

Company D, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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STARN, John E.* 22 Aug 1862 Private Starn was age 26 when he entered service. He died 4 May 1864 at home, in Plain Township, Ohio. Roll of Honor does not give burial information.

Father: Matthias STARN

Mother: Charity LASH

Birth: <1836>

Marriage: single

Death: 4 May 1864, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH

Cemetery: Reedsburg Cemetery, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH. His stone was hard to read the day I photographed it. The light was just wrong. But it seems to say that he was son of M and C STARN. Enlisted as a Private, Aug 1862 in Comp. D, 120th OVI, 1st Brigade, Sec. Div. 3rd Corps. Died May 4, 1864, aged 28 or 30 yrs, 3 months, and 2 dys old. Is listed at Sons of Union Veterans Grave Database.

Pension index: John E STARN, D 120th OH Inf. The soldier's mother Charity STARN applied for pension 28 June 1880, Application 272712, Certificate 207295, no state given.

1850 Census, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH, Dwelling 85, Family 87: Matthias STARN, age 42 PA, blacksmith; Charity, age 37 NJ; Peter, age 18 OH; John, age 16 OH; Mary C, age 14 OH; William, age 12 OH; Susanna, age 8 OH; Harriet E, age 2 OH

1860 Census, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 260: Mathias STAIRN, age 54 PA, blacksmith; Charity, age 48 NJ; John, age 23 OH, farm laborer; Mary, age 21 OH, serving; William, age 19 OH, farm laborer; Susannah, age 18 OH, serving; Harriet E, age 12 OH; Eleanora, age 5 OH; Amantha, age 1 OH.

1870 Census, Series M593 Roll 1281, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 291: Charity STARN listed in 1870 born in NJ...age 58, keeping house in the household of S W McClain, a physician. also listed with the last name STARN: Wm, age 29 OH, farmer; Susan, age 23 OH, seamstress; Harriet, age 20 OH, no occupation; Ella, age 14 OH; Samantha, age 11 OH.

1880 Census, Reedsburg, Plain township, Wayne county, OH, page 290: Charity STARN, age 68 PA, parents born PA; William STARN, son, age 40 NJ, widowed, farm laborer, parents born NJ; Emma STARN, daughter, single, age 29 OH, father born PA, mother born NJ; Elanor STARN, daughter, age 22 OH, single, father born PA, mother born NJ; Martha STARN, daughter, single, age 21 OH, father born PA, mother born NJ.

Not found on 1890 Veterans Schedule.

[Ohio Obituary Index](#): Charity STARN died, 30 Sep 1897, age 88. Born 6 Dec 1809. Burial Reedsburg Cem, Plain Twp, Wayne Co OH.

Brother's Family Search Death Record in Ohio: File #69273, William STARN died 4 Dec 1912 at Infirmary, Wooster Twp, Wayne Co OH. Single. Born 1837 in OH. Laborer. Father Mathias STARN. Mother LASH. Burial Reedsburg Cemetery.