

Company C, 120th OVI



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HUNTER, William J.* 22 Aug 1862 William Irwin HUNTER

Corporal Hunter was age 24 when he entered service. He died on 13 Jan 1863 near Arkansas Post, Arkansas. The Roll of Honor says that he is buried at Arkansas Post, Arkansas. [see below]

Father: Benjamin HUNTER

Mother: Margaret IRVIN

Birth: 13 Sep 1837

Marriage:

Death: 12-13 Jan 1863 near Arkansas Post, AR

Cemetery: [Grave locator](#) at Department of Veterans Affairs says he is buried at Rome Presbyterian Church Revolutionary War Cemetery, Rome, Richland Co OH

Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865: Wm J. HUNTER, Corporal, Co C 120th OH Inf. Died 13 Jan 1863 at Regimental Hospital. Cause: typh mal fever.

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

There is a bio of the father of William Hunter of Company C on the web site below. William was the son of Benjamin Hunter and Margaret (Irvin) Hunter. Margaret died in 1842 and Benjamin married Sarah M. Jump. It states that William died of typhoid fever and gives his death date as 12 Jan 1863. Siblings and/or half-siblings of William: Mary, Priscilla, Thomas E., Susan Jane, Robert, Rebecca A. and two who died by 1880.

<http://www.heritagepursuit.com/Richland/RichlandBloomingGrove.htm>

1850 Census Blooming Grove Township, Richland County OH, page 162: Benjamin HUNTER, age 34 OH, a farmer; Sarah, age 32, OH; William, age 12 OH; Mary, age 10 OH; Washington, age 4 OH; Percilla, age 2 OH; James, age 8 months OH.

1860 Census Blooming Grove Township, Richland County, OH, page 363: Benj HUNTER age 44 OH, a farmer; Sarah M, age 42 OH, a seamstress; William I, age 22 OH, student; Mary, age 20 OH, seamstress; Priscilla, age 11 OH; Thomas, age 9 OH; Susan I, age 7 OH; Robert, age 4 OH; Rebecca, age 3 OH; also living with them is Jane McCOY, age 72 PA, a domestic.

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