

Charles G. Christman

New York City

- 1799 Charles is born in Dantzic, Germany (census)
- 1823 musical instrument maker, Bedford & Burton St. (*NLI*)
- 1824-25 now at #64 & 80 Crosby St. (*NLI*)
- 1826-28 now at #79 Bedford St (dir)
- 1829-36 now at #398 Pearl St. (dir)
- 1831 ad includes Kent bugles, common bugles, trombones & trumpets; #398 Pearl St. factory & store
- 1832 wins award for keyed bugle
- 1835 wins silver medal for trumpets & post horns
- 1837 May 3rd still at #398 Pearl St. (dir)
- 1837-54 now at #404 Pearl St. (dir)
- 1845 listed as importer of musical instruments (dir)
- 1846 enters Keyed Bugle in NY exhibition (*NLI*)
- 1849 Patent #6968 for WWI key layout; Charles G. Christman, musical instruments, #404 Pearl St (dir)
- 1854 #404 Pearl St (dir)
- 1855 now at #391 Pearl St. (dir)
- 1858 Christman now gone from NYC directory
- 1884 Charles dies on October 29th, age 85, Brooklyn
- photo 1 from Horn-u-copia.net; others from auction sales

