

## Events related to the family and birth of Lucy Butler

Year	Location	Description
25 Aug 1857	Wood County, Ohio	Jonathon Wilson marries Serena Yoakum, a paternal 1 <sup>st</sup> cousin.
24 Jan 1858	Oberlin, Lorain, Ohio	Martin R Butler marries Mary Jane Butler, age 12y 11m, a maternal 1 <sup>st</sup> cousin. Martin is probably the son of Polly Butler (daughter of Wm and Mary Butler). Mary Jane is the daughter of Polly's brother William.
9 Nov 1859	Plain, Wood, Ohio (Bowling Green PO)	Birth of Martin and Mary's son Willis.
1 Jun 1860	Plain, Wood, Ohio (Bowling Green PO)	Census shows the household of Wm Wilson (with sons McDowell & Lyman). Next to Wm is his son Jonathon and family. Next to Jonathon are Wm and Suse [Ormsby] Butler (Mary Jane's parents). Martin and Mary Jane Butler, with son Willis, are next to Wm and Suse Butler.
1 Jun 1860	Rives, Jackson, Michigan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location of Wm and Abigail Rathbun who would raise Lucy Butler. Lucy is shown as 'adopted' in the 1880 census.</li> <li>• Location of John and Diana Elliott who would raise Willis Butler. Willis is shown as 'adopted' in the 1880 census.</li> </ul>
6 Aug 1861	Tiffin, Seneca, Ohio	Martin Butler musters into Company A, 49th Ohio Volunteers for 3-year term after enlisting on Aug 1.
26 Oct 1861	Bowling Green, Wood, Ohio	Birth of Lucy Butler, daughter of Jonathon Wilson and Mary Jane Butler. Jonathon is proven by DNA to be Lucy's father.
Jun 1863	Plain Twp, Wood, Ohio	Jonathon registers for Civil War draft but does not appear to have been called up.
1 Nov 1863	Black River, Lorain, Ohio	Mary Butler moves to Black River, staying with her uncle and aunt Jonathon and Harriet Wright Ormsby. Harriet is the sister of Suse Ormsby, Mary's mother.
13 Feb 1864	Black River, Lorain, Ohio	Mary Butler gives birth to an out-of-wedlock child who remains unidentified. Harriet Ormsby is present at the birth.
13 Sep 1864	Atlanta, Georgia	Martin Butler musters out and returns to Bowling Green.
11 Oct 1864	Wood County, Ohio	Martin and Mary Butler divorce suit filed.
22 Nov 1864	Wood county, Ohio	Martin files for disability pension.
Jan 1865	Lorain county, Ohio	Martin and Mary Butler divorce is finalized.
1865	Rives, Jackson, Michigan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lucy Butler is placed with the Rathbun family in Michigan in 1865.</li> <li>- Willis Butler is placed with the Elliott family in Michigan at the same time (per the 1884 and 1894 Michigan censuses).</li> </ul>
6 Jul 1869	Wyandot county, Ohio	Martin Butler marries Martha Helen Yoakum, a 1 <sup>st</sup> cousin of Jonathon Wilson's 1 <sup>st</sup> wife, Serena Yoakum. They have three children.
15 Feb 1870	Lucas county, Ohio	Mary Jane Butler marries William Thompson. They have six children.