

**APPENDIX A-2: Comb Cemetery Inventory by County:  
Locations, Numbers of combs, Notes**

NB: GPS set for NAD 27 datum (same datum used for topos)

NB: \* indicates lat-long measured from the quads, not on-site GPS readings.

NB: Cems with only “possible” ex-combs listed and marked with a “-”, but not included in comb cem total for county (there are 11 such cems listed)..

NB: Among the ex-comb cems included in the comb cem count are three cems recorded as comb cems when first surveyed, that when resurveyed (2011-2018) were not only found to no longer contain combs but which were said by informants who should know to never have contained combs. The rationale for including these three cems in the ex-comb cem count is this: It is unlikely that the mistake of mis-recording a non-comb cem as a comb cem occurred three separate times during this survey. More probably the informants had their own reasons for denying the former existence of combs in these cems. Ex-comb cems listed in [blue](#).

Numbers of extant combs given refers to combs extant as of 2011-2018.

UID = Unidentified cemetery, no basis on which to name.

If you know of any Tennessee comb cemetery not included in this list, please contact the author at [rfinch@tntech.edu](mailto:rfinch@tntech.edu)

**COMB CEMETERIES IN THE MAIN COMB CEM RANGE, LISTED BY COUNTY:**

BLEDSOE Co.	2 comb cems	8 combs extant		
Stephens Cem	35 44 58*	85 02 54	3 combs	
Tollett Cem	35 44 49*	85 00 53	5 combs	
CLAY Co.	5 comb cems	10 combs extant		
Dennis Cem	36 31 56.0	85 17 59.1	2 combs	
Fitzgerald Cem	36 33 03.5*	85 29 45	1 comb	1839
Hall Cem	36 29 58*	85 32 13	ex-comb cem; 1 comb	
	<a href="#">when first visited, now dismantled and used as a bench.</a>			
McDonald Cem	36 29 09*	85 30 43	5 combs	
Mt. Pisgah Cem	36 33 43*	85 17 51	2 combs	

COFFEE Co.	7 comb cems	25 combs extant	
Cash Cem	35 22 21.7	85 57 22.5	4 limestone combs
Hickerson Cem	35 27 11.4	86 00 19.5	2 limestone combs
Lambert Cem	35 23 20.2	85 55 57.1	ex-comb cem; metal
	comb photographed by Ball, 1977, now gone.		
Phillips Cem	35 23 54.7	85 57 16.4	13 combs, 9 sandstone
	and 4 limestone		
Price Cem	35 24 24*	85 55 32	1 dressed limestone comb
Smith Cem	35 32 05*	85 53 53	1 comb
Stephenson Cem	35 23 50.5	85 55 36.5	4 dressed limestone combs

CUMBERLAND Co.	11 comb cems	19 combs extant	
Bolin Cem	35 51 22.4	85 10 44.9	1 child's comb
Cold Spring Cem	36 08 21*	84 59 55	1 comb
Creston Cem	36 00 25*	85 04 47	1 comb
- Crossville City Cem	35 57 09*	85 00 57	2 possible ex-combs
Frost Cem	35 57 31.9	85 03 19.4	3 combs
Hales Chapel Cem	35 49 45.1	85 05 32.6	1 comb
Houlette Cem	35 54 57.0	85 14 12.9	5 combs
Newton Cem	35 47 54.1	85 12 38.9	1 comb
Old Neverfail Cem	35 59 19.2	85 14 17.9	2 combs
Pugh Cem	36 05 02*	85 07 46.5	2 combs
Rains Cem	36 02 49.6	85 11 30.6	1 badly broken up comb
Thomas Springs Cem	35 50 31*	85 13 15	1 infant's comb

DEKALB Co.	10 comb cems	14 combs extant	
Adcock Cem	35 53 37.6	85 39 57.5	3 combs
Anderson Cem	35 59 49.5*	85 40 00	2 combs
Bain Cem	35 52 22*	85 40 29	1 comb
Indian Mound (Adcock) Cem	35 55 28*	85 40 34	1 comb
Len Cantrell Cem	35 51 02.7	85 38 15.2	ex-comb cem; Jerry
	Wright, who grew up here, said there were combs, which were removed by a later landowner; broken slabs beside cem.		
Maynard Cem	36 02 26*	85 40 50.5	1 comb
New Hope Cem	36 04 50*	85 59 50	1 limestone comb
Robinson Hill Cem	36 00 30.9	85 39 11.6	1 comb
Wiley Sandrs (sic) comb	35 50 40.6	85 39 11.4	1 lone comb
Wright Cem	35 50 52.5*	85 38 36	3 combs

FENTRESS Co.	14 comb cems	40 combs extant	
Albertson (Gould Hollow) Cem	36 25 19.9	85 01 18.6	4 combs
George Beaty Cem	36 27 04*	85 02 28	1 comb
Elias Bowden Cem	36 24 55*	85 02 27.5	1 comb
Campground Cem	36 11 21.5*	85 03 17	2 + 3 prob ex-combs
“Convict” Cem	36 15 19.7	85 04 39.5	now 1 lone comb, though when first visited several fieldstones said to mark convict graves were visible
Franklin Cem	36 27 15.5*	84 59 31.5	2 combs, including one that has been repaired with cinderblocks.
Jasper Pile Cem	36 32 48.5*	84 56 40	ex-comb cem, said to have had 3-4 metal combs at one time; at least one sheet metal comb present when first visited, now gone.
Sells Cem	36 18 58.1	85 07 19.5	4 combs Cem is partly in Overton Co., but older section with comb graves is in Fentress.
Shadow Cem	36 32 07.5*	85 02 12	1 comb
Stockton Cem	36 24 11.5	84 50 05.5	11 combs 1967 & 1969 Contains several headstones believed to have been brought from White county.
Westfelt Cem	36 12 42.5	84 55 33.5	5 combs
Wilder Cem	36 15 59.2	85 05 48.8	3 + 1 possible ex-comb
Wood Cem	36 27 02*	85 04 16	5 combs
Wright Cem	36 25 22*	85 03 21	ex-comb cem, at least one sheet metal comb when first visited, now gone.

