

# FORGOTTEN SOLDIER AND SAILOR

The Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, 1861-1865, principal mission is to perpetuate the memories of our ancestral fathers who served in the Civil War. These patriotic soldiers and sailors are honored and remembered by their descendants for their willingness to defend their Country and Flag.

However, there are soldiers and sailors who made the ultimate sacrifice for their country and are not remembered by this Order. These “forgotten soldiers and sailors” died on the field of battle or at sea, died from wounds or disease, or were captured and died in prison. Their deaths cost them the opportunity for a family and descendants to honor and remember their valorous deeds. Others may have never married or had no progeny, hence no direct descendants.

It is time for us again to challenge ourselves to honor and remember these forgotten men. Perhaps you have a forgotten uncle or cousin of your Civil War Ancestor, or you know of a forgotten Civil War soldier or sailor from your community whose memories should be kept alive.

The National Educational Activities Committee is collecting additional names of soldiers and sailors including documentation of their service beginning **NOW!** The information submitted will be compiled and merged with the “The Forgotten Soldier” data and made accessible to the membership on the National website under **“The Forgotten Soldier and Sailor.”** **The project will accept entries until December 31, 2021. Submit a separate Form for each additional Forgotten Soldier or Sailor.**

**Please name and save this fillable PDF form to your computer hard drive or flash drive before editing.** Complete the information below and email this form, with any additional documentation regarding the soldier’s or sailor’s service, to:

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## FORGOTTEN SOLDIER AND SAILOR FORM

Name (Last, First, Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

Service Date (e.g. 03 December 1862) \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Regular Army \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_

Infantry \_\_\_ Cavalry \_\_\_ Heavy Artillery \_\_\_ Light Artillery \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Navy \_\_\_ Ship \_\_\_\_\_ Marines \_\_\_\_\_ Revenue Cutter Service \_\_\_ Ship \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (e.g. 03 June 1841) \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Parents \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Death (e.g. 03 July 1864) \_\_\_\_\_

Cause of Death \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Death \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Burial \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks

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Submitted By \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_