

Membership

Max Ray Alford, AAFA #0230 Membership Chair & Y-DNA Project Officer

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

There are now 1,387 member families listed in the membership file of the AAFA. Most of the members live in the southern half of the USA. We do have members in Canada, England, Spain, and Australia. Of the 1,387, only 295 are what are called "active members" (those who are current in paying dues). Once you join AAFA and are included on the membership roll, your name will remain there for as long as there is an AAFA. Even your passing will not remove your name from the membership roll.

As a matter of fact, 253 members have passed away since the inception of the Association in 1987. Unfortunately, many times the Association is not notified of the passing and it may be years before the Association is made aware of the passing. That is sad because each deceased member is honored by having his/her name placed in the AAFA Memorial Album and if we don't know about it, then that cannot happen. The album contains the ancestry of the member, any articles published about or by the member and a photo if one is available. The ten or so binders that make up the Memorial Album are on display at each meeting. There is a membership list the AAFA web site at <http://www.alfordassociation.org/tafel.html>. Those members that have passed away are noted by having their names in italics. If you know of an AAFA member who has passed away but this list does not indicate such, we would appreciate you notifying the AAFA at alford_staff@alfordassociation.org. It would be especially helpful if you could also send along a copy of the obituary and a photo of the deceased. If you do not have access to email, you may send the notification to AAFA, P.O. Box 1297, Florissant, MO 63031.

Of the 1,387 members, 217 are marked as having invalid postal addresses in our membership file. We suspect that there are many more but we won't identify those until we do a mailing that involves these addresses. The invalid addresses have been used to contact members with mailings that we occasionally make and the mailing was returned by the post office as undeliverable for some reason. Some have a sticker with a forwarding address but most do not. So as to not waste postage in the future, we mark the addresses as "Invalid" so that we know not to try and contact them via postal mail. Please, help us "find" these lost members.

We also try our best to keep track of all members' email addresses, which is not an easy task. Apparently, there are some of you that change email addresses more often than some of us change socks. If you have recently changed your email address, postal address, or your phone number, please notify us at the alford_staff@alfordassociation.org address so that we may make the changes in the membership file.

We also encourage members with email addresses to subscribe to the AAFA OnLine Newsletter. The newsletter is published monthly (more or less) and contains Alford information in the form of inquiries, news stories, upcoming Alford reunions, etc. It is especially useful as the annual meeting draws near for tracking those who have made meeting reservations. Occasionally, it is used to notify members of items that need immediate attention (like the occasional sale at Family Tree DNA). The newsletter is free-of-charge and open to all members (active and inactive) of the Association. You can subscribe by sending an email to aafa-olnl-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. You do not need to write anything in the body of the message nor does it even need a subject line.

There is another online group called About_Alfords. Unlike the above newsletter, anyone can join this group and submit messages (only the owner or moderator of the OnLine Newsletter Group may submit messages to that group). You can subscribe to the About_Alfords Group by sending an email to About_Alfords-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. It is just as easy to unsubscribe from either group by simply sending another email and substituting "unsubscribe" for "subscribe" in the above email addresses.

As some of you are aware, the Association has a very keen interest in the use of Y-DNA testing as it relates to genealogy. Family Tree DNA (<http://www.familytreedna.com/>) offers Y-DNA tests ranging from a 12-marker test all the way to a 111-marker test. Once you have the tests done, Family Tree will look for matches within its extensive DNA database. But this will only happen if you sign a release form giving FTDNA permission to notify those with whom you match. If you don't sign the release form, you will not be advised of any matches that may occur nor will the person you match be advised of the match. That would basically eliminate the reason for the test in the first place. Your results will still be posted with the Alford Surname Group on the World Families web site (<http://www.worldfamilies.net/surnames/alford/>). On the "Results" page of this web site, "testees" are identified only by their GAP number (assigned by the administrator of the Alford Surname Group) and their kit number or surname if the name of an ancestor has not been supplied.

There are a total of 80 members of the Alford Surname Group. Of that 80, seven are females who are having or who have had their mt-DNA tested. The Y-DNA testing of the males of the group has already established that eight or so lines do share a common ancestor even though there has never been any kind of documentation to support a common ancestor. However, there are many more lines that have had no one tested as yet. The AAFA strongly urges all it male Alford members to have their Y-DNA tested. So far, only a small percentage has done so.

New Member Lineages

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1. **Dixie Luellen Woodward** #12963 b. private, Conway, Horry Co., SC, m. private, in Chapin Lake, Myrtle Beach, Horry Co., SC, **Keith Calhoun Hinson** #12964, b. private, Conway, Horry Co., SC.

Parents

2. **Ralph McDonald Woodward** #12960 b. May 1 1907, Bucks Twp, Horry Co., SC, m. Feb 10 1929, in Horry Co., SC, **3. Sallie Jane Alford** #8890, b. Sep 4 1910, Horry Co., SC, d. Mar 31 1994, Conway, Horry Co., SC, buried: Union Methodist Cem., Horry Co., SC. Ralph died May 23 1988, Conway, Horry Co., SC, buried: Union Methodist Cem., Horry Co., SC.

Grand Parents

6. **Harley Manford Alford** #4413 b. Nov 22 1874, Horry Co., SC, m. 1895, **7. Frances Mae Smith** #4611, b. Aug 31 1871, Horry Co., SC, d. Oct 17 1941, Horry Co., SC, buried: Mt. Zion Baptist Cem., Horry Co., SC. Harley died Oct 24 1954, Toddville, Horry Co., SC, buried: Mt. Zion Baptist Cem., Horry Co., SC.

Great Grand Parents

12. **Harrison Alford** #3608 b. Apr 3 1843, South Carolina, m. Jan 30 1872, **13. Georgetta Sims Woodward** #3609, b. Apr 22 1854, South Carolina, d. Jun 19 1917, South Carolina. Harrison died Sep 4 1902, Horry Co., SC, buried: State Cemetery, Horry Co., SC.

Great Great Grand Parents

24. **Arthur Alford** #4382 b. 1803, Horry Co., SC, m. (1) **25. Elizabeth Cartrette** #4383, b. about 1810, Horry Co., SC, d. before 1850, Horry Co., SC, m. (2) Mary Ann Jordan #4401, b. about 1832, South Carolina, d. 1897. Arthur died 1883, Horry Co., SC.