FRANKLIN Co.	2 comb cems	16 combs extant	
Partin Cem	35 15 17.1	86 00 09.4	3 limestone combs
Perkins Cem	35 14 20.1	86 03 12.3	13 combs, 12 of limestone and 1 child’s comb of pink marble; the southwesternmost combs in the main Tennessee comb range 1835

GRUNDY Co.	6 comb cems	15 combs extant	
Caldwell Cem	35 16 55.5*	85 53 10	6 limestone combs
Old Baptist Cem	35 18 45.2	85 53 05.6	3 limestone combs
Payne Cove Cem	35 19 32.5*	85 49 45	1 limestone comb
Philadelphia Cem	35 31 15*	85 41 08	2 combs
Warren Cem	35 18 08*	85 52 29	1 limestone comb There is what appears to be a Native American burial mound in this cemetery.
Willis Cem	35 19 22.8	85 54 14.4	2 combs

JACKSON Co.	7 comb cems	9 combs extant	
Carter Family Cem	36 15 07.2	85 42 47.2	1 comb
Halfacre Cem	36 14 11*	85 40 04	ex-comb cem, formerly 1 5-Vee metal comb
Wm. "Billy" Harris Fam Cem	36 26 04.6	85 37 16.3	2 combs
Lynn Cem	36 22 58*	85 32 42	2 limestone combs
New Hope Cem	36 22 50*	85 30 37	2 combs
Pine Hill Cem	36 14 58.7	85 33 39.6	1 matrimonial comb
Pleasant Hill Cem	36 24 53*	85 34 01	1 comb

VERTON Co.	150 comb cems	1244 combs extant	
Ben Allen grave	approx.: 36 22 58	85 19 30	ex-comb cem, formerly 1 lone comb, removed for commercial development of lot.
Allison (Winton) Cem	36 24 38.5*	85 12 16	ex-comb cem; recorded in original survey as a comb cem; no combs at present; caretaker states that it never had a comb.
Allred Cem	36 19 31.5	85 12 53.8	22 + 1 ex-comb
Allred Family Cem	36 19 35.2	85 11 14.2	6 combs
Almonrode Cem	36 22 11.5*	85 16 04	1 comb
Andrew Cem	36 26 44.2	85 22 38.0	5 combs
Arline Cem	36 15 40.5	85 15 34.2	1 infant comb
Ashburn Cem	36 17 08.3	85 18 02.7	3 combs
Bethlehem Cem	36 20 00.4	85 18 33.8	5 combs
Bilbrey grave	36 21 05.7	85 10 26.3	1 lone comb
Bilbrey Cem	36 14 25*	85 22 22.5	8 combs
Carter Bilbrey Cem	36 17 47.8	85 16 47.3	14 combs
Lard Bilbrey Cem	36 14 39.7	85 22 22.8	12 combs
Polk Bilbrey Cem	36 16 47.1	85 19 31.1	28 combs
Boswell Cem	36 19 09.6	85 11 08.1	19 + 1 probable ex-comb
Bowman Cem	36 16 29.3	85 11 52.9	3 combs
Brown Cem	36 21 39.0	85 14 26.4	3 combs
Brown & Neal Cem	36 25 26.6	85 21 20.7	10 combs
Brown-Walker Cem	36 18 32.3	85 14 30.7	6 + 2 ex + 3 probable ex-combs
Campground Cem	36 22 30.5	85 26 05.1	ex-comb cem, based on the presence of two triangular stones, apparently comb gable stones; were these two stones in line it would be obvious that they represented a single former comb; however, they are side by side and it is uncertain if they are remnants of two dismantled combs or one that has been redistributed to mark two graves; the logical interpretation in either case is that this cemetery once had at least one comb.
Carr Cem	36 20 14.5*	85 15 18.5	27 combs
Cash Cem	36 23 47.5*	85 19 50.5	6 combs

Chapel Hill (Chapel Flatt) Cem	36 12 56.5*	85 07 51	4 combs
Christian Cem	36 19 38.5*	85 18 27.5	ex-comb cemetery; recorded in original survey as a comb cem; no combs at present; farm manager of forty years states that it never had a comb.
Clark Cem	36 18 52*	85 27 03.5	1 comb
Clay Springs Cem	36 17 28.9	85 24 22.8	4 + 5 to 7 ex-combs (2 or 4 laid flat, and 3 others indicated by gable stones)
Cobble Cem	36 16 38.5*	85 23 10	5 combs
Coffee Cem	36 26 21.1	85 15 54.4	1 comb
Cook Cem	36 25 57.5	85 25 16.3	1 comb
Cooper-Bowman Cem	36 25 15.5*	85 12 32.5	1 comb
Copeland-Carr Cem	36 22 06.0	85 20 06.8	2 + 2 ex-combs
Copeland Cem	36 18 50.9	85 17 57.3	13 combs
Copeland Cem	36 12 32.0	85 15 13.1	7 combs
J. S. Copland Cem.	36 24 29.8	85 20 25.8	2 combs (1 comb with a necked discoid marker)
Craft Cem	36 27 02.2	85 22 22.8	2 combs
Crawford Chapel Cem	36 20 18.3	85 25 25.3	7 prob ex-combs (4 graves with pairs of gable stones, plus six side slabs covering more 3 graves)
Cub Cem	36 18 18.2	85 10 20.4	35 + 1 ex + 3-4 possible ex-combs; 1963 comb
Dale Cem	36 26 22.1	85 27 53.5	1 comb
T. J. Daniel Cem	36 25 33.0	85 17 09.0	1 comb
Davis Cem	36 15 26.6	85 12 43.5	44 combs
Deck Family Cem	36 19 07.1	85 16 35.7	2 combs
Eckel Cem	36 18 02*	85 22 36	19 combs
Eubank – Garrett Cem	36 25 35.2	85 18 45.5	3 combs
Eubank–Jackson–Rains Cem	36 25 31.4	85 17 41.9	1 comb
Falling Springs Cem	36 20 27.6	85 10 52.5	102 combs; one of the most interesting comb cemeteries in Tennessee
Fellowship Cem	36 31 05*	85 19 22	1 + 2 ex + 2 pos ex-combs
Ferrill Cem	36 23 17*	85 09 45	19 combs
Fisk Cem	36 24 25.7	85 26 12.7	2 + probably 5 ex-combs
Flat Creek Cem	36 23 39.5*	85 23 19.5	6 + 1 possible ex-comb; two combs dated 1956 & 1958 when first visited, now gone.
Fleming Cem	36 23 35.1	85 23 59.4	3 combs
France Cem	36 13 52.5*	85 11 46.5	3 combs
Fredonia Cem	36 22 08*	85 16 44.5	13 combs
French-Hill Cem	36 19 48.7	85 13 42.2	8 combs
Gardenhire Cem	36 15 35*	85 21 52.5	1 comb
Garrett Cem	36 28 43*	85 22 08	9 combs
Glasscock Cem	36 27 22.2	85 22 35.3	6 combs
Goodbar Cem	36 20 35*	85 23 15	2 combs
Good Hope Cem	36 23 20*	85 17 54	23 combs
Gore infant comb	36 20 28.2	85 13 27.4	1 lone comb
Green Cem	36 16 59.1	85 26 26.1	10 + 1 possible ex-comb

