

**Descendants of
Frank & Hannah Alford
of Sweden & Missouri**

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1. **Frank Alford** #1205 b. about 1820, Sweden, m. in Sweden, **Hannah** _____ #1206, b. Jun 7 1827, Sweden, d. Nov 23 1908, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Twin Grove Cem., Jasper Co., MO. Frank died about 1870/71, West Joplin, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Jasper Co. MO.

1870 census data (see below) indicates the family left Sweden in or after 1864.

Frank was killed in a lead mine near Lone Elm, West Joplin, MO and is buried in what was Fairview Cemetery in Joplin. "later they wanted to put a road thru where he was buried - some people had their relatives dug up and buried elsewhere. Frank Alford's family did not hear about folks being asked to remove bodied. So he was left and the road went over his grave."

Census: Aug 13, 1870, Jasper Co., MO Carthage Post Office, Marion Township, page 88, house 543, family 543 (name spelled "Ollfoot" all born Sweden): Frank 50, Hannah 48, Alfred 20, Augusta 15, Axal 12m, Christian 9 and John 6.

By 1880 the surname was Alford on John Axel's census but Olford on Hannah's and in 1900 Cherokee County, Kansas and 1910 Ottawa County, Oklahoma it was Alford.

Some descendants, based on oral family history, show that the parents were Alfred Alhford and Hanna Jogansdotter but have children named Augusta, Axel, John, Christina, and Alfred. No Frank is mentioned in the descendants account. Specific dates came from the descendants. Alfred was supposedly lost when their ship sank as it arrived near the U.S.

Hannah: It is assumed she died in the same county where she lived and is buried.

Children:

2. i **Alfred Alford** #1207 b. about 1850, Sweden.
3. ii **Augusta Alford** #1208 b. Apr 1856, Sweden, m. Nov 12 1884, **Frank E. Charlson** #1212, b. Jun 26 1845, Sweden, d. 1907, buried: Twin Grove Cem., Jasper Co., MO. Augusta died 1942, Missouri, buried: Twin Grove Cem., Jasper Co., MO.
Frank: Gravestone says he was born 1844, County History book says 1845.
- + 4. iii **Axel Edward Alford** #99 b. Oct 17 1857.
- + 5. iv **Christina Josephina "Jossie" Alford** #4743 b. Oct 1860.
6. v **Christian Alford** #1209 b. about 1861, Sweden.
- + 7. vi **John August Alford** #98 b. Jan 24 1865.

Second Generation

4. **Axel Edward Alford** #99 (1.Frank¹) b. Oct 17 1857, Sweden, m. Dec 31 1886, **Rebecca Ann**

Newby #102, b. Mar 8 1869, Pleasant Gap, Bates Co., MO, (daughter of Milton Newby #1213 and Nancy Jane Hastings #1214) d. Feb 20 1939, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO. Axel died Jun 30 1918, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO.

Axel, Annie and the two daughters were enumerated in Cherokee Co. KS in 1900. Both his parents were shown to be born in Sweden.

Children:

- + 8. i **Laura Myrtle Alford** #1293 b. Nov 8 1887.
- + 9. ii **Lulu Alford** #1294 b. Oct 23 1898.
- + 10. iii **Lottie Morene Alford** #1295 b. Jun 4 1908.
- + 11. iv **Ernest Edward Alford** #1296 b. Sep 18 1909.

5. **Christina Josephina "Jossie" Alford** #4743 (1.Frank¹) b. Oct 1860, Sweden, m. about 1875, in Missouri, **Jonathan J. Lowther** #4744, b. about 1845, Missouri. Christina died Jan 1930, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX. The 1870 census data extraction shows Christian male 9. It is probably a corruption of Christiana reported as born October 1860 reported by descendants. In the 1880 census of Jasper Co. MO she, her husband and her daughter were enumerated with her mother, the widow Hannah Olford. She and both parents were born in Sweden. He husband and both his parents were born in MO.

Children:

- + 12. i **Augusta "Gussie" Josephine Lowther** #1211 b. Sep 21 1877.
- 13. ii **Walter C. Lowther** #4973.
- + 14. iii **Alice Lowther** #4974.
- 15. iv **Rowena Lowther** #4975.

7. **John August Alford** #98 (1.Frank¹) b. Jan 24 1865, Sweden, m. Oct 25 1887, **Margaret Ellen Newby** #100, b. Feb 16 1872, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO, (daughter of Milton Newby #1213 and Nancy Jane Hastings #1214) d. Oct 25 1961, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO. John died Nov 23 1929, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO.

