

ALFORD AMERICAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION

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The 2020 Annual Meeting in Gulfport, MS is in the planning stages. Updates will appear as plans are developed.

2020 AAFA Annual Meeting and Reunion REQUEST

Final commitment for the 2020 AAFA Annual Meeting and Reunion is closely approaching.

The meeting committee has a pending contract with the Shular Hospitality Group for us to stay at their <u>Holiday Inn Gulfport Airport</u> and their <u>Best Western Seaway Inn</u>. We were at the Holiday Inn for the 2015 Meeting (the hotel renovations have been completed). Guest rooms are in both the Holiday Inn and Best Western which are next door to each other. The meeting rooms are in the Holiday Inn.

The Holiday Inn room rates are 96 + 12% tax per night for king or double queen. The Best Western room rates are 75-99 + 12% tax per night depending on the type of room reserved.

The main difference is that the Holiday Inn has interior corridors and the Best Western has exterior corridors. At this point, breakfast is included ONLY in the Best Western rates.

What the committee needs now (**by June 10th**) is to know how many attendees we need to expect. Please email us at <u>Alford_Staff@alfordassociation.org</u> if you, including your family members, plan to attend this years meeting. We only need a count of attendees; names are not needed at this time.

PS: Do not forget the underscore in Alford_Staff. Thank you for your cooperation







#0908 Bobby Wayne Alford #0193 Charles Lee Alford #0615 David Alford #0502 David Randall Alford #0281 Donald Sutton Alford #1269 Douglas Scottt Alford #1100 George W. Alford #1341 Holly Jean Alford #0179 Joe D. Alford, PhD #0117 John D. Alford #0162 John Morris Alford, III #1537 Clarence Lambert Alford, Jr. #1432 Joseph Adam Alford #1384 Lori Li Alford #0363 Mary Ann Alford #0160 Nancy E. Alford #1229 Natha Lee Alford #0836 Samantha Kay Alford #0135 William M. Alford #0556 William R. Alford, III #1437 Thomas Ernest Allen #1282 David Michael Alvord #0981 Mary Beth Wells Brammer #0219 Barbara D. Brassell #0385 Linda N. Brink #1177 Holly Alford Coffey #0037 Emma Katherine Davis #1391 Thomas L. Epich #0656 Diane E. Etchison #0653 Kay Ann Feiden #1108 Carol R. Flanary #0881 Walyn Lynwood Gibson #0641 Muriel Alford Greene #1549 Carolyn Kay Alford Hatcher

Brownwood, TX (*) Dalton, GA Rusk. TX Palmetto, FL (*) Madison, MS (*) Lakewood, CO Greenville, TX McComb, MS North Little Rock, AR Joplin, MO Alexandria, VA (*) Cape Girardeau, MO Cana, VA Elgin, TX Washington, DC (*) San Antonia, TX (*) Mt. Hermon, LA Mesquite, TX N. Ft. Myers, FL Las Cruces, NM Upper Marlboro, MD Shoreline, WA (*) Lake Charles, LA (*) Guntersville, AL Lawson, MO Pfafftown, NC Williamsburg, VA Ft. Worth, TX San Clemente, CA Wichita, KS Mtn. Green, UT (*) Odessa, TX Pineville, NC (*) Liberty, MO

#0613 Gayle Lynn Griffin #0988 David Howard #0604 Nancy Jean Hughes #0735 Patricia Brown Ide #1131 Donnette H. Lurie **Robert Leonard Merritt** #1132 #0760 Laurie A. Faulk Montgomery #1366 Janette Vance Morgan #0912 Shirley A. Nash #1277 Brigette F. O'Neal #0442 Beth Alford Parson #0564 Billy F. Polk #0507 James L. Quinnelly #0579 **Jill Alford Richard** #1498 Barbara Lynn Jones #0643 Paul W. Roesel #0544 John A. Rogers #1160 Johnny Scott #0788 Voncile Smith #1170 Jennifer Jean Snyder #0172 Frances A. Spicer #0739 Karen F. Stanley #0427 Mary Stites Steinkamp #0186 Nadine Stevenson #1362 Lou Ellen Stout #1227 Jessica Louise Tedder #0030 Pamela Alford Thompson #1000 Jennifer Laura Tuffnell #0433 Marianna E. Voiselle #1025 Nancy Arth Wheeler #0291 Jean Jones Wilson #1531 Jeffery Nathaniel Alexander #1534 Vickie Yvonne Murphy Kloster #1552 Sterling Francis DeVille

Delton, MI Nashville, TX Valparaiso, IN Mesa. AZ Birmingham, AL Corvallis, OR Augusta, GA Decatur, MS Cazenovia, NY Orlando, FL Celina, TX Kansas City, MO Anaheim, CA Mandeville, LA (*) Alpharetta, GA Cleveland, TN Madison, AL Hickory, NC Pensacola, FL Kalamazoo, MI Dallas, TX (*) Houston, TX (*) Torrance, CA Fairfield, CA Natchez, MS Flower Mound, TX Granite Bay, CA San Pablo, CA Statesboro, GA Cordova, TN Durham, NC Summit, MS Youngsville, NC Opelousas, LA

(*) = Need current contact information (address, e-mail address, etc.) Please notify AAFA if you know any of these members.



AAFA Member who recently passed away



#0114s Freda Regan Alford Memphis, TN October 28, 1930 - April 17, 2020 (Wife of James Wesley Alford, Jr.) Family: WIL860TN/BER682GA





WEEK 22: MAY 24 - MAY 30

- Added the **<u>MEMBER MEMORIALS</u>** with obituary for:
 - AAFA #0114s, Freda Ragan Alford
 - AAFA #1418, Robert Phillip Upchurch
- Updated the <u>AHNENTAFEL</u> for:
 - AAFA #0115, James Patrick Alford Added Jim's birth and death information.

WEEK 21: MAY 17 - MAY 23

- Updated the <u>AAFA MEMBER LIST</u> for:
 - AAFA #0061, William Raley Alford, Jr. Created and added his <u>Ahentafel</u>. Added his Family Branch Reference to be <u>CUL800GA/SAL716VA</u>.
- Updated the <u>MEMBER MEMORIAL LIST</u> for:
 Added the Ahentafel for William Raley Alford, Jr., #0061.

WEEK 20: MAY 10 - MAY 16

- Updated the <u>AHNENTAFELS</u> for:
 - **AAFA #0019**, Gilbert Kendric Alford, Jr. Added Gil's birth and death information.
 - <u>AAFA #0750</u>, Sarah Ann White Richardson Added Minnie Lee Alford's (Sarah's Grandmother) birth and death information.

WEEK 19: MAY 3 - MAY 9

- Updated the **<u>OBITUARIES</u>** for:
 - o <u>Kentucky</u>

The last update included 541 obituaries, with 6 AAFA members, posted in June 2018. This update has 603 obituaries, with 8 AAFA members.

- Updated the **<u>MEMBER MEMORIAL</u>** with obituary for:
 - o AAFA #0008, James McDonald Edwards



AAFA needs volunteers. The volunteer positions do not require election. Any interested member (or their spouse) may volunteer by emailing the AAFA Staff at Alford_Staff@AlfordAssociation.org.



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