

"MOLLY" ALSTON GRAVEYARD

The "Molly" Alston Graveyard in Bethel Community about one mile east of Highway 269, one block northwest of Crooked Run Creek.

Mary Alston  
Died July 11, 1826  
Aged 77 years

This is the MOLLY from whom the graveyard is named.  
Born 1746.

John Alston  
Died June 3, 1787  
Aged 48 years

Born 1739  
Molly's husband

James S. T. Alston  
Died April 3, 1818  
Aged 55 years

Samuel McKinstry

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Agnes Alston

Mary McKinstry

Samuel Alston  
Died July 30, 1854  
Aged 64 years

James Brown  
a native of Scotland,  
Born Fifeshire,  
June 1740, OHI March 14, 1821

Elizabeth Logan

Jane Elizabeth Tolafero

Mary Alston  
Born Aug. 24, 1772  
Died Aug. 26, 1857

Thomas McDill Brown

John Alston, Jr.

Agnes Boyd  
Died Nov. 3, 1825  
Aged 67 years (Born 1758)

Jane McKinstry

George Brown  
Born 1812  
Died Oct. 13, 1838

Mary McKinstry

John W. G. McKinstry  
Born Oct. 13, 1838  
Died Oct. 23, 1840

Margaret, Wife of George Brown  
Born May 28, 1810  
Died June 8, 1877

George W. D. McKinstry  
Inscription not legible

Edward P. Brown  
Died Nov. 6, 1867  
Aged 19 years

William Thompson  
Born Jan. 19, 1798  
Died April 9, 1830

Mary E. McDill  
Born Jan. 1, 1822  
Died Oct. 6, 1887  
Aged 65 years

Broken Marker  
Sept. 27, 1840  
Aged 1 year Etc.

Margaret McKinstry  
Died May 26, 1836  
Aged 67 years

Annie McDill  
Born Feb. 16, 1807  
Died Oct. 28, 1895

Samuel McKinstry  
Died May 26, 1836  
Aged 67 years

ALSTON

Behind Old Alston Homesite on Sueville Road, near Broad River

1. Marianne P. Alston (Nee Brown of Johns Island, S. C.)  
Oct. 24, 1811  
March 13, 1849  
Wife of W. J. Alston
2. James K. Alston  
Son of W. J. and M. K. Alston  
Jan. 5, 1829  
March 6, 1848
3. Kirkland Alston  
Son of W. J. and M. K. Alston  
July 1842  
Aged 10 years.
4. One broken marker
5. Piece of top of vault, rest missing

Col. William J. Alston's wife is #1 above, but her husband is not here. Ederington's Book, page 71 states he married again in 1852 to Miss Susan P. cook, daughter of Phillip Cook. By this union there were three children. Susan died in 1870 in Spartanburg, S. C. where she had gone to educate her three children. William J. Alston died July 4, 1868. No record of where he is buried.

DR. JOSEPH KIRKLAND

On west banks of Big Cedar Creek in Fairfied County, west of bridge  
on Hwy. 321.

1. James Alston  
Aug. 16, 1841  
Aged 68 years
2. Frances Alston  
Consort of James Alston  
Nov. 29, 1823  
Aged 46 years
3. Dr. Joseph Kirkland  
Nov. 12, 1817  
Aged 48 years
4. William Lennox  
Son of Joseph and Marianna Kirkland  
June 21, 1828  
Aged 31 years
5. John D. Kirkland  
March 1802  
Oct. 11, 1836
6. Mary Kirkland  
Daughter of James G. and Mary T. Harrison  
Dec. 6, 1846  
Nov. 10, 1848
7. A vault type tomb with top removed.
8. Unmarked grave
9. Unmarked grave