Children:

- + 16. i **Katie Jane Alford** #101 b. Dec 15 1888.
- 17. ii **Frank Milton Alford** #1215 b. Jul 25 1894, Cherokee Co., KS, d. Sep 2 1910, Miami, Ottawa County, Oklahoma, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO. He and his team of horses were killed by lightning.
- + 18. iii **Charles August Alford** #1216 b. Sep 7 1899.
- + 19. iv **John Albert Alford** #1217 b. Apr 4 1903.

Third Generation

8. **Laura Myrtle Alford** #1293 (4.Axel², 1.Frank¹) b. Nov 8 1887, Jasper Co., MO, m. Aug 7 1905, **John Lawver** #1297. Laura died Jun 29 1943, Jasper Co., MO.

Children:

- 20. i **Norman Curtis Lawver** #1298 b. Dec 31 1906.
- 21. ii **Lettie Lucille Lawver** #1299 b. Oct 26 1908.
- 22. iii **Kenneth Ivan Lawver** #1300 b. Mar 15 1913.
- 23. iv **George Edward Lawver** #1301 b. Jan 22 1916.
- 24. v **Ralph Leroy Lawver** #1302 b. Dec 16 1918.
- 25. vi **John Ross Lawver** #1303 b. Jun 1 1925.

26. vii **Wayne Lawver** #1304 b. Nov 12 1927.
9. **Lulu Alford** #1294 (4.Axel², 1.Frank¹) b. Oct 23 1898, Jasper Co., MO, m. (1) May 25 1917, in Jasper Co., MO, **I. C. Ellis** #1305, m. (2) May 28 1931, in Jasper Co., MO, **Walter Stamps** #1307.
Children by I. C. Ellis:
27. i **Grant Alford Ellis** #1306 b. Oct 9 1918.
10. **Lottie Morene Alford** #1295 (4.Axel², 1.Frank¹) b. Jun 4 1908, m. Dec 28 1926, **Hubert Starchman** #1308, d. Feb 11 1949.
Children:
28. i **Dale Edwards Starchman** #1309 b. Apr 16 1941.
29. ii **Donald James Starchman** #1310 b. Oct 29 1943.
11. **Ernest Edward Alford** #1296 (4.Axel², 1.Frank¹) b. Sep 18 1909, Jasper Co., MO, m. Jun 4 1941, in Jasper Co., MO, **Marion Nadine Maddox** #1311. Ernest died Jul 5 1996.
Children:
30. i **Ernest Edward Alford, Jr.** #1312 b. Jul 2 1942.
31. ii **Gary Grant Alford** #1313 b. Nov 7 1943, m. Dec 30 1966, in Lawton, Oklahoma, **Lorna Gaston** #1317, (daughter of Galen Gaston #1318 and _____ #1319).
32. iii **Judy Lynn Alford** #1314 b. Jul 31 1945.
+ 33. iv **Richard Alan Alford** #1315 b. Aug 18 1946.
34. v **Janice Lou Alford** #1316 b. Jan 16 1951.
12. **Augusta "Gussie" Josephine Lowther** #1211 (5.Christina², 1.Frank¹) b. Sep 21 1877, Missouri, m. Feb 6 1901, in Joplin Jasper Co., MO, **Edward Teas** #4978, b. about 1871, (son of John Teas #4979 and Sarah Parker #4980) d. Jan 10 1951, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX. Augusta died Mar 2 1929, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX. Descendants show her born in Sweden which seems unlikely when her mother was in Missouri for the 1870 census. In the 1880 census she and her parents were enumerated with widow Hannah Alford in Jasper Co, MO. The census shows that she was born in MO, her father in MO and her mother in Sweden.

Joplin News Herald 4 March 1929

MRS. EDWARD TEAS DIES IN HOUSTON

Mrs. Edward Teas, formerly of Joplin, died at noon Saturday at her home in Houston, Tex., according to information by relatives here. She was the niece of Mrs. F. E. Charlson, 515 North Wall Street. Mrs. Teas was well known here among a wide circle of friends. Burial was in Houston.

Edward: Descendants mention a second marriage but AAFA has no name or date.

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TEAS EDWARD, SR.

Carthage, Mo., Jan. 17 __ Information has been received here of the death of Edward Teas, Sr., resident and a member of a world-recognized horticulture family, which occurred Wednesday

morning, January 10, at his home in Bellaire, Tex. He had resided in Texas since 1910. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ruth R. Teas, and four sons, Edward Teas, Jr., and Ben Teas, both of Spring, Tex., and Paul Teas and Fred Teas of Bellaire, Tex., and two daughters, Mrs. F. M. Austin of Houston and Mrs. Lee Signor of Conroe and a sister, Mrs. Dorothy Graves in Oregon. Funeral services were held last Friday in Bellaire.

