

William Gray, Private, Co. C, 65 OH Regiment, U.S.A.

- 1828 October 3: Gray was born in Monroe County, OH to John and Rachel Laughlin Gray.
- 1850 September 26: The U.S. Census enumerated in Monroe County, OH showed that Gray worked and lived on his father's farm along with his mother, and younger siblings: Mary, Lewis, David, Catherine, Merriman, Alfred, Jane, James, and Lucinda.
- 1854 (abt) Gray married Catherine Smith.
- 1860 July 6: The U.S. Census enumerated in Monroe County, OH showed that Gray worked as a farmer and lived with his wife and children: Sarah Jane, George, and Martha.
- 1863 June: According to the U.S. Civil War Draft Registrations Records, Gray was still a resident in Monroe, County, OH when he registered for the draft.
- 1864 October 1: According to the Official roster of Ohio soldiers, Gray was drafted into the U.S. Army for a one year period of service.
- November 30: Gray fought in the Battle of Franklin. His regiment was out in the front lines under the command of General George D. Wagner.
- December 16: Gray was shot while fighting at the Battle of Nashville.
- 1865 February 13: Gray died of his wounds while at hospital in Nashville. He was about thirty-six years old. He was buried in the Nashville National Cemetery in Madison, Davidson County, TN.