Green Hill Cem	36 23 38*	85 13 42	1 comb
Hammock Cem	36 19 28*	85 16 05	5 combs
Hancock Cem	36 23 22*	85 11 28.5	2 combs
Hanging Limb Missionary Bapt. Cem	36 14 06.3	85 09 46.6	1 + 1 ex + ca 10 possible ex-combs
Harris Cem	36 15 44.9	85 18 00	12 combs + 2 probable collapsed combs
Harris Chapel Cem	36 15 31*	85 18 25	ex-comb cem, at least one sheet metal comb present when first visited, now gone.
Hartsaw Cem	36 18 00.4	85 18 10.8	5 combs
Hatcher Hall Cem	36 30 19*	85 13 30	3 combs
Hayter Cem	36 22 51*	85 11 55	45 combs
Highland Cem	36 17 25.1	85 15 55.9	13 combs
Holford (Bill Cooper Farm) Cem	36 16 01.0	85 20 12.9	2 combs
Holly Springs Cem	36 25 07.5*	85 23 39.5	1 comb
Holman Cem	36 28 49.7	85 19 16.2	8 combs
Honey Springs Cem	36 15 50*	85 10 12	16 + 2 ex-combs
Jones Cem	36 22 05*	85 15 03.5	ex-comb cem, at least 1 comb present when first visited.
Kimes Cem	36 14 43.8	85 15 37.0	6 combs
Ledbetter Cem	36 22 17.8	85 13 53.4	4 combs
Buckner Ledbetter Cem	36 23 39.5	85 15 12.8	4 + 1 possible ex-comb
- Wm Ledbetter Cem	36 23 25.4	85 14 55.7	possible ex-comb cem
Lee Cem	36 13 55.5	85 17 41.2	19 + 2 or more probable ex-combs
Liberty Cem	36 19 17.2	85 16 49.5	22 + 2 probable ex-combs; combs include 2 cement combs
Little Cem	36 24 38.6	85 17 24.6	7 combs
Looper Cem	36 15 53.4	85 14 45.4	14 combs
Nicy Looper Cem	36 18 07.8	85 11 45.7	10 combs
Looper-Speck Cem	36 15 01*	85 15 45.5	9 combs + 2 pos combs almost buried out of sight, just the upper edge of one side slab visible
Martin Cem	36 26 37*	85 12 52	3 combs
Martin-Phillips Cem	36 16 57.6	85 15 52.2	ex-comb cem, 2 or 3 ex-combs; at least 1 comb present when first visited.
Isaac Gore Masters Cem	36 22 04.5*	85 24 00	ex-comb cem; recorded in original survey as a comb cem; no combs at present; several local informants say it never had a one, whereas two informants believe they remember a comb.
John S. Masters Cem	36 22 21.6	85 24 32.5	2 combs
Matthews-Eckels Cem	36 18 06.3	85 21 39.9	2 combs
Jane R. McDonald Cem	36 24 46.5*	85 13 24	3 combs
McFerrin Cem	36 29 25.2	85 24 28.1	1 comb
McManus-Roberts Cem	36 23 11*	85 13 47.5	1 comb
Monroe Cem	36 26 05*	85 15 05.5	6 combs, probably once 7
Mt Gilead Cem	36 22 17.5*	85 24 09	16 combs
Neal Cem	36 24 28*	85 23 10	1 child's comb