Children:

- 35. i **Frederick Augustus Teas** #4981 b. Nov 6 1901, Joplin Jasper Co., MO, m. **Blanche Bryant** #5000.
- + 36. ii **Paul Parker Teas** #4982 b. Nov 6 1901.
- 37. iii **Josephine A. Teas** #4983 b. 1903, m. **Frank Austin** #4997.
- 38. iv **Edward Jones Teas** #4984 b. 1906.
- 39. v **Ruth Teas** #4985 b. 1913, m. **Lee Signor** #4998.
- 40. vi **Benjamin David Teas** #4986 b. Jul 1915, m. **Lois** _____ #4999.

- 14. **Alice Lowther** #4974 (5.Christina², 1.Frank¹) m. _____ **Bert** #4976.

Children:

- 41. i **Paul Bert** #4977 d. after 1980, California.

- 16. **Katie Jane Alford** #101 (7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Dec 15 1888, Jasper Co., MO, m. Sep 22 1909, **Charles Newton Malone** #1232, b. Aug 22 1876, Denver, Arapahoe County, Colorado, d. Feb 20 1957, Welch, Craig County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK. Katie died Dec 8 1980, Commerce, Ottawa County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK.

Children:

- + 42. i **Lunda Leon Malone** #1233 b. Nov 20 1910.
- + 43. ii **Ellen Lois Malone** #1234 b. Nov 22 1912.
- + 44. iii **Charles Vernon Malone** #1235 b. Dec 13 1915.
- 45. iv **Homer Malone** #1236 b. Dec 21 1927, Welch, Craig County, Oklahoma, d. Nov 10 1976, Welch, Craig County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK. Homer never married.

- 18. **Charles August Alford** #1216 (7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Sep 7 1899, Cherokee Co., KS, m. Jul 23 1918, **Gladys Shewmaker** #1218, b. Sep 21 1900, Joplin Jasper Co., MO, d. Aug 1978, buried: Hornet Cemetery, Newton Co., MO. Charles died Nov 24 1975, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO.

Children:

- 46. i **Charles Edward Alford** #1219 b. Aug 2 1919.
- + 47. ii **Dorothea Jean Alford** #1220 b. Nov 10 1921.
- + 48. iii **Eleanor Louise Alford** #1221 b. May 20 1924.
- + 49. iv **Norma June Alford** #1222 b. Jun 29 1926.
- + 50. v **Melvin LeRoy Alford** #1223 b. Sep 3 1928.
- + 51. vi **Beryl Clark Alford** #1224 b. Dec 19 1931.

- 19. **John Albert Alford** #1217 (7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Apr 4 1903, Missouri, m. Apr 23 1924, in Carthage, Jasper County, Missouri, **Irene Rachel Smith** #1225, b. Oct 9 1909, Wichita, Sedgwick

Co., KS, d. Nov 12 1981, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO, buried: Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO.
John died Mar 10 1979, Carl Junction, Jasper Co., MO.

Children:

- 52. i **Baby Alford** #1226 b. Aug 13 1925, d. Aug 13 1925.
- 53. ii **Clyde Albert Alford** #1227 b. Aug 26 1927, m. Jan 11, **Mary Ellen Rainey** #1345.
- 54. iii **Elsie Irene Alford** #1228 b. Jan 23 1930, d. Jan 12 1940.
- 55. iv **Mary Louise Alford** #1229 b. Jul 30 1932, m. (1) May 22 1950, **Jack Leroy Spradling** #1346, d. Dec 17 1951, m. (2) Aug 22 1953, **Marion Lawrence Cox** #1347.
- 56. v **Billy Ray Alford** #1230 b. Oct 6 1934, m. May 16 1954, **Maxine Buchanan** #1348.
- 57. vi **John Roy Alford** #1231 b. Jan 16 1937.

Fourth Generation

33. **Richard Alan Alford** #1315 (11.Ernest³, 4.Axel², 1.Frank¹) b. Aug 18 1946, Joplin Jasper Co., MO, m. 1969, **Belinda Jane Brown** #4711, b. Apr 29 1949, Wichita, Sedgwick Co., KS.

Children:

- 58. i **Tracy Christine Alford** #4712 b. Jun 10 1973.
- 59. ii **Travis Alan Alford** #4713 b. May 9 1976.
- 60. iii **Trevor Alan Alford** #4714 b. May 12 1978.

36. **Paul Parker Teas** #4982 (12.Augusta³, 5.Christina², 1.Frank¹) b. Nov 6 1901, Joplin Jasper Co., MO, m. Jun 14 1927, in Houston, Harris Co., TX, **Annie Jo Smith** #4987, (daughter of William Smith #4988 and Harriet VanGaskin #4989). Paul died Nov 14 1953, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX.

