

*James Nelson - Margaret Woodward, daughter of Thomas Woodward & Gemma Collins.  
Children: Thomas and Samuel.*

JAMES NELSON Sr.

James Nelson Sr. was pensioned in Fairfield County S.C. under the Act of 7 June 1832 and later his widow was pensioned under the Act of 3rd of March 1844 in Fairfield County, S.C.

James Nelson  
Died 28 May 1835  
Fairfield County

Revolution: Pension  
No. W.9588  
National Archives  
Washington, D.C.

SERVICE

JAMES NELSON stated that he first enlisted for service in June of 1778 and thereafter served at various times as a Private with the South Carolina Troops and under

Capt. John Woodward

Capt. John Taylor

Capt. Kemp Strother

Col. John Winn

Col. Henry Hunt

He was in the Battle of Long Cane and marched on the Florida Expedition

RESIDENCE

He was born in Orange County N.C. but before the War he removed to Craven County S.C. and settled on Mill Creek about 4 miles from Winnsboro in what is now Fairfield County, S.C. He lived here in 1835.

FAMILY

JAMES NELSON was born 6 August 1748 in Orange County, N.C. and died in Fairfield County, S.C. 28 May 1835

He was married in Fairfield County S.C. in 1788 to

MARGARET TURNER...His <sup>Second</sup> wife who died in Fairfield County, S.C. on the 23rd day of July 1845 or the 24th day...She died at midnight.

In 1798 the Veteran referred to "My FOUR of FIVE CHILDREN"  
The names were not listed.

When the widow, Margaret Turner Nelson died in 1845 she was survived by two children...All the other children were deceased.

JESSE NELSON...The second son was born 16 August 1790  
He survived his mother.

DANIEL NELSON...Anther whose birth date was not listed  
He survived his mother.

The names of the deceased children were not given.