3rd Great Grand Parents

48. **Arthur Alford** #4391 b. 1780, Floyds Twp, Horry Co., SC, m. **49. Clarky Sarvis** #4392, b. Apr 4 1781, Floyds Twp., Horry Co. SC, d. Horry Co., SC. Arthur died bef May 7 1827, Horry Co., SC.

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1. **Grant Lovell Alford, Jr.** b. private, Santa Maria, CA, m. private, in Lewiston, ME, **Marcelle P. Michaud.**

Parents

2. **Grant Lovell Alford, Sr.** b. Jan 24 1905, Dallas Co., MO, m. (1) 1941, in Los Angeles, CA, divorced,
3. Anne Jeffris Witherell, b. Sep 13 1917, Chicago, Cook Co., IL, d. Mar 6 1991, Monterey, CA, m.
 (2) Shirley White. Grant died Dec 28 1982, Los Angeles, CA.

Grand Parents

4. **Green B. Alford** b. Oct 15 1876, Dallas Co., MO, m. (1) Oct 13 1897, **5. Mary E. Tibbs**, b. Feb 19
 1881, Dallas Co., MO, m. (2) Pearl _____. Green died about 1949, Colorado.

Great Grand Parents

8. **William Alford** b. Oct 1844, Roane Co., TN, m. **9. Elizabeth Jane Bray**, b. Aug 1844, Missouri.
 William died Dallas Co., MO, buried: New Hope Cemetery, Dallas Co., MO.

Great Great Grand Parents

16. **John M. Alford** b. Feb 9 1821, Knox Co., TN, m. (1) Mar 4 1840, in Meigs Co., TN, **17. Lucinda
 Cardell**, d. 1845, Tennessee, m. (2) Apr 13 1847, in Meigs Co., TN, Hannah Hollomon, b. Aug 27
 1827, Meigs Co., TN, d. Apr 15 1900, Dallas Co., MO, buried: New Hope Cemetery, Dallas Co.,
 MO. John died Dec 8 1898, Louisburg, Dallas Co., MO, buried: New Hope Cemetery, Dallas Co.,
 MO.

3rd Great Grand Parents

32. **John Alford** b. about 1786, North Carolina or maybe Tennessee, m. Jan 13 1811, in Grainger Co.,
 TN, **33. Jane McElhattan**, b. about 1791, North Carolina, d. after 1860, Carroll Co., AR. John died
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1. **Kathryn Elizabeth Lewis** b. private, Pensacola, Escambia Co., FL, m. **David Lewis Redden**.

Parents

2. **Roger Earl Lewis** b. private, m. **3. Mary Ethel Roach**, b. private, Dripping Springs, TX.

Grand Parents

6. **Robert John Roach** b. May 14 1910, Austin, Travis Co., TX, m. Jan 6 1934, **7. Jessie Pearl Alford**, b. May 7 1915, Picton, Hopkins Co., TX, d. Jan 19 2008, Dover, Stewart Co., TN, buried: Barrancas National Cem., Escambia Co. FL. Robert died 1967, Pensacola, Escambia Co., FL.

Great Grand Parents

14. **William Lafayette Alford** b. Jun 16 1877, Neshoba County?, Mississippi, occupation farmer, m. Sep 7 1898, **Minnie Ethel Keith**, b. Sep 13 1879, Pickton, Hopkins County, Texas, d. Oct 6 1946, Pickton, Hopkins County, Texas, buried: Winterfield Cemetery, Hopkins County, TX. William died Jan 20 1932, Tom Green County, Texas, buried: Winterfield Cemetery, Hopkins County, TX.

Great Great Grand Parents

28. **James Henry Alford** b. Mar 21 1857, Union, Newton Co., MS, m. (1) Aug 26 1876, in Lauderdale Co., MS, **29. Ann Marie Pace**, b. Jul 17 1855, Lauderdale Co., MS, d. Apr 5 1888, Philadelphia, Neshoba Co., MS, buried: Old Forks Baptist Church Cemetery, m. (2) Jul 22 1888, in Neshoba Co., MS, Lue J. Martin, b. 1870, d. 1940, buried: Folsom Cemetery, Caney, Atoka Co, OK. James died Apr 27 1932, Caney, Atoka Co., OK, buried: Folsom Cemetery, Caney, Atoka Co., OK.

3rd Great Grand Parents

56. **John Madison Alford** b. Aug 7 1826, Georgia, m. (1) Apr 6 1854, in Greene Co., AL, **57. Sarah Cornelia Rainey**, b. Nov 6 1836, Alabama, d. 1858/60, Newton, MS, m. (2) Sep 6 1860, in Lauderdale Co., MS, Sarah Frances Cooper, b. Apr 8 1836, Lauderdale Co., MS, d. Feb 8 1910, Neshoba Co., MS, buried: Henry's Chapel Cemetery, Neshoba Co., MS. John died Mar 29 1892, Neshoba Co., MS, buried: Henry's Chapel Cemetery, Neshoba Co., MS.

4th Great Grand Parents

112. **John Alford** b. about 1790-1800, North Carolina, died Alabama ??.

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1. **Paul Brittain Alford, III** #1225 b. private, Jackson, Hinds Co., MS, m. (1) private, **Oliva Anne Oliver** #1227, b. private, m. (2) **Rebecca Jacobs** #8101, b. Hartsville, Darlington Co., SC.

Parents

2. **Paul Brittain Alford, II** #1159 b. Oct 24 1924, Scott Co., MS, m. Dec 12 1947, in Jasper Co., MS, **3. Virginia Dare Wilkes** #1163, b. Aug 20 1925, Noxapater, Winston Co., MS, d. Jul 13 2007, Natchez, Adams Co., MS, buried: Natchez City Cem., Natchez, MS. Paul died Dec 22 2007, Natchez, Adams Co., MS, buried: Natchez City Cem., Natchez, MS.

Grand Parents

4. **Paul Brittan "Britt" Alford, Sr.** #937 b. Feb 23 1893, Scott Co., MS, occupation Postal worker, m. Jun 22 1919, **5. Sudy Mae Dowdle** #957, b. Jul 11 1896, Mississippi, d. Nov 22 1971, Forest, Scott Co., MS, buried: Morton Cemetery, Scott Co., MS. Paul died Jun 11 1965, Scott Co., MS, buried: Morton Cemetery, Scott Co., MS.

Great Grand Parents

8. **William Allen Alford** #944 b. Aug 2 1867, Scott Co., MS, m. Oct 12 1890, in Scott Co., MS, **9. Sallie Paul** #943, b. Jul 28 1872, Pike Co., AL, d. Jan 1 1923, Scott Co., MS, buried: Mt. Olive Cemetery, Scott Co., MS. William died Oct 9 1930, Scott Co., MS, buried: Mt. Olive Cemetery, Scott Co., MS.

