

**Coleman Marion Helm** 

Coleman Helm was born January 5, 1822 in Union County, North Carolina and died January 15, 1892 in Dekalb County, Tennessee. He was a son of Ezekial T Helms and his wife Ellenda, whose last name is unknown.

Sometime in or near 1846 Coleman married Mary Ann Butler. She was born March 13, 1828 in Tennessee and died August 17, 1908. No information could be found identifying her parents. Coleman and Mary Ann returned to Union County, North Carolina for the marriage ceremony.

Coleman fought for the Southern Confederacy in the Civil War in the 44<sup>th</sup> (Consolidated) Tennessee Infantry. The unit was shot to pieces from Perryville to Appamattox, but somehow Coleman survived.

Coleman and Mary Ann started their family there in Union County. Malinda (1847), Marion (1859) and Felix (1853) were born there, and then the family moved to Tennessee. The family was enlarged by the addition of Lucinda (1859) and Ethelda (1862).

Coleman and Mary Ann were interred at T B Helm cemetery, and were later disinterred and relocated to Mt Holly cemetery. A grandson, Claud Helm was present at the disinterment.