Children:

- 61. i **William Edward Teas** #4990 b. Feb 3 1932, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX, m. Apr 17 1954, in Houston, Harris Co., TX, **Oletia Adana Booker** #4993, (daughter of Thomas Booker #4994 and Oleta Hart #4995). William died Dec 16 2009, Harris Co., TX. Bill and Oleta are charter members #1097 ALFORD AMERICAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION, INC.
- 62. ii **Joseph Parker Teas** #4991 b. Jul 30 1934, Bellaire, Harris Co. TX, m. in Houston, Harris Co., TX, **Wanda Wheeler** #4992.

42. **Lunda Leon Malone** #1233 (16.Katie³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Nov 20 1910, m. (1) Jan 23 1935, divorced, **Edith Evelyn Burchet** #1237, m. (2) Dec 4 1948, **Eula May Williams** #1239. Lunda died Apr 27 1974, Welch, Craig County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK.

Children by Edith Evelyn Burchet:

- 63. i **Katheryn Louise Malone** #1238.

Children by Eula May Williams:)

- 64. ii **Jimie Leon Malone** #1240.

43. **Ellen Lois Malone** #1234 (16.Katie³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Nov 22 1912, Webb City, Jasper County, Missouri, m. Jul 26 1931, in Vinita, Craig County, Oklahoma, **Robert Lee Ora "Otis" Wood** #1241, b. Jul 27 1908, Bristow, Creek County, Oklahoma, (son of Jesse Monroe Wood #1242 and Ethel Mae Taylor #1243). Ellen died Nov 26 1993, Miami, Ottawa County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK.

Children:

- + 65. i **Robert Leonard Wood** #1244 b. May 21 1932.
- + 66. ii **Norman Lee Wood** #1245 b. Nov 15 1935.

- + 67. iii **Charles Lloyd Wood** #1246 b. Sep 14 1938.
 - + 68. iv **John Owen Wood** #1247 b. Aug 21 1941.
 - + 69. v **Mary Martha Wood** #1248 b. Oct 6 1943.
 - + 70. vi **Joyce Ann Wood** #1249 b. Dec 31 1945.
 - + 71. vii **Jimmy Wayne Wood** #1250 b. Sep 12 1948.
 - + 72. viii **Jack Burton Wood** #1251 b. Jan 21 1952.
 - + 73. ix **Louella Jean Wood** #1252 b. Jan 3 1955.
44. **Charles Vernon Malone** #1235 (16.Katie³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Dec 13 1915, m. Nov 6 1937, **Edith Ellen Bailey** #1320. Charles died Dec 20 1975, Tulsa, Tulsa County, Oklahoma, buried: Williams-Timberhill Cem, Welch, OK.
- Children:*
- 74. i **Charles Franklin Malone** #1321.
 - 75. ii **Janie Lou Malone** #1322 m. **Harold Willis** #1323.
47. **Dorothea Jean Alford** #1220 (18.Charles³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Nov 10 1921, m. Jul 25 1943, **Emery E. Fager** #1324.
- Children:*
- 76. i **Duane Lee Fager** #1325.
 - 77. ii **Jane Ann Fager** #1326.
48. **Eleanor Louise Alford** #1221 (18.Charles³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. May 20 1924, m. May 31 1942, **Floyd Evert Barnes** #1327.
- Children:*
- 78. i **Jim Barnes** #1328.
 - 79. ii **Linda Barnes** #1329.
 - 80. iii **Joyce Barnes** #1330.
49. **Norma June Alford** #1222 (18.Charles³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Jun 29 1926, m. Apr 29 1946, **James W. Harlan** #1331.
- Children:*
- 81. i **Gary Harlan** #1332.
 - 82. ii **Steven Harlan** #1333.
50. **Melvin LeRoy Alford** #1223 (18.Charles³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Sep 3 1928, m. Nov 14 1948, **Ethel Jeanne Grissom** #1334.
- Children:*
- 83. i **David Alford** #1335.
 - 84. ii **Kathleen Alford** #1336.
 - 85. iii **Dale Alford** #1337.
 - 86. iv **Don Alford** #1338.
 - 87. v **Janice Alford** #1339.
51. **Beryl Clark Alford** #1224 (18.Charles³, 7.John², 1.Frank¹) b. Dec 19 1931, m. Dec 1 1951, **Zelma Shafer** #1340.
- Children:*
- 88. i **Connie Alford** #1341.
 - 89. ii **Susie Alford** #1342.

- + 90. iii **Edward Clark Alford** #1343.
- 91. iv **Nancy Alford** #1344.

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