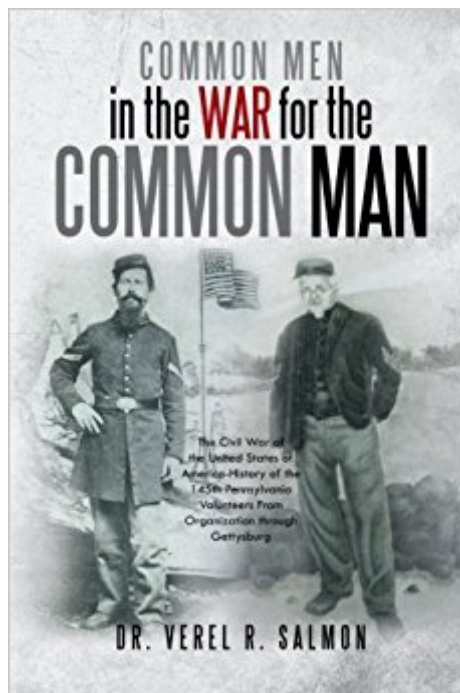




The book was found

# Common Men In The War For The Common Man: The Civil War Of The United States Of America-History Of The 145th Pennsylvania Volunteers From Organization Through Gettysburg



## Synopsis

This is the never before told story of hundreds of Americans who went to war in defense of their beliefs, to seek adventure and to see some of the world beyond their rural Pennsylvania neighborhoods. Developed largely in the words of the soldiers of the 145th Pennsylvania Infantry, *Common Men* highlights some of the men's lives before the war and then carries the reader through trials and triumphs from enlistment, Jubilant send-off, action from Antietam through Gettysburg and casualty, Democracy and the Union are sustained through the actions of common men, men not always given the best of orders.

## Book Information

Paperback: 810 pages

Publisher: XLIBRIS (February 21, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1477106871

ISBN-13: 978-1477106877

Product Dimensions: 6 x 2 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 2.6 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 2 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #758,769 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #45 in [Books > History >](#)

[Americas > United States > Civil War > Regimental Histories](#) #181 in [Books > History > Americas](#)

[> United States > Civil War > Campaigns & Battlefields > Gettysburg](#) #989 in [Books >](#)

[Biographies & Memoirs > Historical > United States > Civil War](#)

## Customer Reviews

Dr. Verel Salmon grew up hearing stories of his ancestor, First Sergeant George Washington Salmon, who fought in the American Civil War. A teacher, school district administrator and farmer, *Common Men* is the culmination of thirty years of his research which carried him from archives to attics to retracing the journey the 145th Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry from stifling marches to camp life to explosive fields of battle. Married with four children and a growing number of grandchildren, Salmon maintains his ties to the soil as did most of the young recruits who responded to Lincoln's call for troops.

Dr. Salmon has done an excellent job of putting together this history of the 145th Pennsylvania Volunteers during the Civil War. His massive amount of research on several of the soldiers from the

Erie, Pennsylvania area comes through in his writing. This is a great way to honor his great grandfather who fought in the Civil War with the 145th Pennsylvania Volunteers. He does an excellent job of letting the soldiers tell their own story through his extensive use of their personal diaries, letters, and other primary sources. This is definitely the story of the common men who fought America's greatest war. Great work Dr. Salmon! Mr. R

Once you begin reading this book it's difficult to put down! The letters are captivating, especially the relationships between soldier and wife. There were so many hardships on both sides. The women are also casualties of the war as they were left to run the farms and raise the children. They know very little about their husband, except what is reported in the daily newspaper. My big question is "Will John Reynolds proposal of marriage ever be accepted by Mary Emma McAllister"? These soldiers were the true Americans who made our country great through their courage, bravery and sacrifice!

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Common Men in the War for the Common Man: The Civil War of the United States of America-History of the 145th Pennsylvania Volunteers From Organization through Gettysburg Civil War: American Civil War in 50 Events: From the Very Beginning to the Fall of the Confederate States (War Books, Civil War History, Civil War Books) (History in 50 Events Series Book 13) What Men Won't Tell You: Women's Guide to Understanding Men (How to read their minds, what men want, why men cheat, why men won't commit, why men lose interest, how to avoid rejection from men) The 151st Pennsylvania Volunteers at Gettysburg: Like Ripe Apples in a Storm Collis' Zouaves: The 114th Pennsylvania Volunteers in the Civil War History and Culture of Dominican Republic, Government, Politics Economy, Tourism: Migration, The First Colony, Occupation by the United States 1916-24, Civil War and United States Intervention, 1965 Don Troiani's Civil War Militia & Volunteers (Don Troiani's Civil War Series) World History, Ancient History, Asian History, United States History, European History, Russian History, Indian History, African History. ( world history) A Nation Without Borders: The United States and Its World in an Age of Civil Wars, 1830-1910 (The Penguin History of the United States) Sickles at Gettysburg: The Controversial Civil War General Who Committed Murder, Abandoned Little Round Top, and Declared Himself the Hero of Gettysburg The Gettysburg Nobody Knows (Gettysburg Civil War Institute Books) Holt McDougal United States History: Civil War to the Present © 2010 New York: Student Edition Civil War to the Present 2010 The War of 1812 in Person: Fifteen Accounts by United States Army Regulars, Volunteers and Militiamen History of the Corn Exchange Regiment,

118th Pennsylvania Volunteers: From Their First Engagement at Antietam to Appomattox; To Which Is Added a ... and a Complete Roster (Classic Reprint) Why the Civil War Came (Gettysburg Civil War Institute Books) Taking Sides: Clashing Views in United States History, Volume 2: Reconstruction to the Present (Taking Sides. Clashing Views in United States History (2 Vol Set)) United States History: Beginnings to 1877 2013 (Holt McDougal United States History) 145th Street: Short Stories The Republic for Which It Stands: The United States during Reconstruction and the Gilded Age, 1865-1896 (Oxford History of the United States) Gettysburg: The Graphic History of America's Most Famous Battle and the Turning Point of The Civil War (Zenith Graphic Histories)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)