## **Remember Them Forever**

Name: Winfield Marion McCreless

Birth: 22 Sep 1847

Edgefield District, South Carolina

Death: 12 Jun 1934

Denton County, TX

Cemetery: Chinn Chapel Cemetery,

Copper Canyon, Denton, Texas

Plot GPS: 33° 5′9″N, -97° 5′14″W

Family: Father, James Monroe McCreless

Mother, Delila Faulkner

Military: Private, Co. D, Merriwethers Battalion No. 6, SC Reserves Enlisted Oct 1864. Paroled 5 Mar 1865 at Cheraw, SC

Obituary from Denton Record-Chronicle June 12, 1934, pg 4:

W. Marion McCreless, 86, died at his home in the Chinn Chapel community Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock, following an illness of only a few days. He was a Confederate veteran and a pioneer of Denton County, having lived in the community in which he died since 1872. He was born Sept. 22 in South Carolina, and moved from there to Alabama before coming to Texas.

Sources: Headstone Application; Find A Grave; TX, US, Death Certificates, 1903-1982; photo on Ancestry.com; US, Confederate Pensions 1884-1958; Denton Record-Chronicle



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