

James Smith
19th WI Infantry, Company K

Born: July 16, 1824

Enlisted: February 13, 1862 from Cato, WI, 38 year-old Farmer, married 6'1", dark eyes, dark hair, 6'1"

POW: October 27, 1864 at Fair Oaks, VA

Paroled: March 15, 1865 (place unknown)

Intra Regimental Company Transfer: May 1, 1865 from Company K to Company A

Mustered Out: June 1865

Died: June 14, 1865 at Clarks Mills, WI of disease

Buried: Clark's Mills Cemetery, Cato, WI

Gravesite: Section 27: "James/Wisconsin/Pvt. Co. K/19 Regt./Wis. Inf. Civil War
Jul. 16, 1839 - Jun. 14, 1865"

SMITH JAMES 19th Wis. Vol. Inf. Company K Enlisted 02/13/62 Cato, Wis. History--
Reenlisted after first term expired. Promoted to sergeant and transferred to Com-
pany A on 05/01/65. SMITH died at his residence in Clark Mills, Wis. on 06/14/65,
several days after being mustered out of service. SMITH had been captured at the
second battle of Fair Oaks, Va. and had been held as a prisoner until three months
before his muster out. At the time of his enlistment, SMITH was age 38, married
and listed his occupation as a farmer. He had dark eyes, dark hair and stood 6'1".
D.O.B. 07/16/1824 D.O.D. 06/14/1865 Cemetery Clark Mills Association #5. Cato,
Wis. Sect. #27. No military headstone.

