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THE FACTS

Clulte, Brazoria Co., TX
Friday, 18 August 2006

Longtime Brazoria County resident, rancher, developer, Realtor and insurance agent D. Ray Alford passed away on Wednesday [August 16] night at his home in Sweeny after a courageous battle with cancer.

To any stranger, D. Ray always offered a strong handshake, introducing himself as a WWII veteran and Aggie Class of '45. D. Ray fiercely loved his God, his family, his country and his work as an elder at the Church of Christ in Sweeny.

Born in Gonzales County in 1924, D. Ray served as County Extension Agent, a board member of the Sweeny Community Hospital, the Lion's Club, the American Legion and the Sweeny Chamber of Commerce.

He is preceded in death by his parents, J.I. and Mary Gilmore Alford of Waelder; and infant daughter, Dawn Alford.

He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Mary Lockhart Alford; his brother, James Posey Alford [AAFA #0021] and wife, Mary Elliott Alford of Gonzales.

Children surviving are Judy Indest and her husband, Jim, of Pearland, David Alford and his wife, Jan, of Cedar Lane, Susan Salyer and her husband, Glenn, of Sweeny, Sally Lynch and her husband, Robert, of Sweeny and Jim Alford and his wife, Susie, of Sweeny.

Nine grandchildren surviving are Ty Alford, Lang Alford, Kay Lynn Alford, Chad Salyer, Emily Salyer Zimmerman, Amy Lynch, Michael Lynch, Everett Alford and Adie Alford.

Three great-grandchildren surviving are Chasidi, Colin and Claire Alford; as well as numerous nieces, nephews and extended family....

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 19, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. at the

Church of Christ in Sweeny at Fifth and Elm streets....
Burial will be in Sweeny.

Pallbearers will be Ty Alford, Lang Alford, Chad Salyer, Michael Lynch, Ryan Zimmerman, Jim Indest and Everett Alford.

Arrangements by Baker Funeral Home, 634 S. Columbia Dr., West Columbia, TX. (979) 345-3232....

AAFA NOTES: SSDI
records show that Delmar R. Alford (SS #459-44-8045 issued in TX) was born 23 Feb 1924, and that he died 17 Aug 2006. His last residence was Sweeny, Brazoria Co., TX.

His lineage: Delmar Ray 1924 TX1, James Isaac 1887 TX2, John Posey 1854 TX3, Hatch 1815 NC4, Isaac 1769 NC5, Isaac 1748 NC6, Lodwick 1710 VA7, James 1687 VA8, John 1645 VA9.