Great Great Grand Parents

16. **Brittian Washington Alford** #540 b. Jan 10 1843, Leake Co., MS, m. Aug 1 1866, in Scott Co., MS, **17. Mary Frances Emily Lindsey** #956, b. Feb 27 1850, Scott Co., MS, d. May 17 1935, Scott Co., MS, buried: Mt. Olive Cemetery, Scott Co., MS. Brittian died Oct 20 1877, Scott Co., MS, buried: Mt. Olive Cemetery, Scott Co., MS.

3rd Great Grand Parents

32. **Spire Washington Alford** #26 b. Oct 1 1807, Georgia, m. Mar 20 1829, in Fayette Co., GA, **33. Sarah Brassell** #27, b. Feb 9 1811, Jones Co., GA, d. estimate 1900, Scott Co., MS. Spire died 1871, Scott Co., MS, buried: Mt. Olive Cemetery, Scott Co., MS.

4th Great Grand Parents

64. **Brittain Washington Alford** #3 b. Apr 8 1782, Franklin Co., NC, m. Mar 19 1805, in Greene Co., GA, **65. Barshaba Brassell** #4, b. Feb 10 1785, North Carolina, d. Nov 19 1854, Pike Co., GA, buried: Britton Alford Fam. Cem., Pike Co., GA. Brittain died Feb 10 1849, Molena, Pike Co., GA, buried: Britton Alford Fam. Cem., Pike Co., GA.

5th Great Grand Parents

128. **Isham Alford** #1 b. Oct 30 1755, Granville Co., NC, m. in North Carolina, **129. Anne Ferrell** #2, b. May 15 1755, Granville Co., NC, d. before 1820, Georgia. Isham died 1832, Troup Co., GA.

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1. **Jane Carlile Hilder #34778** b. private, Bay Shore, Suffolk Co., NY, m. private, in Birmingham, Oakland Co., MI, **Roberton C. Williams, Jr. #34779**.

Parents

2. **Peter Frost Hilder #34776** b. Jan 17 1914, Washington D.C., m. Jan 1 1943, in Brooklyn, Kings Co., NY, **3. Aimee Carlile #34777**, b. Apr 27 1919, Newark, Essex Co., NJ, d. Jun 17 2005, Alexandria, VA. Peter died Oct 13 1997, Maryland.

Grand Parents

4. **Frazer Craswell Hilder #34775** b. Jan 16 1881, St. Louis, MO, m. **5. Janie Frost #34774**, b. Nov 21 1884, La Grange, Troup Co., GA, d. Jul 24 1980, Washington, D.C. Frazer died Sep 1937, Washington D.C.

Great Grand Parents

10. **William Francis Frost #17395** b. Sep 25 1861, Georgia, m. Dec 27 1883, in Troup Co., GA, **11. Juliet Frank Akers #17394**, b. Jul 29 1864, La Grange, Troup Co., GA, d. Nov 2 1949, Washington, D. C. William died May 25 1946, Washington, D.C.

Great Great Grand Parents

22. **Cornelius Frank Akers #17393** b. Apr 13 1841, Greenville, Meriwether Co., GA, m. Sep 9 1862, in Troup Co., GA, **23. Eliza Jane Cox #5664**, b. Dec 20 1844, La Grange, Troup Co., GA, d. Jul 12 1916, Orlando, Orange Co., FL. Cornelius died Aug 3 1915, Orlando, Orange Co., FL.

3rd Great Grand Parents

46. **Albert Ewing Cox #5624** b. Feb 22 1819, Madison, Morgan Co., GA, m. Nov 26 1840, in Troup Co., GA, **47. Juliet Warren Alford #5612**, b. Jan 16 1824, Covington, Newton Co. GA, d. May 20 1879, LaGrange, Troup Co., GA. Albert died Jul 21 1896, LaGrange, Troup Co., GA.

4th Great Grand Parents

94. **Julius Caesar Alford #5681** b. May 10 1799, Greensboro, Greene Co., GA, m. (1) Mar 14 1821, in Greene Co., GA, **95. Eliza Ashley Cook #5682**, b. Apr 25 1804, d. Jul 6 1843, White Sulphur Springs, Meriwether Co. GA, m. (2) Aug 8 1844, in Montgomery Co., AL, Sarah F. Underwood #5685, b. Oct 1802, d. about 1850, m. (3) Feb 22 1852, in Montgomery Co., AL, Martha Herrin Boswell #5686, b. May 19 1819, Alabama, d. Jul 8 1880. Julius died Jan 1 1863, Montgomery Co., AL, buried: Family Cemetery, Montgomery Co., AL.

5th Great Grand Parents

188. **Lodwick Alford #5677** b. Feb 2 1775, North Carolina, m. May 16 1798, in Greene Co., GA, **189. Judith Jackson #5678**, b. Feb 2 1778, Greensboro, Guilford Co., NC, d. Jun 30 1844,

Georgia, buried: Alford Cemetery, LaGrange, Troup Co., GA. Lodwick died Jul 22 1857, West Point, Troup Co., GA, buried: Alford Cemetery, LaGrange, Troup Co., GA.

6th Great Grand Parents

376. **Julius Alford** #5497 b. estimate 1750, North Carolina, m. about 1773, in North Carolina, **377. Rebecca Jackson** #5498, b. about 1748, North Carolina, d. after 1825, Greene Co., GA. Julius died Aug 25 1820, Greene Co., GA.

7th Great Grand Parents

752. **Lodwick Alford** #3085 b. about 1710, New Kent Co., VA, m. (1) Elizabeth _____ #4641, b. Apr 29 1717, New Kent Co., VA, d. May 29 1735, New Kent Co., VA, m. (2) Susanna _____ #3086, b. Sep 25 1718, m. (3) **753. Unknown** #4651. Lodwick died 1800, Franklin Co., NC.

8th Great Grand Parents

1504. **James Alford** #29 b. about 1687, probably New Kent Co., VA, James died about 1730, New Kent Co., VA.

9th Great Grand Parents

3008. **John Alford** #4656 b. about 1645, probably Virginia, John died Mar 14 1710, New Kent Co., VA.

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1. **William Roderick Burgess, Jr.** #34782 b. private, m. **Cheryl Butler** #34783.