Nettlecarrier Creek Cem	36 23 41.9	85 11 58.9	28 combs	1833
Oakley Cem	36 16 36*	85 16 45	11 + 3 ex-combs	
Officer Cem	36 11 35*	85 16 28.5	15 combs	
Okalona Cem	36 19 18.1	85 20 21.5	32, inc.1 cement comb	
Old Matthews Cem	36 20 00.6	85 22 12.4	12 + 1 pos ex-comb	
Old Union Cem	36 23 11.9	85 25 35.6	1 + 1 ex + 4 probable	
combs laid flat + 4 possible ex-combs				
Old Walnut Grove Cem	36 24 16.0	85 21 39.8	1 ex + 1 possible ex-comb	
Ole Bethel Cem	36 31 48*	85 17 18	ex-comb cem – combs	
present when first visited.				
Phillips Cem	36 18 44*	85 13 16	27 combs	
Pierce Cem	36 13 35.6	85 13 37.1	19 including 11 sandstone	
combs + 4 5-Vee sheet metal combs & 4 corrugated roofing combs				
- Pine Ridge Cem	36 10 53.4	85 07 39.6	1 possible ex-comb	
Poplar Springs Cem	36 20 03*	85 29 05.5	ex-comb cem, 7 ex-combs	
Poston Cem	36 17 40.1	85 22 19.2	4 combs	
Hiram Poston Cem	36 17 47.2	85 20 10.9	13 combs	
James W. Pryor Cem	36 21 17.8	85 20 28.2	2 combs	
Archibald Qualls Cem	36 15 04.8	85 16 17.8	15 combs	
Ray Family Cem	36 12 48.0	85 18 22.8	6 combs	
Roaring River Cem	36 18 15.2	85 20 28.7	38 combs, including	
the 3 <sup>rd</sup> oldest known date on a comb, 1822				
Robbins Cem	36 23 37.6	85 15 22.6	5 combs	
Robbins Cem	36 22 29*	85 15 14	3 combs	
Kathleen Rodgers comb	36 19 18.1	85 29 26.6	1 lone comb, erected in	
2012, the newest comb grave known				
Rushing Springs Cem	36 14 52.2	85 15 01.0	3 combs	
Ruth Chapel Cem	36 22 19*	85 21 27	3 + 1 or 2 pos ex-combs	
Elizabeth Savage comb	36 27 56.9	85 26 28.9	1 lone comb	
Sells Cem	36 30 40.0	85 17 07.7	1 comb	
Shiloh Cem	36 18 42.1	85 11 12.3	23 combs	
Smith Cem	36 24 41.5*	85 10 45.5	2 combs	
Clayton Smith Cem	36 24 42*	85 08 55	10 combs	
Dugan Smith Cem	36 25 01.5*	85 09 18	1 comb	
Speck Cem	36 15 39.3	85 12 11.9	51 + 4 prob + 2 pos	
ex-combs				
Betsy Speck Cem	36 13 50.5	85 16 45.3	2 combs	
Michael Speck Cem	36 15 20*	85 15 03.5	11 + 1 possible ex-comb	
Staggs Hollow Cem	36 16 00.9	85 19 02.6	7 combs + 1 ex-comb	
+ 1 pos ex-comb				
Story Cem	36 28 18*	85 12 08.5	1 comb	
Stover Cem	36 28 25*	85 16 55.5	2 combs	
Swallows Cem	36 11 46.5*	85 08 32.5	4 combs	
Sweat (Norrod) Cem	36 26 06*	85 14 04	2 combs	
Thompson Cem	36 11 51.2	85 15 53.4	3 combs	
Tompkins Cem	36 26 33.4	85 21 38.8	5 combs	

Tower Hill Cem	36 24 23.7	85 20 47.8	5 combs
UID comb	36 20 33.4	85 10 42.1	1 lone comb, but the presence of a small upright fieldstone nearby suggests that at least one other grave was present originally
UID cem S side Alpine Mtn.	36 19 52.2	85 12 54.2	8 combs
UID cem. with 4 combs	36 18 28.4	85 26 06.1	4 uninscribed combs
Verble Cem	36 13 21.2	85 17 59.6	10 combs
Walker Cem	36 12 05.9	85 16 27.0	4 combs
Walker Mountain Cem	36 16 51.0	85 12 54.1	14 combs
Walnut Grove Cem	36 23 54*	85 21 19	ex-comb cem; at least one comb when first visited; now dismantled and used as bench & patio.
Warthen Cem	36 25 17.3	85 21 31.1	2 combs
Weeks Cem	36 11 55.6	85 05 47.0	3 combs
Wells (Norris) Cem	36 16 16.1	85 20 06.0	3 combs
- Wells Cem	36 19 27.7	85 21 29.5	1 possible ex-comb
West Cem	36 22 32.9	85 16 25.1	2 + 1 pos collapsed comb or box grave
Nelson Williams Cem	36 19 00.7	85 25 58.8	2 combs
Moses Wilson Cem	36 12 53.2	85 13 44.4	1 comb
Ruben Wilson Cem	36 20 32.7	85 22 11.2	34 + 1 ex + 1 pos ex-comb
Winton combs	36 23 31.6	85 13 16.0	2 combs
Zion Hill Cem	36 16 44*	85 23 17	3 + 5 ex-combs

PICKETT Co.                      10 comb cems                      14 combs extant

Beaty Cem	36 32 38.1	85 04 54.4	2 combs, with necked-discoid headstones
Campbell-Canute Cem	36 36 03.6	85 03 36.9	1 limestone comb
Garrett Cem	36 29 53.5*	85 07 32	1 comb
Eligah Garret Cem	36 31 20.0	85 08 48.2	1 limestone comb
Gunter Cem	36 25 53*	85 07 11	3 combs
Huddleston Cem	36 34 29*	85 07 12.5	2 combs
Love Lady Sims Cem	36 35 53*	85 09 53	2 combs
Rector Cem	36 37 21*	85 06 12	1 comb in cemetery on top of Native American burial mound; cem transected by TN-KY state line, unclear whether comb is in TN or KY.
Robbins Cem	36 26 14*	85 08 28.5	ex-comb cem; 6 combs present when first visited.
Winningham Cem	36 29 04*	85 07 53	1 comb

PUTNAM Co.                      70 comb cems                      349 combs extant

Adkins (Peek) Cem	36 12 45.4	85 26 41.5	4 combs
Alex Byers Cem	36 11 53.9	85 35 57.6	12 combs



