

**CALVIN WARRICK**  
1840 - 1919

He was a soldier in the Union Army enlisting in the fall of 1861 and was assigned to Company B, Seventh Indiana Regiment Indiana Volunteer Infantry, Hendricks County Skirmishers. There were 106 soldiers. They were attached to the Army of the Potomac throughout the war. This included battles at Gettysburg against General Longstreet and at Antietam against General Stuart. Calvin was listed as a sharpshooter and rank of private.

Also, Company B was engaged at Greenbrier on October 2, 1861, at Winchester on March 23, 1862 and at Pt. Republic, June 8 & 9, 1862,.....Company B: 2 killed, 6 others died, 3 discharged, 19 wounded and 1 taken prisoner during these battles.

The 7<sup>th</sup> Indiana infantry joined the 19<sup>th</sup> Indiana infantry, the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Wisconsin infantry to form the "Iron Brigade" - 1<sup>st</sup> Corps-1st Division that fought so valiant at Gettysburg against Generals Jackson and Longstreet. In general, the 7<sup>th</sup> gave cover for the 19<sup>th</sup> during the Gettysburg battle and as the 19<sup>th</sup> Indiana infantry pulled off the battle field at the end of battle.

Calvin was hospitalized twice. He acquired pneumonia at the Battle of Green Briar at Elk Water, WV about 3 October 1861 and was sent home on medical leave. He returned to his regiment in February 1862. In July 1862 while going with his regiment from Alexandria to Warrenton, VA, a train car came off the track and crushed his right foot. He was in hospitals in Washington, D.C. and Baltimore returning to his regiment in September 1862.

Calvin was mustered out in the fall of 1864. He returned home to Pittsboro. He was married to Evaline Smith. They had four sons and one daughter. He was Middle township assessor and was not elected to county auditor on the Republican ticket. He farmed and had high grade Shorthorn cattle. He belonged to the Bethesda Baptist Church. His first vote was for President Lincoln in 1864.

Calvin had a brother, Amos who served in the Civil War. Amos served at Nashville and Chattanooga, TN but information is scarce.

Calvin has thirty great grand children with five living in Hendricks county and one living granddaughter, Mary (Parker) (Warrick) Southwick, 92 years old.

In October 1994, the great grandchildren gathered at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument in Indianapolis, IN to give \$1,000 for the monument restoration project in memory of our Great Grandfather Calvin Warrick. A brass plate, with his name on it, was placed on stair step #229. A copy of this Warrick Memorial Project was placed with the Hendricks County Historical Society and noted in its Hendricks County History Bulletin, Vol. XXVI, Number 1, February 1995.

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