Parents

2. **William Roderick Burgess, Sr.** #34781 b. Jan 9 1912, South Carolina, d. Sep 26 1985, Chapel Hill, Orange Co., NC.

Grand Parents

4. **John Scott Burgess, Jr.** #34780 b. Apr 25 1877, m. Dec 18 1908, in Darlington Co., SC, **5. Bessie Dubose** #34784. John died Mar 6 1926.

Great Grand Parents

8. **John Scott Burgess** #4508 b. Nov 1851, Williamsburg Co., SC, m. Nov 23 1871, in Clarendon Co., SC, **9. Catherine Odolet Alford** #4501, b. May 27 1850, Robeson Co., NC, d. May 17 1915, Sumter Co., SC, buried: Midway Cemetery, Clarendon Co., SC. Catherine m. (2) Jul 23 1879, **William Thomas Rose** #4509, b. May 24 1842, Williamsburg Co., SC, d. Mar 6 1960, Clarendon Co., SC, buried: Midway Cemetery, Clarendon Co., SC. John died Apr 4 1877, Williamsburg Co., SC, buried: Midway Cemetery, Clarendon Co., SC.

Great Great Grand Parents

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18. **John Witherspoon Alford** #4407 b. Jun 7 1809, Robeson Co., NC, m. Apr 4 1839, in Williamsburg Co., SC, **18. Elizabeth McBride Fulmore** #4415, b. Apr 11 1818, South Carolina, d. Mar 12 1852, Robeson Co., NC, buried: Fulmore Cemetery, Robeson Co., NC. John died Nov 10 1875, Robeson Co., NC, buried: Fulmore Cemetery, Robeson Co., NC.

3rd Great Grand Parents

36. **Sion Alford** #3089 b. Dec 31 1763, Robeson Co., NC, m. **37. Clarky McTyer** #3097, b. Mar 5 1767, d. Oct 7 1830, Robeson Co., NC, buried: Fulmore Cemetery, Robeson Co., NC. Sion died Jun 28 1832, Robeson Co., NC, buried: Fulmore Cemetery, Robeson Co., NC.

4th Great Grand Parents

72. **Jacob Alford** #3087 b. Dec 12 1738, New Kent Co., VA, baptized: Feb 18 1738, New Kent Co., VA, m. **73. Mary Pace** #3088, b. Feb 1740, d. after 1810, Robeson Co., NC, buried: Fulmore Cemetery, Robeson Co., NC. Jacob died about 1814, Robeson Co., NC.

5th Great Grand Parents

144. **Lodwick Alford** #3085 b. about 1710, New Kent Co., VA, m. (1) Elizabeth _____ #4641, b. Apr 29 1717, New Kent Co., VA, d. May 29 1735, New Kent Co., VA, m. (2) **145. Susanna** _____ #3086, b. Sep 25 1718, m. (3) Unknown #4651. Lodwick died 1800, Franklin Co., NC.

6th Great Grand Parents

288. **James Alford** #29 b. about 1687, probably New Kent Co., VA, died about 1730, New Kent Co., VA.

7th Great Grand Parents

576. **John Alford** #4656 b. about 1645, probably Virginia, died Mar 14 1710, New Kent Co., VA.

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1. **George Harris Ruppert** #2307 b. private, m. **Terra** _____ #2308.

Parents

2. **John Harold Ruppert** #2306 m. private, **3. Olis Alford** #2305, b. private, Mississippi ?.

Grand Parents

6. **Hugh Allen Alford** #2295 b. Mar 9 1883, Mississippi, m. Aug 1 1908, in Hinds Co., MS, **7. Ella Courtney** #2296, b. Sep 10 1890, Hinds Co., MS, d. Jul 28 1982, Dallas Co., TX. Hugh died Jan 28 1976, Mississippi, buried: Cedar Lawn Cem., Jackson, Hinds Co., MS.

Great Grand Parents

12. **John L. Alford** #2253 b. about 1854, Mississippi, m. Dec 12 1875, in Rankin Co., MS, **13. Virginia Smith** #2254, b. Mar 23 1860, Mississippi, d. Jul 17 1944. John died 1893, Louisiana.

Great Great Grand Parents

24. **Julius C. Alford** #5 b. Jan 1 1823, Pickens Co., AL, m. (1) about 1853, in Mississippi, **25. Mary** #532, b. about 1834, Georgia, d. before 1867, Mississippi, m. (2) Aug 15 1866, in Trenton, Smith County, Mississippi, Amarithia Cook #535, b. Jan 1848, Mississippi. Julius died Nov 15 1904, Cold Water. LA.

3rd Great Grand Parents

48. **John Alford** #1 b. about 1790-1800, North Carolina, m. **John's Wife's Name Unknown.** #2. John died Alabama ??.

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1. **Sharon Lynn Findley** b. private, Greenville, Washington Co., MS, m. private, in Greenville, Washington Co., MS, **William Thomas Harper.**

Parents

2. **Tom Bartley Findley** b. Jun 8 1912, Mapleton, Bourbon Co., KS, m. Dec 27 1950, **3. Gertis Ellen Alford**, b. May 3 1919, Vaiden, Carroll Co., MS, d. May 23 2008, Gautier, Jackson Co., MS. Tom died Nov 26 1995.

Grand Parents

6. **George Bedford Alford** b. Apr 28 1880, Holmes Co., MS, occupation carpenter, m. (1) Jul 22 1904, in Carroll Co., MS, Parris Shine, b. 1882, Mississippi, m. (2) Feb 8 1915, in Carroll Co., MS, **7. Myrtle Mae King**, b. Dec 25 1896, Duck Hill, Montgomery Co., MS, d. Sep 14 1956, Greenville, Washington Co., MS. George died Nov 1 1968, Clarksdale, Coahoma Co., MS.

Great Grand Parents

12. **Patrick Alford** b. Dec 4 1841, Carroll Co., MS, m. about 1866, in Carroll Co., MS, **13. Emma White**, b. May 1850, Mississippi. Patrick died Apr 26 1933, buried: Mount Pleasant Cem., Holmes Co., MS.

Great Great Grand Parents

24. **John William Alford** b. about 1801, Georgia, m. Mar 16 1825, in Greene Co., AL, **25. Leanne W. Roden**, b. about 1805, South Carolina, d. after 1880, probably Carroll Co., MS. John died before 1860, probably Carroll Co., MS.

Sharon has theories about further ancestry, but AAFA staff has not been able to find evidence to support her ideas. Contact Sharon for further information. AAFA does not want to show the data here on the chance that others may observe it and mistakenly think it is an AAFA position.