Bartlett Cem	36 07 25.1	85 26 36.0	4 + 2 possible ex-combs
Bear Creek Cem	36 14 27.6	85 25 57.5	3 combs: 1 sandstone + 2 sheet metal, 1989 & 2001; formerly 4 5-Vee sheet metal combs, but 2 removed
Beasley Cem	36 09 32.9	85 22 08.7	3 combs
Bilbrey–Stamps Cem	36 10 44.9	85 19 35.7	18 combs
James Bohannon Cem	36 07 58.8	85 25 57.9	16 combs
Bloomington Springs Cem	36 11 47.5	85 37 14.1	3 combs + 1 prob ex-comb
Brewington Cem	36 09 38.5	85 33 30.9	4 + 1 ex-comb
Brown’s Mill Cem	36 07 05.0	85 27 23.6	4 combs
Buck Cem north	36 09 42.6	85 26 26.2	10 combs
Buck Cem south	36 08 59.0	85 26 59.7	1 comb
Buck Cem west	36 09 18.9	85 27 14.0	3 combs
Bullington (Quarles) Cem	36 12 53.9	85 32 28.1	1 comb
Campbell-Bohannon Cem	36 07 54.3	85 25 11.4	ex-comb cem, 4 or 5 when photographed in 1979, none now.
- Christian Cem	36 05 18.2	85 43 07.4	Contains 1 possible child’s comb made of Chattanooga Shale.
Cooke Cem	36 08 55.6	85 36 54.0	ex-comb cem; at least one extant when first visited.
Cooper Cem	36 11 15.6	85 21 48.2	1 comb
Double Springs Cem	36 10 19.4	85 35 26.8	1 comb
Farley Seminary Cem	36 05 12.4	85 19 29.3	7 combs (1 crude) + 1 prob comb; cows are destroying this cem
France-Poteet Cem	36 08 22.1	85 17 34.8	1 comb
Robert Goodwin comb	36 12 16.4	85 20 42.6	1 lone comb
Green Family Cem	36 07 39.7	85 30 01.3	1 comb
Henry Cem	36 06 46*	85 19 01	7 combs
Herron-Thomas Cem	36 04 51*	85 39 51.5	1 comb
Johnson Chapel Cem	36 03 45.2	85 19 31.0	31 combs
Jones-Livesay Cem	36 11 16.5	85 20 22.3	4 combs
Judd Cem	36 09 01.3	85 32 17.0	1 comb + 1 ex-comb
Kuykendall Cem	36 14 00.1	85 31 37.9	2 combs + 1 pos ex-comb
Lee Cem	36 09 19.3	85 22 54.1	3 combs
Hop T. Lee Cem	36 13 22*	85 43 36.5	1 comb
Lovelady Cem	36 05 24.3	85 30 42.2	4 combs
Marchbanks Cem	36 12 22.5	85 26 23.7	1 comb + 1 pos ex-comb
Maxwell Cem (in Baxter)	36 09 39.9	85 38 59.3	ex-comb cem; 1 child’s ex-comb indicated by paired gable stones and a probable 2 <sup>nd</sup> ex-comb indicated by a single gable stone beside the first pair.
Maxwell Family Cem	36 07 44.3	85 44 52.6	2 combs
McBroom Cem	36 11 22.6	85 36 51.0	1 + 2 probable ex-combs
Miller Cem	36 11 02.7	85 18 42.1	6 combs (100%)
Norris Cem	36 14 43.0	85 27 11.1	1 + 1 pos ex-comb
Officer Chapel Cem	36 13 22.8	85 24 57.5	5 combs
Pearson Cem	36 12 22.4	85 29 16.5	1 comb
Pennington Cem	36 04 40.8	85 28 50.7	5 combs

Phillips Cem	36 12 46.9	85 27 24.7	ex-combs cem, combs present when first visited.
Pippin Cem	36 13 17.1	85 33 51.7	12 combs
Post Oak Shade Cem	36 11 15.6	85 33 54.9	2 combs + formerly 1 sheet metal comb when first visited, now gone.
Quarles Cem	36 10 35.1	85 26 44.5	1 comb
Ray Cem	36 10 02.7	85 16 38.4	23 combs
Robinson-Stallion Cem	36 05 26.4	85 27 16.7	ex-comb cem, 12 to possibly 15 ex-combs
Rock Springs Cem.	36 09 34.6	85 46 56.8	2 concrete combs
Russell Cem	36 08 11.0	85 45 27.2	2 combs, features one sandstone comb and one infant's comb made of Chattanooga Shale
- Salem Church Cem	36 08 27.8	85 28 56.3	pos. ex-comb cem: 3 possible or probable ex-combs
Scarlett Cem	36 09 16.6	85 31 53.6	4 combs Unusual location in middle of intersection of two city streets.
Shady Grove Cem	36 11 24.5*	85 19 23	20 + 3 probable ex-combs
Sliger Cem	36 07 09.9	85 29 45.8	1 comb
Smellage Cem	36 07 41.0	85 41 59.5	1 comb
Smyrna Cem	36 12 33.5	85 30 37.6	9 + 1 ex-comb
Stamps Cem	36 10 50.6	85 20 56.6	24 combs
Stewart Cem	36 08 14.4	85 34 25.8	1 comb
Terry Cem	36 16 11.0	85 28 43.1	2 combs
Thompson-Carr Cem	36 07 50.4	85 34 21.4	3 + 3 probable ex-combs
Watson Cem	36 07 09.4	85 26 28.8	4 combs – said to have been 2-3 more prior to 1974 tornado damage
Walker Hollow Cem	36 10 14.2	85 18 42.6	12 combs
Wasson-Essex Cem	36 07 49.5	85 31 25.0	6 combs + 1 pos ex-comb
Webb Cem	36 12 49.6	85 22 08.8	9 combs
West Cem	36 11 30.5	85 20 13.4	5 combs
West Cem	36 06 46.5*	85 31 45	ex-comb cem, 1 to possibly 4 ex-combs
Whitaker Cem	36 09 12.9	85 24 05.1	1 comb
Whiteaker Cem	36 06 44.8	85 27 03.7	ex-comb cem with 2 ex-combs which the owners stated (in 2014) that they intended to restore; they re-set the headstones but used the broken side slabs in a small patio.
Whitson Cem	36 11 46.5	85 35 05.2	2 combs
Whitson-Denton Cem	36 09 36.9	85 28 37.0	1 comb
Whittaker Cem	36 08 42.8	85 15 36.8	10 combs, including 1 flat sheet metal comb
Williams Cem	36 04 54.5	85 27 37.3	14 combs, several in poor condition + 2 completely collapsed ex-combs
Woodcliff Cem	36 09 27.8	85 18 17.1	4 + 1 possible ex-comb

