 Jun 1845 (Greene Co, AL) died 3 Jun 1893 (Greene Co, AL)

married () Seleta A --- born 26 Oct 1848 (AL) died 3 Mar 1901 (Greene Co, AL) [Abel Upchurch, Sr/James Laton Upchurch, Sr Sub-clan – **William A Upchurch** line – RPU]

(4) See 1850 Census – Greene Co, AL

William Upchurch [**WAU**] age 6 born AL is in the home of his father Laton Upchurch [James Laton Upchurch, Sr] age 43, farmer, RE \$1060, born NC.

(5) See 1860 Census – Greene Co, AL

W Upchurch [**WAU**] age 15 is in the home headed by his widowed mother N Upchurch [nee Nancy T Coleman] age 48, born NC.

(6) See 1870 Census – Greene Co, AL

William Upchurch [**WAU**] age 26, born AL, heads a 2-person household with his wife S A Upchurch [nee Seleta A Brown] age 21, born AL.

(no number) See letter 17 Dec 1999 Charles John Peterson, Jr to RPU, Pages 73 – 83

Output from Rootswab

Birth Name	Born	Died	Submitter
<u>Upchurch, William A</u>	23 Jun 1845	1 Jun 1893	beamr

(see entire set of entries below)

BIRTH NAME	BORN	DIED	SUBMITTER
Upchurch, Wade Hampton	22 Aug 1913		csaflags
Upchurch, Wanda Diane	29 Jan 1947		csaflags
Upchurch, Warren Bruce	18 Nov 1959		csaflags
Upchurch, Wendy Erin	31 Jul 1979		csaflags
Upchurch, Wesley Gregg	1962		cbarrett1
Upchurch, Wilburn Leo	21 MAR 1898	KY 9 JUL 1932	gncflc
Upchurch, Willard DeOliver	16 Jul 1960		hsworth
Upchurch, William A.	23 Jun 1845	3 Jun 1893	boamr
Upchurch, William Benjamin	17 Nov 1963		csaflags
Upchurch, William Curtis	20 Oct 1942	Anchor, Lafayette, MS	csaflags
Upchurch, William Dennis	Sep 1869		boamr
Upchurch, William Floyd	16 May 1893	26 Oct 1964	csaflags
Upchurch, William H.	Jul 1867		boamr
Upchurch, William T.	14 MAR 1913		raycobb
Upchurch, William Thomas	13 JUN 1870	GA, Henry Co. 16 JUL 1940	GA, Spalding Co. raycobb

(no number) Marriage Records 11 Nov 1998

Upchurch, William A Marriage

Wife: Saleta A Brown

Marriage Date: 1 Jun 1870

Recorded in: Greene, Alabama

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Dates: 1823 - 1868