

## Company C, 120<sup>th</sup> OVI



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HARLAN, Samuel \* 13 Aug 1862  
Sergeant Samuel Harlan, age 21 at enrollment, died 5 Feb 1863 at Young's Point, Louisiana. The Roll of Honor in the back of the Roster book says he was buried at Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Father: Daniel HARLAN  
Mother: ??Elizabeth LATIMER [Family Search]  
Birth: <1839> OH  
Marriage:  
Death: 5 Feb 1863 Young's Point, LA  
Cemetery: Not listed at Vicksburg National Cemetery, Warren Co, MS ; but there is a stone at Mifflin Cem, Mifflin Twp, Ashland Co OH

"Daniel Harlan, Died Mar 3, 1877. Aged 67 Y, 8 M, 28 D." Then a line.  
"Elizabeth, Wife of D. Harlan, Died Feb 7, 1889, Aged 76 Y, 4 M. 22 D."

Although Samuel was probably first buried near Young's Point LA where he died, his body was moved after the war to Vicksburg Mississippi. But since his name is not listed at the Vicksburg site, he may have been buried there as an "unknown". Many of the soldiers who were buried had markers that did not survive, so when they were reinterred the records survived but there was no way to identify the individual graves. Sometimes their family back home would put up a memorial stone for the soldier.

Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865: Samuel HARLON, Sergt, Co C 120th OH Inf. Died 6 Feb 1863 at Field Hospital before Vicksburg, MS. Cause: rheumatism.

Not on Burial Registers, Military Posts and National Cemeteries, 1862-1960

I haven't found a pension record in the index for Samuel.

1850 Census, Vermillion Twp, Ashland Co OH, Dwelling 282, Family 290: Daniel HARLIN, age 41 OH, farmer; Elizabeth, age 39 OH; James, age 19 OH, farmer; Elizabeth, age 15 OH; Daniel, age 12 OH; Samuel, age 10 OH; Sarah Ann, age 7 OH; Martha, age 3 OH.

1860 Census Ashland County OH, Mifflin Township page 187 [dwelling next to James Harlan shown in section above]: Daniel Harlan, age 51 OH, farmer, [see marriage above]; Elizabeth, age 49 born in Ohio; Daniel, age 21, laborer, b. OH; Samuel, age 19, carpenter's apprentice, b. OH; Sarah A., age 16, b. OH; Amanda, age 14, b. OH; Mary, age 10, b. OH; Franklin, age 7, b. OH.

[Ashland County CW Vets](#) : Samuel HARLEN died 1868, buried Mifflin Cemetery. This date is incorrect.

Sons of Union Veterans: Burial Mifflin Cem, SH603, Mifflin, Mifflin Twp, Ashland County, OH.

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