SMITH Co.	1 comb cem	4 combs extant	
Lancaster Cem	36 07 39.3	85 51 21.6	4 concrete combs
VAN BUREN Co	25 comb cems.	266 combs extant	
Beech Cove (Dodson) Cem	35 46 59.1	85 31 15.3	27 combs
Big Fork Cem	35 48 43.7	85 27 04.4	37 + 2 ex + 4 pos ex-comb
Hannah Billingsley comb	35 45 54.6	85 23 31.9	1 lone comb
Cummings (Stony Pt) Cem	35 48 09.4	85 30 57.2	2 combs
Cummingsville Cem	35 48 15.6	85 27 41.5	5 + 2 ex-combs
Denney-Molloy Cem	35 44 27.5*	85 27 56	14 combs
Simon Dodson Cem	35 47 01.2	85 31 03.6	1 comb
Carter Drake Cem	35 46 54.5*	85 24 22.5	1 comb
Ford Cem	35 46 54.0	85 27 37.4	2 combs
Forsythe Cem	35 48 02.3	85 25 13.4	2 combs
Gamble Cem	35 47 59.9	85 25 12.4	1 comb, badly broken up
Gravel Hill Cem	35 48 10.6	85 25 34.5	28 combs
Hale-Sodom Cem	35 44 33*	85 29 28.5	ex-comb cem, at least one sheet metal comb when first visited, now gone.
Haston Cem	35 47 58.5	85 26 20.7	ex-comb cem, 2 children's ex-combs
Hodges Cem	35 48 56.8	85 28 36.7	28 + 1 or 2 pos ex-combs
Hollingsworth Cem	35 47 55.2	85 29 50.5	11 + 1 or 2 prob ex-combs
Lewis (Cane Creek) Cem	35 45 56*	85 23 47	5 + 1 prob ex-comb
Lonewood Cem	35 45 47*	85 16 42	7 combs
Long Chapel Cem	35 44 02*	85 32 31	13 combs
McElroy Cem	35 47 33*	85 33 55	39 combs
Old Drake Cem	35 44 16.2	85 33 19.2	1 comb
- Seitz (Walling) Cem	35 36 26*	85 26 07.5	possible ex-comb cem, with 6 graves covered by flat slabs, possibly representing 3 to 6 ex-combs
Sparkmantown (Hopewell) Cem	35 48 27*	85 30 41	22 combs
Sparkman-Yates Cem	35 48 16.7	85 29 42.6	13 combs Uninscribed comb covers 1816 grave.
Swinging Bridge Cem	35 47 44.3	85 24 31.0	3 combs, one of which is missing one side slab
Wilson Cem	35 46 17.3	85 24 02.9	3 combs
WARREN Co.	12 comb cems	26 combs extant	
Armstrong Cem	35 34 30*	85 44 10	1 comb
Blue Springs Cem	35 32 23.4	85 51 26.7	1 comb 1828
Concord Cem	35 46 14*	85 44 54	1 comb
Eureka Church Cem	35 43 38.6	85 37 18.3	1 striped marble comb

Mt. Vernon Cem	35 44 21*	85 38 17.5	1 comb
Pine Bluff Cem	35 47 00*	85 37 41	4 combs
Hash Cem	35 47 20.2	85 37 13.0	3 combs 1832
Riverside Cem	35 40 36*	85 46 23	2 limestone combs
Rock Island Cem	35 47 50.7	85 36 56.8	ex-comb cem, 2 ex-combs
Shellsford Cem	35 40 15*	85 42 28	3 limestone combs
Stubblefield Cem	35 33 17.0	85 50 14.2	7 combs
Woods Cem	35 50 49.5*	85 50 06	2 combs Cem transected by DeKalb-Warren county line, but combs thought to lie in Warren Co.

WAYNE Co. KENTUCKY 1 comb cem No extant combs

NB: This comb cemetery is considered to be part of the main Tennessee comb range.

Taylor Grove Cem 36 44 21\* 84 57 14 ex-comb cem, at least one  
sheet metal comb present when first visited, now gone.

WHITE Co. 141 comb cems 1460 combs extant

Anderson Cem	35 54 14*	85 33 35	16 combs
Anderson Cem	35 49 39.5*	85 30 56	53 combs
S. D. Arnold grave	35 57 14.4	85 35 59.7	1 lone comb
Austin (Anderson) Cem	35 53 16.5*	85 22 27.5	20 + 3 – 4 ex-combs; uninscribed comb covers 1818 grave; dated combs from 1820s
Baker Cem	35 58 55.5*	85 37 44.5	8 combs
Baker Cem east	35 59 29*	85 31 58	ex-comb cem, 4 ex + 1 pos ex-comb
Bennett Cem	35 54 09.1	85 28 56.0	1 uninscribed comb
Bethlehem Cem	35 51 34*	85 28 40	30 + at least 5 ex-combs
Blankenship-Ball-Baker Cem	35 59 52.5	85 33 04.3	2 combs
- Board Valley Church Cem	36 03 02*	85 22 44	possible ex-combs
Bradley (Pullum) Cem	35 59 58.7	85 20 45.6	2 combs
Richard Bradley Cem	36 00 43.6	85 21 12.4	9 + 1 ex-comb, including 1 1839 comb and 1 1838 ex-comb (dismantled by woman who feared snakes)
Bradley-Beam Cem	35 58 19.7	85 24 50.7	3 combs, in poor condition
Bright Cem	35 49 31.0	85 36 01.3	1 comb
Brock Cove Cem	35 59 49.9	85 29 59.4	2 combs
Bruster Cem	35 57 16.4	85 32 17.3	2 combs (1 inside stone wall of 3-grave Bruster Cem proper + 1 by itself about 40-50 ft away in pasture)
Cash-Farley Cem	36 04 21.1	85 28 50.3	5 combs
Cherry Creek C of C Cem	36 00 23.6	85 25 45.8	6 combs
Chisam Cem	35 49 17.6	85 37 33.3	1 comb
Chisum-Cole	35 49 41.4	85 40 17.4	2 combs
Cooke Cem	35 54 55*	85 35 52.5	4 combs 1830

