

# OCCGS Civil War Veteran's Project

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## Veteran's Information

**Veteran's Name:** John HART

**Birth Date:** May 1831

Location: Fountain County, Indiana

**Death Date:** 1 June 1915

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at: Woodlawn Cemetery, Los Angeles County, California

**Service: Union**

Rank: SGT

Company: A

Unit: 46<sup>th</sup> Infantry

State: Illinois

**Occupation:** Farmer, Dealer in Farm Implements

## Family Information

**Parents –**

**Father: James Hart**

Birth Date/Location: 30 July 1808, North Carolina

Death Date/Location: 25 March 1880, Stephenson County, Illinois

**Mother: Elizabeth Gatliff**

Birth Date/Location: 1812, Kentucky

Death Date/Location: 27 April 1850, Stephenson County, Illinois

**Spouse: Rebecca Ann Sheetz**

Birth Date / Location: 2 February 1828, Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location: 18 August 1900, California

Marriage Date / Location: 11 April 1852, Stephenson County, Illinois

**Children:**

**Name: Albert William Hart**

Birth Date / Location: 1854, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 23 July 1907, Los Angeles County, California

**Name: Clinton D Hart**

Birth Date / Location: 21 December 1859, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 24 July 1861, Illinois

**Name: Orton P Hart**

Birth Date / Location: 1867, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 8 May 1928, San Diego County, California

**Name: Maurice S Hart**

Birth Date / Location: 22 July 1868, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 8 June 1940, Los Angeles County, California

**Spouse: Celia L Chapman**

Birth Date / Location: 1841, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 20 May 1929, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: 27 August 1902, Los Angeles County, California

First Husband James H Scott, died 31 December 1874 in Illinois

## Additional Information

John Hart enlisted 30 August 1862 as a Private for a period of 3 years. He mustered into Co A, 46<sup>th</sup> Infantry Illinois on 30 August 1862 at Fort Gaines, Dauphin Island, Alabama. He mustered out as a Sergeant on 19 June 1865 at Shreveport, Shreveport County, Louisiana.

Member of GAR, Sedgwick Post No 17, Orange County, California

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