**DEAR GLENDA:**

I've been checking out this big Fayette County cemetery site and recommend that, at your convenience,  look at the following cemeteries.  You have ancestors buried there or persons of interest to our family.

1.    Ashcraft Corner Baptist Church

2.    Caines Ridge Baptist Church

3.    Chapel Hill Baptist Church

4.    Stewart Family Cemetery

5.    Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church:  I have looked high and low in these three cemeteries for Samuel Walker,

       father of Martha Jane Walker Holliman.  Dad said that he was buried here in a marked grave.  He was a

       CSA veteran.  Several pioneers to Newtonville (1825) are buried here:  Hogan Yerby for example.  I

       can't find Samuel,  your great-great-great grandpa.

6.    Old Shepherd Church (this is Old Shepherd #2).  Pvt. Lafayette McCool is buried here.  He was in John

        Thomas' outfit:  Co. H,  41st Alabama.  McCool died in training from disease in Tuscaloosa before the

        41st ever got started.

7.    Shepherd Baptist Church (Newtonville Church).

8.    Springhill Primitive Baptist Church (Bluff Community):  Mary Polly and a hoard of the Lucas family.

9.    Oakwood Memorial Cemetery.  This is the big cemetery about 4 miles north of downtown Fayette.

10.  Mt. Vernon Methodist Church.

11.  Mount Pleasant Baptist Church.  John Anders South is buried here.   He was one of two friends of  Pvt.

       John Thomas who surrendered to the Yankees from the trenches at Petersburg on 15 Feb. 1865:

        Miles Bobo,  John Anders Strong, and John Thomas.  I've never found Miles Bobo.  Bobo is a common

        name around Newtonville.

Have fun with this.  I could write books on my knowledge of these cemeteries.   Most of those that are not linked are Black churches !

Love in Christ,   Uncle Rhodes