Cope Cem	35 55 26.5*	85 37 42.5	11 combs
Cope and Sullivan Cem	35 56 47.5	85 36 18.8	2 combs
Crawford Cem	35 54 18.2	85 27 58.9	8 combs
Crowder–Lisk Cem	35 55 36.7	85 34 43.4	10 combs
Cunningham Cem	36 04 18.9	85 29 37.8	4 flat sheet metal combs
Cunningham Cem	35 49 32.1	85 25 46.2	9 combs
Cunningham Cem No. 2	35 53 11.3	85 26 50.4	1 comb
Davis Cem	35 56 30*	85 31 03	15 + 3 ex-combs
Davis Cem	35 49 34*	85 19 56	22 + 2 ex + 1-2 pos
ex-combs			
Dillon Cem	35 49 01.2	85 35 58.4	1 comb
Dodson Rd. Cem	35 52 29*	85 24 17	ex-comb cem, now totally
disappeared.			
Doyle Cem	35 50 46.9	85 30 38.4	8 combs
Doyle Cem north	35 51 19.2	85 30 59.1	1 comb
Dumplin Knob Cem	35 53 18.2	85 16 56.0	1 comb
Dyer Cem	36 04 03.9	85 27 52.1	11 combs
Earls Cem No. 1	35 49 43.8	85 32 55.2	ex-comb cem – reported in
Pollard (2003) to contain 2 combs, but only shattered slabs & 1 uprooted			
headstone in 2018; appears to have been deliberately destroyed.			
Earls Cem No. 2	35 49 16.4	85 29 33.5	1 ex-comb + 1 prob ex-comb
Anthony Elrod Cem	36 01 05.9	85 38 18.5	1 comb
England Cem	36 01 36.0	85 30 02.8	4 + 1 pos ex-comb
England Cem No. 2	35 59 56.3	85 29 14.9	12 combs, several in poor
condition			
England Cem (north)	36 02 01.3	85 28 51.7	3 + 1 probable ex-comb
England Cem (south)	36 01 01.0	85 29 01.5	6 combs
England Cove Cem	36 01 32.6	85 19 03.5	ex-comb cem 1 ex-comb
evinced by a matched pair of triangular gablestones			
Farley Cem	36 02 11.4	85 36 16.2	3 combs
Farley-Baker Cem	36 03 26.1	85 29 06.1	1 + 1 collapsed ex-comb
NB: Current land owners call this Fountain Head Farm Cem			
Floyd-Cameron Cem	36 00 23.3	85 22 15.4	3 + 1 possible ex-comb
France Cem	36 01 31.5*	85 20 17	14 combs
Fraser combs (in Scotts Gulf)	35 48 59*	85 21 20	2 combs
Wm. Fraser comb	35 49 03.6	85 22 54.3	1 lone comb
Frasier (Fraser) Cem (in Dog Cove)	35 52 25.0	85 20 39.5	2 combs
Frazier Chapel Cem	35 49 37*	85 23 55	15 combs
Gist-Anderson Cem	35 52 08.2	85 30 24.9	8 combs (7 sandstone
+ 1 crude comb made of pieces of limestone)			
Gooch-Jett Cem	35 52 52.8	85 30 14.9	3 combs
Goodwin Cem	36 03 33.4	85 30 33.1	3 combs
Green Cem	35 52 24.7	85 21 01.6	3 combs
Greenwood Cem	35 50 37*	85 29 56	25 combs
Guy comb	35 49 00.1	85 24 01.0	1 lone comb
Herd-Hensley-Lowery Cem	35 55 07.5	85 30 16.8	16 combs

Herd-Hurd-Bryant Cem dated comb), 1817, 1822	35 53 44.7	85 31 15.9	13 combs	1816 (oldest)
Hill Cem	36 02 38.1	85 28 22.6	12 combs	
Holder Cem	35 49 08.1	85 33 05.6	3 + 2 prob ex-combs	
Hudgens Cem	35 55 01*	85 25 04.5	11 combs	1833
Hurd Cem	35 53 07*	85 31 37	53 + 2 ex-combs	
- Abel Hutson Cem	35 50 15.0	85 35 56.6	1 possible ex-comb	
Hutson Cem No. 3	35 50 21.8	85 36 03.0	24 combs	1833
Isom Cem	36 04 24.7	85 28 42.0	2 combs	
Jarvis Cem comb, so little left that it must be called an ex-comb	35 58 06.6	85 25 20.0	fragments of a single	
Jericho Cem	35 50 05.5*	85 34 14	21 combs	
Jernigans Crossroads Cem	35 51 44.0	85 35 43.2	1 lone comb	1833
Jones Cem	35 58 35.7	85 38 29.7	7 combs	
- Key Black Cem reported to contain 1 comb, but no evidence of any comb in 2018	36 03 43.8	85 27 38.4	possible ex-comb cem:	
Knowles Cem	35 54 23.7	85 34 08.8	8 combs	
Lance Cem	35 55 57	85 24 16.5	2 combs	
Little-West Cem	35 58 02.2	85 24 36.5	11 + 1 ex-comb	
Lost Creek Cem	35 52 50*	85 22 08	7 combs	
Lyda Cem comb, plus 1 other broken up grave cover that may have originally been a comb	35 58 56.3	85 32 20.9	remains of 1 broken up	
Manier Cem	35 59 49.1	85 28 03.8	2 children's combs	
Martin (Old Hutchings) Cem missing one side slab	35 59 52.0	85 38 02.3	2 combs, 1 of which is	
Martin Cem	35 57 27.1	85 33 14.5	10 combs (3 in poor cond.)	
McGee Cem	35 59 39.4	85 34 02.4	2 combs	
Mitchell Cem No. 2	35 52 34.3	85 21 58.1	5 combs	
Moon Cem sandstone comb slabs, representing at least two combs, visible when first visited; not as many slabs visible when revisited in 2014; slabs gradually being buried.	35 51 40.9	85 25 44.2	1 or 2 ex-combs: several	
Moore Cem	35 49 48*	85 36 03	7 combs	
Moore Cem No. 2	35 51 48.2	85 35 21.8	3 + 1 prob ex-comb	
Moore Cove Cem slabs laid flat that likely represent another 8 combs	35 52 19.1	85 33 54.0	8 + 1 prob ex-comb +	
Mt Gilead Cem NB: Mt Gilead contains more combs than any other comb cemetery.	35 53 42.2	85 30 11.5	138 combs	1836
Mt. Pisgah Cem combs; perhaps the best comb cemetery in Tennessee for variety; 1817 dated comb, believed on basis of headstone style to have been erected later than date	35 50 52.5	85 35 32.1	126 + 1 prob + 2 pos ex-	
Mt Zion Cem stone and a remnant of a side slab from a small comb (probably a child's comb) crudely made of shaly rock; counted as an ex-comb cem due to scant remains	35 59 52.1	85 32 46.2	all that remains is a gable	
New Hope Cem	35 56 51.5*	85 36 26	31 + 5 ex-combs	
Oakwood combs of SR 136 ROW	35 59 54.6	85 31 05.0	2 combs right on the edge	

