

**THE ATLANTA CAMPAIGN
CHRONOLOGICAL SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL EVENTS**

- May** 6, Campaign begins with Union Armies moving.
 6-7, Skirmishes at Tunnel Hill.
 8-11, Demonstrations at Rocky Face Ridge with combat at Buzzard's
 Roost and Dug Gap.
 14-15, Battle of Resaca.
 16, Skirmish near Calhoun.
 17, Skirmish at Adairsville. Action at Rome.
 18-19, Combat at Cassville and Confederate retreat across Etowah River.
 25, Battle of New Hope Church.
 27, Battle of Pickett's Mill.
 28, Battle of Dallas.
- June** 14, Combat at Pine Mountain, General Polk killed.
 15, Combat at Gilgal Church.
 16, Combat at Lost Mountain. Confederates withdraw to Mud Creek.
 19, Confederates take position at Kennesaw Mountain.
 20, Engagement at Noonday Creek.
 22, Battle of Kolb's Farm.
 27, Battle of Kennesaw Mountain.
- July** 2, Confederates fall back to Smyrna.
 4, Skirmishes at Ruff's Mill and Rottenwood Creek.
 5-17, Skirmishes along Chattahoochee River.
 8-9, Sherman crosses Chattahoochee River.
 10-22, Rousseau's Raid from Decatur, Ala., to West Point & Montgomery
 Railroad.
 18, Gen. Hood supersedes Gen. Johnston in command of Confederate
 Army.
 20, Battle of Peachtree Creek.
 22, Battle of Atlanta, General McPherson killed.
 22-24, Garrard's Raid to Covington.
 27-31, McCook's Raid to Macon & Western Railroad, with combat at
 Lovejoy and Newnan. Garrard's Raid to South River, with
 Skirmish at Lithonia.
 28, Battle of Ezra Church.
- August** 6, Combat at Utoy Creek.
 10-Sept 9, Wheeler's Raid to North Georgia and East Tennessee.
 18-22, Kilpatrick's Raid to Lovejoy.
 31-Sept 1, Battle of Jonesboro.
- September** 2, Union occupation of Atlanta.