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The Massacre at Fort Pillow:
Holding Nathan Bedford Forrest Accountable

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Although Northern newspapers of the time no doubt exaggerated some of the
Confederate atrocities at Fort Pillow, most modern sources agree that a massacre of Union troops
took place there on April 12, 1864. It seems clear that Union soldiers, particularly black soldiers,
were killed after they had stopped fighting or had surrendered or were being held prisoner. Less
clear is, the role played by Major General Nathan Bedford Forrest in leading his troops.
Although we will never know whether Forrest directly ordered the massacre, evidence suggests
that he was responsible for it.
Fort Pillow, Tennessee, which sat on a bluff overlooking the Mississippi River, had been held by the Union for two years. It was garrisoned by 580 men. 292 of them from United States Colored Heavy and Light Artillery regiments, 285 from the white Thirteenth Tennessee Cavalry. Nathan Bedford Forrest commanded about 1,500 men.1

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