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- 1. Lori Li Alford** b. private, Harris Co., TX, occupation Mortgage Loan Underwriter. m., divorced, **Jonathan Reed Hildreth.**

Parents

- 2. James Carnell Alford** b. Aug. 11, 1920, Geneva, Sabine Co., TX, occupation Accountant, m. **3. Doris Rodgers** b. Sep. 21, 1921, Alto, Cherokee Co., TX, d. Jan. 7, 2009. James died Jan. 9, 1967, Houston, Harris Co., TX, buried: Cedar Hill Cem., Rusk, Cherokee Co., TX.

Grand Parents

- 4. Thomas Ernest Alford** b. Jan. 26, 1879, Sabine Co., TX, m. Feb. 11, 1902, in Sabine Co., TX, **5. Minnie Jane McCall** b. Mar. 17, 1882, Pendleton, Sabine Co., TX, d. Feb. 5, 1959, Beaumont, Jefferson Co., TX, buried: Vickers Cem., Sabine Co., TX. Thomas died Jun. 12, 1935, Sabine Co., TX, buried: Oliphint Mem. Cem., Sabine Co., TX.

Great Grand Parents

- 8. Thomas Redden Alford** b. Mar. 18, 1855, Alabama or Texas, m. (2) Feb. 18, 1878, in Sabine Co., TX, **9. Sarah "Sallie" Matilda Collier**, b. Feb. 19, 1862, Mississippi, d. Sep. 11, 1926, Sabine Co., TX, buried: Alford Family Cem., Isla, N of Milam, TX. Thomas died Dec. 27, 1898, Sabine Co., TX, buried: Alford Family Cem., Isla, N of Milam, TX.

Great Great Grand Parents

- 16. Isham Alford** b. about 1815, Georgia, m. Aug. 15, 1838, in St. Clair Co., AL, **17. Sylvia Anne Hodges** b. about 1824, Alabama, d. Nov. 8, 1884, Milam, Sabine Co., TX, buried: Isla, Sabine Co., TX. Isham died Jun. 7, 1888, Milam, Sabine Co., TX, buried: Isla, Sabine Co., TX.

3rd Great Grand Parents

- 32. Baldy Alford** b. Oct 23, 1784, Franklin Co., NC, m. **33. Elizabeth Terry** b. about 1790, Georgia, d. May 10, 1874, Alford's Bend, Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co., AL, buried: Liberty Cem., Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co., AL. Baldy died about 1865, Alford's Bend, Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co., AL, buried: Liberty Cem., Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co. AL.

4th Great Grand Parents

- 64. Isham Alford** b. Oct 30, 1755, Granville Co., NC, m. in North Carolina, **65. Anne Ferrell** b. May 15, 1755, Granville Co., NC, d. before 1820, Georgia. Isham died 1832, Troup Co., Georgia.

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1. **Floyd Alford Robinson** #13710 b. private, Greenville, Washington Co., MS, m. private, **Mary Ann Richards** #13713.

Parents

2. **Oliver Sims Robinson, Jr.** #11880 b. Sep 4 1910, Philadelphia, Neshoba Co., MS, m. Feb 4 1932, in Rolling Fork, Sharkey Co., MS, **3. Mary Jane Alford** #11879, b. Aug 3 1913, Vicksburg, Warren Co., MS, d. Jan 26 2011, Baton Rouge, LA, buried: False River Memorial, New Roads, LA. Oliver died Jul 24 1971, buried: False River Memorial, New Roads, LA.

Grand Parents

6. **Cincinatus Eudoxus Alford** #5986 b. Jan 18 1875, Mississippi, m. Feb 5 1908, in Issaquena Co, MS, **7. Charles Edward Biggs** #5993, b. Jun 10 1892, Issaquena Co, MS, d. Jun 27 1991, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish, LA. Cincinatus died 1918, buried: Greenfield, Issaquena Co., MS.

Great Grand Parents

12. **Stewart Floyd Alford** #5951 b. about 1835, Georgia, m. (1) Jun 16 1866, in Madison Co., MS, Alice D. Lawson #5980, b. Oct 19 1846, Louisiana, d. Apr 25 1870, Rankin Co., MS, m. (2) Jan 10 1871, in Madison Co., MS, **13. Aurora Degosma Proctor** #5983, b. Sep 11 1804, Logan Co., KY. Stewart died Feb 27 1885, Rankin Co., MS.

Great Great Grand Parents

24. **Julius C. Alford** #5510 b. about 1798, Greene Co., GA, m. Jul 16 1819, in Greene Co., GA, **25. Mary Stewart Floyd** #5523, b. Jan 23 1801, Georgia, d. Jun 1 1851, Madison Co., MS. Julius died Apr 27 1847, Madison Co., MS.

3rd Great Grand Parents

48. **Julius Alford** #5497 b. estimate 1750, North Carolina, m. about 1773, in North Carolina, **49. Rebecca Jackson** #5498, b. about 1748, North Carolina, d. after 1825, Greene Co., GA. Julius died Aug 25 1820, Greene Co., GA.

4th Great Grand Parents

96. **Lodwick Alford** #3085 b. about 1710, New Kent Co., VA, m. (1) Elizabeth _____ #4641, b. Apr 29 1717, New Kent Co., VA, d. May 29 1735, New Kent Co., VA, m. (2) Susanna _____ #3086, b. Sep 25 1718, m. (3) **97. Unknown** #4651. Lodwick died 1800, Franklin Co., NC.

5th Great Grand Parents

192. **James Alford** #29 b. about 1687, probably New Kent Co., VA, died about 1730, New Kent Co., VA.

6th Great Grand Parents

384. **John Alford** #4656 b. about 1645, probably Virginia, died Mar 14 1710, New Kent Co., VA.

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1. **Thomas Hilton Alford** #7710 b. private, Dawson Co., TX, m. **Linda** _____ #8100.

Parents

2. **Aubrey Lynn Alford** #3488 b. Oct 20 1914, m. **3. Dorice Davis** #7707, d. May 23 1994. Aubrey died Dec 12 1992.

Grand Parents

4. **George Thomas Alford** #3478 b. Jan 14 1890, Evergreen, Lee Co, TX, m. Nov 12 1911, in Brown Co., TX, **5. Esther Hilton** #3487, b. Jan 5 1887, Texas, d. 1976, Eastland, Eastland Co., TX, buried: Elm Cem., Rising Star, Eastland Co., TX. George died Mar 17 1958, Gorman, Eastland Co., TX, buried: Elam School Cem., Eastland Co., TX.

