Corporal George W. Bost, 4th AR Battalion, Co. B, CSA

- 1844 Georgia W. Bost was born in NC to Jacob and Francis Bost.
- 1850 Nov 27: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Fayette County, TN showed an eight-year-old "Geo W. Boss" was living with his parents, Jacob and Francis "Boss," as well as their four other siblings. The family were listed as farmers.
- 1860 Aug 4: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated Prairie, AR showed a seventeen-year-old George was living with his parents, Jacob and Francis, who were listed as farmers as well as his four siblings.
- 1861 Oct 10: Bost enlisted in the Confederate Army at Little Rock, AR for a period of twelve months. He was mustered into the Co. B, 4th AR Battalion as a private shortly after.
- 1862 Jan Feb: George Bost appeared on a company muster roll as present.

Confederate.) 4 Battalion. Batt'n Arkansas Infantry, Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for

Mar - Apr: Present, Remarks "Left for hospital May 29."

¹ Photo Source: Fold3.com, <u>https://www.fold3.com/image/220070407</u>

May - Jun: George Bost appeared on a company muster roll as present, Remarks "Appointed May 8, promoted to Corporal."

Sep 18-20: Corporal Bost lost both of his brothers, James M. and Silas A. Bost, who enlisted into the 5th AR Infantry, during the Battle of Chickamauga. Private Silas A. Bost was killed in action on September 19, and 4th Lieutenant James M. Bost was killed in action on September 20, 1863.

- 1863 Dec 1862 Feb 1863: George Bost appeared on a company muster roll as absent, remarks "Sent to hospital January 7."
- 1864 Aug 10: Corporal George Bost was placed on the Confederate Roll of Honor for his actions at the Battle of Chickamauga, GA in September, 1863.

Nov 30: Corporal George Bost is killed in action during the Battle of Franklin. Corporal Bost was buried on the battlefield.

1866 Mar-Jun: Corporal George Bost's remains were exhumed from the battlefield in Franklin and reburied in the Confederate Cemetery at Carnton. George Bost was buried in the AR section, grave 59.



² Photo source: Theresa Rausch Victory, <u>https://www.findagrave.com/user/profile/48219310</u>