

## **Daniel Welker**

Born around 1756 in Germany, Daniel Welker emigrated to Washington County, Pennsylvania. He died March 23, 1824 in Antrim Township, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

He enlisted on the 22 April 1777 in Philadelphia, and served as a Private in the Revolutionary War Battles of Germantown, Brandywine, Monmouth and Chening. He was wounded at Ash Swamp, NJ, and discharged January 17, 1781.

He married Susan 'Veronica' Conrad in 1786 and they had four children: Susanna, Daniel, Christian and John. He was awarded Revolutionary War Bounty Land Grant #1934 of 200 acres in Mercer County on June 9, 1806. On March 29, 1813, the State Treasurer was directed to pay Daniel Welker, 'an old soldier' of Franklin County the sum of forty dollars immediately and then forty dollars a year as relief.