Great Grand Parents

8. **Benjamin Allen Alford** #1318 b. Feb 25 1865, Washington Co., TX, m. Dec 21 1887, in Giddings, Lee Co., TX, **9. Mary Belle Hosea** #3475, b. Aug 5 1870, Giddings, Lee Co., TX, d. Nov 7 1955, Brownwood, Brown Co., TX, buried: Nov 9 1955, Greenleaf Cem., Brown Co., TX. Benjamin died Jun 11 1915, Brownwood, Brown Co., TX.

Great Great Grand Parents

16. **Thomas Alford** #575 b. about 1806, Georgia, occupation merchant & farmer, m. (1) Mar 4 1828, in St. Clair Co., AL, **Patsy Truss** #576, b. Alabama, d. Dec 15 1846, m. (2) about 1848, in Texas, **Mary Ann Smith** #5402, b. 1816, Alabama, d. Jul 25 1853, Texas, m. (3) Oct. 26 1853, in Burleson Co., TX, **17. Mary Ann Castleberry** #7281, b. about 1830, North Carolina. Thomas died Feb 16 1872, Texas, buried: Texas.

3rd Great Grand Parents

32. **Baldy Alford** #572 b. Oct 23 1784, Franklin Co., NC, m. **33. Elizabeth Terry** #573, b. about 1790, Georgia, d. May 10 1874, Alford's Bend, Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co AL, buried: Liberty Cem., Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co. AL. Baldy died about 1865, Alford's Bend, Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co AL, buried: Liberty Cem., Hokes Bluff, Etowah Co. AL.

4th Great Grand Parents

64. **Isham Alford** #1 b. Oct 30 1755, Granville Co., NC, m. in North Carolina, **65. Anne Ferrell** #2, b. May 15 1755, Granville Co., NC, d. before 1820, Georgia. Isham died 1832, Troup Co., GA.

Photos: Louisiana Meeting, 2010

*Submitted by Janice and John Smith, AAFA #0152, and
Walt Smith, AAFA #1247*



Catherine and Bruce Ellard Family- Seated: Catherine and Bruce Ellard, Standing: Lane Ball, Carly and Mallory Ball, Debbie Ball, Mike and Sandra Ellard, Marty and Kate Ellard. Catherine, Carly, Mallory, Debbie, Mike, Marty and Kate are descendants of William Alford born 1804 in Georgia.



Dick and Sally Stoewer at the dinner on Saturday night.



Mike and Sylvia Idom after the dinner on Saturday night.



Melanie, Ronnie and Ryan Smith, John and Janice Smith, Walt Smith in back, Lynn Shelley, Jimmye Schubert, Sylvia, Norma and Mike Idom. Ronnie, Ryan, Janice, Walt, Lynn, Jimmye, Sylvia, Norma, and Mike are descendants of Isham Alford born 1755 in North Carolina.



LaDonna Alford, Doris Vetri, and Peggy and Walter Schuster posed for a photo on Saturday night.



Lorraine Mabus is shown with her mother Jerry Alford on Saturday night.



Beverly Alford, Reginald Alford and Mary Yarborough posed for a photo in the hotel lobby on Saturday.



LaDonna Alford won a book on DNA as a door prize. On the left is Peggy Schuster, and to the right is Talmadge Alford.



Evelyn Mistich and Holly Alford are shown on Friday night after the dinner.



Earl Alford is showing how large the trees are at Oak Alley Plantation.



Evelyn Mistich is posing with two paintings in the Cabildo that her great grandfather painted.



Janice Smith, Doris Vetri, and Lynn Shelley stopped for a photo in front of one of the French Quarter shops.



Helen Steele is holding a lovely afghan that she won. Evelyn Mistich is on the right.



Mary Alford proudly displays the afghan that she won as presented by Evelyn Mistich.

Web Site Updates

Just a few weeks ago we had an email from a non-member who said that she thought that we have the “coolest website in the whole world.” It is what some would call old fashioned because it is not glitzy and colorful with things moving around all the time. We make a special effort to keep it as clean and simple as possible.

This part of the quarterly will become more and more important as we continue to reduce the quarterly content and depend more upon members using the data that is on the website. This article is larger than to be expected in the future because it covers almost six months. The usual article will be for a quarterly period.

To Access this page, which has links to all of the information listed here, please go to www.alfordassociation.org/updates.html.

If you would prefer just go to the AAFA homepage and from the navigation bar below the logo click on Updates.

If you have not done so you should have one or more of the Association website pages listed in the “favorites” or “bookmarks” on your Internet browser.

The Updates page is nothing more than a list or log of what has been added to the website. The listing are obviously in weekly increments and the additions vary greatly from one week to the other. All of the items listed have links to the applicable page.

If you prefer to bypass the updates page then go to the home page, www.alfordassociation.org and select any one of the options possible from that page. From the navigation bar that appears below the logo, and varies from page to page, select any one of the items listed. Below the navigation bar there are usually a couple of high interest items listed, in red on most browsers. At present they are links to a membership application blank and to a page where one can order a DNA test. Below these red letter entries are eight main page links that take one to information about AAFA, photographs, membership information, meetings, member information, databases (this is where most of the Alford data will be found), publications, and links to other sites. Centered near the bottom below the items just listed are links to updates, frequently asked questions and there is a FIND box that will search the entire site.

WEEK OF MAY 15

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

NORTH CAROLINA Updated

This 260+ page compilation includes all North Carolina obituaries that AAFA currently has.

WEEK OF MAY 1

AAFA NEW MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #1383 Sharon Lynn Findley Harper

AAFA #1384 Lori Li Alford

AAFA #1385 Floyd Alford Robinson

AAFA #1386 Thomas Hilton Alford

GENEALOGY SEE ALL

Known Descendants of Andrew West Alford b. 1841 MS

WEEK OF APRIL 24

CEMETERIES SEE ALL

ALABAMA Updated

This update adds interments for all Alabama Counties.

MISSISSIPPI Updated

This update adds a few new interments and some family branch links.

WEEK OF APRIL 10

COLLECTIONS SEE ALL

CORRINGTON LOYAL ALFORD COLLECTION See Corrington

CEMETERIES SEE ALL

ALABAMA Updated

This update adds interments for Alabama Cemeteries in Lowndes - Morgan Counties.

