

Priah Elias Walker

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Commentary: see below for parentage

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(no number) See letter 9 Apr 1994 Edith Carolyn Denham to RPU ECD (Mrs Carolyn Bourque) in this letter gives the first hint that Abel Upchurch, Sr had a daughter Nancy Upchurch. She writes, "I'm related to Abel and Bethanna Upchurch from NC. Their daughter Nancy married John Walker and they lived in Greene Co, AL before moving to Newton Co, MS." This reference shows Abel Upchurch, Sr born 1770 (NC), Bethania, "Thena", his wife born 1779 (NC), their daughter Nancy Upchurch born 1800 NC, AL?). Nancy married John Walker "Jake" born 1790 (SC) and they had several children including Daniel Columbus Walker born 15 Jan 1833 (Greene Co, AL).

(no number) See letter 25 May 1994 Edith Carolyn Denham to RPU

Information in () above is supplemented:

I. Nancy Upchurch – age 49 on 1850 Census, 58 on 1860 – hence born circa 1801. Census in Newton Co, MS shows born AL married John "Jake" Walker born 1790 (SC) [age 60 in 1850; 69 in 1860], died before 1870 in Newton Co, MS. [John Walker after the Civil War applied for payment in arrears due his late son Amos Jackson Walker who died in 1863, presumably in service.]

Children:

- A. **Priah Elias Walker** [Elijah or Elisha] [born 1827 (Greene Co, AL) in Co F, MS State Cavalry, died circa 1863, married Nancy born circa 1832 (MS)]
- B. Elizabeth Walker "Betsy"
- C. Rachael Walker
- D. Daniel Columbus Walker
- E. Lucinda Walker
- F. Polly Walker
- G. Amos Jackson Walker
- H. Fanny Walker
- I. Willis Walker

Note that H & I may not be children of Nancy and John.