- Officer Cem	35 57 16.3	85 23 06.9	1 pos ex-comb; slabs so disrupted by growth of a tree that it is not possible to tell for certain if this was a comb or a box grave; no gable stones visible
Old Bon Air Cem	35 54 51*	85 23 11	3 + 1 possible ex-comb
Old Jericho Cem	35 50 29.0	85 33 51.5	65 + 1 prob ex-comb
Old Shady Grove Cem	35 54 36.2	85 34 35.6	18 combs
Old Sparta Cem	35 55 31*	85 28 02	5 + at least 12 ex-combs + numerous other graves that likely were once covered by combs
Old Spring Hill Cem	36 00 14.4	85 22 49.5	13 combs
Old Union Cem	35 49 30.4	85 26 26.9	102 + >4 prob ex-combs
Old Zion Cem	35 58 14*	85 33 49	5 + 1 ex + 1 prob ex, plus ca. 10 – 12 slabs laid flat that may have once been combs
Parks Cem	35 52 06*	85 21 46	3 combs
Peeled Chestnut Cem	35 57 49.5*	85 39 33	6 combs
Pettit Fam. Cem	35 50 57.2	85 32 56.1	3 combs
Pleasant Hill-Davis Cem	35 52 59*	85 28 00	10 + 1 possible ex-comb
Plum Creek Cem	35 59 53*	85 23 55	7 combs
Pollard Cem	35 53 54.9	85 38 26.1	15 combs
Rice Cem	36 02 10.3	85 35 53.5	1 comb + 1 pos ex-comb
Roberts Cem	35 52 12*	85 37 02.5	2 combs
Rogers Cem	35 51 47.1	85 25 47.1	11 + 1 prob ex-comb
Saylor Cem	36 02 12*	85 32 00	28 + 1 prob ex-comb
Scott Cem	36 00 59.9	85 29 56.2	4 combs, likely 5 originally; 1830
Scurlock Cem	35 49 35*	85 29 53	12 combs
John Shellito comb	35 52 35.7	85 17 43.5	1 lone headless comb
Simmons Cem	35 48 54*	85 30 06	3 combs
Simrell Cem	35 51 36*	85 36 14	24 combs
Slatten Cem	35 50 13.6	85 32 50.8	2 combs in poor cond.
Smith Cem	36 00 04.8	85 29 26.0	2 combs
John L. Smith comb	35 55 23.5	85 17 53.2	1 lone comb; difficult to locate: badly overgrown area, no good landmarks; should be sought in winter.
Southard Cem	36 00 22.5	85 34 51.6	3 combs
Charlie Sparkman Cem	35 50 49.7	85 37 23.0	5 + 1 ex-comb
Wm. Reed Sparkman Cem	35 48 57.5	85 34 26.1	18 combs
Swafford Cem	35 54 26.5	85 25 24.2	8 combs, including 3 nearly buried
Swift Cem	35 53 17.5	85 36 51.1	1 comb
Swindell Cem	35 51 48*	85 36 28.5	3 combs
Taylor Cem	35 54 06.7	85 30 26.9	6 combs (including 1 exceptionally large comb)
Templeton Cem	35 50 39.5	85 35 19.5	1 comb
Tettleton Cem	36 00 18.8	85 28 17.1	2 combs; formerly contained 3 combs, but the stones from one comb were stolen
Tollison Cem	36 00 16.5*	85 34 32	5 + 1 ex-comb
Triplet Cem	35 53 12.3	85 35 02.5	4 combs

Underwood Cem	35 50 39.3	85 31 45.0	2 combs
Upper Cherry Creek Cem	36 01 14.7	85 26 39.0	5 + 1 possible ex-comb
Burtis Walker Cem	35 58 31.4	85 32 45.5	3 combs + 2 ex-combs
Walling-Randals Cem	35 52 15.5*	85 31 44	38 combs
Ward-Cashdollar Cem	35 55 26.5*	85 33 21	5 combs
Welch Cem	35 50 32.4	85 17 51.9	ex-comb cem, 2 or 3 ex-combs
Wesley Chapel Cem	35 58 23*	85 36 46.5	13 combs
Wheeler Cem	35 58 27.5*	85 25 19.5	4 + 1 ex-comb
White Seminary Cem	35 54 49.8	85 30 40.3	19 combs
White Cem	35 50 03.5	85 25 46.5	1 + 1 ex + 1 pos ex-comb
Wilhite Cem	36 03 59.3	85 29 07.5	14 combs + 1 remnant
Wilson Cem	35 52 49*	85 24 41	13 combs, including several combs from the 1820s
Winstead Cem	35 53 51.5	85 34 28.9	2 combs
Wisdom Cem No. 2	36 00 43.2	85 25 55.4	2 combs
Witt Cem	35 48 23.6	85 32 36.9	10 combs, several in poor Condition, 1 under a fallen tree
Young Cem	35 54 11.3	85 32 55.7	6 combs
Young-Hensley Chapel Cem	35 54 27*	85 31 47	11 combs

**Number of comb cems in main Tennessee comb range, inc. ex-comb cems: 474**

**Number of comb cems with extant combs: 434**

**Number of ex-comb cems: 40**

**Number of possible comb cems, not included in above totals: 11**

**Total number of extant combs: 3519**

## **TENNESSEE COMB CEMETERIES OUTSIDE THE MAIN COMB RANGE**

BEDFORD Co. 1 comb cem

Shofner Cem 35 26 47.4 86 19 46.6 2 limestone children's combs, Shofner boys, both d. 1854

CANNON Co. 1 comb cem

Curlee Cem 35 46 37\* 86 09 46.5 1 cement comb with very low walls, something of a hybrid comb-gravehouse

LINCOLN Co. 1 comb cem

Roper Cem 35 01 16.1 86 46 17.5 2 limestone combs, the southwesternmost known combs in Tennessee



RUTHERFORD Co. 1 comb cem

Science Hill Cem                      35 49 28\*      86 14 52.5    1 5-Vee sheet metal comb

SEQUATCHIE Co. 1 comb cem

McGlothen Cem                      35 27 55\*      85 26 44      1 comb, though two when  
first visited

**Number of comb cems in Tennessee, including cems outside the main range: 479**

**Number of comb cems with extant combs: 439**

**Total number of extant combs: 3526**

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