



Sunshine in Montgomery County, Maryland — *The American Northeast (Mid-Atlantic)*

Elton

Inscription. Birthplace of Ridgely Brown, CSA, 1833–1864. May 15, 1862, with seventeen young Marylanders he organized First Maryland cavalry. He served consistently and gallantly, rising from Private to Lt. Colonel. Killed at South Anna River, Virginia, June 1, 1864.

Erected by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Maryland Division.

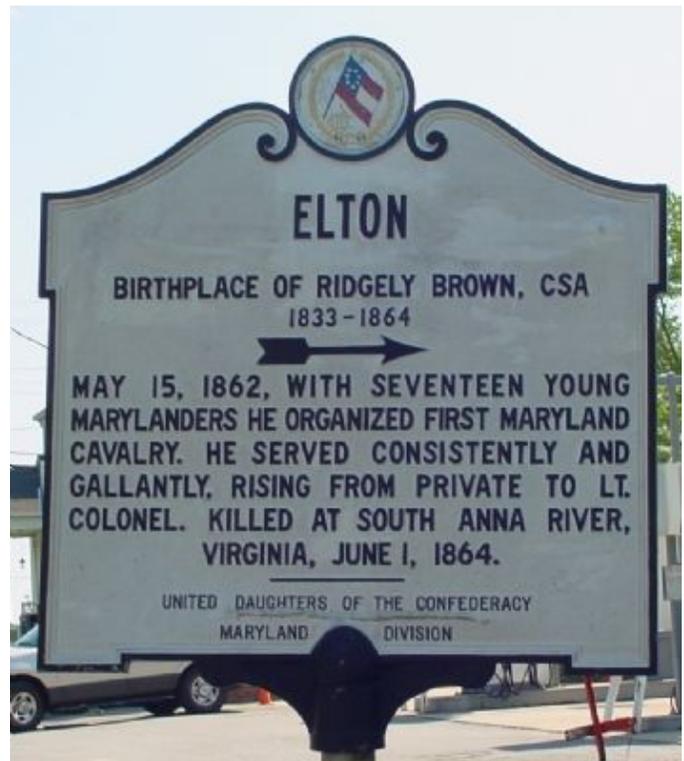
Marker series. This marker is included in the [United Daughters of the Confederacy](#) marker series.

Location. 39° 13.347' N, 77° 3.578' W. Marker is in Sunshine, Maryland, in Montgomery County. Marker is on Georgia Avenue (Maryland Route 97) north of New Hampshire Avenue / Damascus Road (Maryland Route 650), on the left when traveling north. [Touch for map](#). Marker is in this post office area: Brookeville MD 20833, United States of America.

Other nearby markers. At least 5 other markers are within 3 miles of this marker, measured as the crow flies. [The Rachel Carson Greenway](#) (approx. 1.4 miles away); [Mills in the Upcounty](#) (approx. 1.4 miles away); [Our Agricultural Heritage](#) (approx. 1.4 miles away); [Brookeville Schoolhouse](#) (was approx. 2.8 miles away but has been reported permanently removed.); [The Miller's Cottage](#) (approx. 2.8 miles away).

Also see . . . [First Maryland Cavalry, CSA](#). (Submitted on May 20, 2006.)

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