WEEK OF APRIL 3

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

MICHIGAN Updated

This 61 page compilation includes all Michigan obituaries that AAFA currently has.

WEEK OF MARCH 20

MEMBER MEMORIALS SEE ALL

AAFA #0960 Christine Elizabeth Alford Harris Dawson

AAFA #0953 Harlan Jarrett Jabobs

AAFA #0205 Herbert Hoover Alford

AAFA #0952 Naomi Alford Jacobs

AAFA #0871 Philip Edward Alford

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

CALIFORNIA Updated

This 225 page compilation includes all California obituaries that AAFA currently has.

WEEK OF MARCH 13

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

MISSISSIPPI Updated

This 308 page compilation includes all Mississippi obituaries that AAFA currently has.

CEMETERIES SEE ALL

ALABAMA Updated

This new addition includes Alabama Cemeteries for Autauga - Houston counties.

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 20

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

OREGON Updated

This 109 page compilation includes all Oregon obituaries that AAFA currently has.

TEXAS Updated

This 638 page compilation includes all Texas obituaries that AAFA currently has.

ON LINE ISSUES OF AAFA ACTION SEE ALL

Scanned copies of earlier issues in segments.

AAFA ACTION #10 September 1990 Vol III No 2.

FAMILY GROUP RECORDS SEE ALL

Calvin Glass Alford & Nannie Davis

Clifton Callie Alford & Mayme Childress

Hardin Alford & Annie Lee Upton

Harvey Lee Alford & 1) Bonnie A. Smith 2) Dora Phelps

Henry "Flonzo" Alford & 1) Mellie Cole 2) Bessie Mae Spears

Homer Justis Alford & Elsie Cole

John F. Alford & Florence Louisa Lykins

John Franklin Alford & Elizabeth Toms
John F. Alford & Mary Alice Whoberry
John Alford & Martha Jane Douglas Hightower
Peter Henderson Alford & Olevia Ann Ferguson
Peter Henderson Alford & 1) Mary Thomas Davis 2) Adaline Davis 3) Nora Helton
William Henderson Alford & 1) Ellen Bratcher, 2) Mary C. Miller, Warren Co., KY, 3) Margaret Doshie
Johns Warren Co., KY.

DEATH RECORDS SEE ALL

Calvin Glass Alford, b 1873 KY
Clifton Callie Alford, b. 1900 KY
Hardin Alford, b. 1882 KY
Harvey Lee Alford, b. 1875 KY
Henry "Flonzo" Alford, b. 1878 KY
Homer Justis Alford, b. 1904 KY
John F. Alford, b. 1859 KY
John Franklin Alford, b. 1860 KY
John F. Alford, b. 1865 KY
John Alford, b. 1881 KY
Peter Henderson Alford, b. 1861 KY
Peter Henderson Alford, b. 1863 KY
William Henderson Alford, b. 1850 KY

AAFA BIOGRAPHIES SEE ALL

Frederick Fergus Alford, Sr., 1899 TX - 1964 TX

ALFORD REFERENCE FILE

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REFERENCE FILE

ESTATE RECORDS SEE ALL

Jacob Alford b. 1781 NC
William Alford b. 1804 VA

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 13

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AAFA ACTION #8 March 1990 Vol II No 4.
AAFA ACTION #9 June 1990 Vol III No 1.

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0461 Dorothy Lea Conley Gaines
AAFA #0556 William Russell Alford, III
AAFA #0557 Richard Robert Alford
AAFA #0558 Peter Henry Alford
AAFA #0559 Michael Preston Alford
AAFA #0788 Voncile Hammac Smith
AAFA #0915 Beverly Lyndon ONeal Ellis
AAFA #1018 Sandra Michelle Thompson Doherty
AAFA #1203 Sherrie Gail Adams Weber Hall
AAFA #1379 Paul Brittain Alford, III NEW
AAFA #1380 Jane Carlile Hilder NEW
AAFA #1381 William Roderick Burgess, Jr. NEW
AAFA #1382 George Harris Ruppert NEW

ADDED TO COLLECTION ABOUT HARRY L. ALFORD, MUSICIAN SEE ALL

Marching Bands
Ragtime...printout of all rags.

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FAMILY GROUP RECORDS SEE ALL

James Pleasant Alford & 1) Elizabeth Goffe, Warren Co., KY & 2) Martha Bratcher Ohio Co., KY

MARRIAGE RECORDS SEE ALL

James Pleasant Alford Bond with Elizabeth Goffe, Warren Co. KY 1846

ABOUT ALFORDS - by Gil Alford SEE ALL

Added Issue #7

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 6

ADDED TO COLLECTION ABOUT HARRY L. ALFORD, MUSICIAN SEE ALL

Sharps and Flats, Vol. 1., No. 10. A very interesting 32 page publication.

SHARPS & FLATS

Arrangements and Miscellaneous Mostly one page each.
Miscellaneous
Arrangements. Sheet music page examples
A Perfect Day

Magnetic Rag
It Had To Be You
I Ain't Got Nobody
Let Me Call You Sweetheart
The Sweetheart Of Sigma Chi
Melancholy Baby
There's A Girl In The Heart Of Maryland
Maria, Mari!
The Songs of Long Ago (4 pages)
They'll Talk About You Anyhow (4 pages)
Pickled Hen Lips (2 pages)
IMP
The Thunder Cloud

FAMILY GROUP RECORDS SEE ALL

Elizabeth Alford & Peter Penner Warren Co., KY
John Franklin Alford & Charlotte Raymer Edmonson Co., KY
Nancy M. Alford & Peter Smith Warren Co., KY
Peter Henderson Alford & Nancy Jane Smith Warren Co., KY

MARRIAGE RECORDS SEE ALL

Elizabeth Alford & Peter Penner Warren Co., KY 1821.
John Franklin Alford & Charlotte Raymer Edmonson Co. KY 1851
Nancy M. Alford & Peter Smith Warren Co., KY 1854.
Peter Henderson Alford & Nancy Jane Smith Warren Co. KY 1854.

