

June 23, 1865: Stand Watie Born Vocabulary

Word	Part of Speech	<u>Definition</u>
Confederacy	Noun	Confederate States of America - the confederation of the 11 southern states that seceded from the United States in 1861, an act that started the Civil War. Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia were the states that seceded.
Assassinated	Verb	to kill somebody, especially a political leader or other public figure, by a sudden violent attack
Betrayal	Verb	to harm or be disloyal to a country or another person by helping an enemy or giving information that is confidential or surrendering something to an enemy
Faction	Noun	a group that is a minority within a larger group and has interests or beliefs that are not always in harmony with the larger group
Regiment	Noun	a permanent military unit usually consisting of two or three battalions of ground troops divided into smaller companies or troops under the command of a colonel