RESEARCH SEE ALL

Lloyd Raymer on John Franklin Alford

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0604 Nancy Jean Perkins Hughes
AAFA #0609 Douglas Meredith Flowers
AAFA #0947 Betty Jean Alford Peveler
AAFA #0949 Larry Glenndon Alford
AAFA #0951 Gail Johnson Payne
AAFA #0952 Naomi Alford Jacobs
AAFA #0953 Harlan Jarrett Jacobs
AAFA #0954 Terah Jacobs
AAFA #0955 Wanda Sue Jacobs
AAFA #0956 William H. Alford
AAFA #0957 Patricia Sisk Mason
AAFA #0985 Vergie Dockery Crompton
AAFA #1046 Bobby Dean Alford

AAFA #1080 Sharon Crowe Klehm
AAFA #1087 Mary Kathryn King Ruedlinger
AAFA #1123 Nancy Jean Perkins Hughes

WEEK OF JANUARY 30

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

PENNSYLVANIA Updated

This 49 page compilation includes all Pennsylvania obituaries that AAFA currently has.

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0350 Marian Alford Hodges
AAFA #0351 Thomas Richard Alford
AAFA #0827 Margaret Etta Ray Wilson
AAFA #0946 Hal Evan Alford
AAFA #1060 Richard Lawrence Alford
AAFA #1064 Abner Ewing Alford, Jr.
AAFA #1071 Robert Alford Hemby
AAFA #1072 Floyd Alexander Alford
AAFA #1151 Arthur Wright Patterson
AAFA #1220 David A. Hodges, Jr.
AAFA #1221 Craig J. Hodges
AAFA #1222 Matthew R. Hodges

WEEK OF JANUARY 23

ADDED TO COLLECTION ABOUT HARRY L. ALFORD, MUSICIAN SEE

ADDED 2010 MEETING & TOUR REPORTS

MEETING REPORT

TOURS REPORT

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0036 Michael Lynn Alford
AAFA #0548 Allen Alford Staples
AAFA #0670 Jean Saunders Donnelly
AAFA #0919 Donna Salyers
AAFA #0984 Elmer K. Miller
AAFA #1042 Billy A. Watkins
AAFA #1047 Sue S. French
AAFA #1055 Mary Alford Adams

AAFA #1110 Vera Angela Alford
AAFA #1269 Douglas Scott Alford
AAFA #1292 Anthony Clarke Blanton
AAFA #1293 Ralph Lynn Holloway
AAFA #1314 Terrence Doyle Gossett
AAFA #1323 Kelly Suzanne Wise Rhinehart Irwin

MEETING PROGRAMS FROM PAST YEARS MEETINGS SEE ALL

SEE COLUMBIA, SC 2008
SEE VICKSBURG, MS 2007
SEE NASHVILLE, TN 2006
SEE ST. LOUIS, MO 2005
SEE BATON ROUGE, LA 2004
SEE LITTLE ROCK, AR 2003
SEE SALT LAKE CITY, UT 2002
SEE RALEIGH, NC 2001
SEE AUGUSTA, GA 2000
COMING SAN ANTONIO, TX 1999
SEE PADUCAH, KY 1998
SEE PLEASANTON, CA 1997
SEE SPRINGFIELD, MO 1996
SEE DECATUR, AL 1995
SEE RICHMOND, VA 1994
SEE ST. FRANCISVILLE, LA 1993
SEE DESTIN, FL 1992
SEE JACKSON, MS 1991
SEE RALEIGH, NC 1990

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AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0025 Ann Marcella Alford Baird
AAFA #0218 John Richard Alford
AAFA #0506 Wendell Anderson Meggs
AAFA #0976 Frances Alford Cordine
AAFA #0977 Gerald W. Masaitis
AAFA #0978 Eric Alan Cordine
AAFA #0994 Susan Annette Stanfield
AAFA #1127 Dennis F. Hill
AAFA #1276 Sherry L.T. Schlereth

AAFA #1294 Nell Kleinschmidt
AAFA #1278 Arthur R. Alford
AAFA #1279 Robert F. Alford
AAFA #1280 Virginia Lee Alvord Callison
AAFA #1281 Nancy Louise Alvord Lindsey
AAFA #1282 David Michael Alvord
AAFA #1288 Jeanie L. Pickering
AAFA #1297 Janet Faulk Rogers

WEEK OF JANUARY 9

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0230 Max Ray Alford
AAFA #0369 Jack Franklin Alford
AAFA #0374 Travis Arnold Alford
AAFA #0442 Beth Alford Watson
AAFA #0588 William Lewis Alford
AAFA #0615 David Edmund Alford
AAFA #0750 Sarah Ann Richardson
AAFA #0910 Danny Ray Alford
AAFA #0986 Walter Richard Alford
AAFA #1027 Charles Glenn Thompson
AAFA #1057 Martha Alford Swazey
AAFA #1205 Sandra Lee Schuster
AAFA #1226 Betty Gene Davis

WEEK OF JANUARY 2

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0583 Leonora Ginn
AAFA #0584 Louise Dickson Cravens
AAFA #0593 Peggy Anne Callari Wood Alford

WEEK OF DECEMBER 26, 2010

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0510 Glynn Herman Alford
AAFA #0514 Gregory Gambill Alford
AAFA #0517 William Leorus Alford
AAFA #0518 Earl Johnston Alford, Jr
AAFA #0522 Daniel Ray Alford

WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 2010

OBITUARIES SEE ALL

CALIFORNIA Updated

This 200 page compilation includes all California obituaries that AAFA currently has.

NEW MEXICO Updated

This 27 page compilation includes all New Mexico obituaries that AAFA currently has.

SOUTH CAROLINA Updated

This 380 page compilation includes all South Carolina obituaries that AAFA currently has.

VERMONT New

This 6 page compilation includes all Vermont obituaries that AAFA currently has.

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #0475 Susan Alford Dickerson

AAFA #0477 Jeffrey William Alford

AAFA #0478 Sion Augustus Alford, III

AAFA #0482 Martha Alford Marks, Phd

AAFA #0486 Walter Helion Alford

AAFA #0487 Terry Lee Alford

WEEK OF DECEMBER 12, 2010

GENEALOGIES SEE ALL

JOH786NC John Alford b. CA 1786NC & Jane McElhattan

AAFA MEMBER AHNENTAFELS SEE ALL

AAFA #1157 Elizabeth Alford McCutcheon

AAFA #1158 Bambie Denise Nelson-Hayes

AAFA #1160 Johnny Scott

AAFA #1162 Diane G. Weathers

AAFA #1163 Stephanie Alford

AAFA #1164 Terri Anne Alford Lansing

AAFA #1170 Jennifer Jean Syndergaard Snyder

AAFA #1171 Debra Kaye McKrill

In Remembrance, Members

By Pamela Alford Thompson, AAFA #0030

BETTY JANE COOK LINN

AAFA #0050

1922–2005

PALM BEACH POST

Palm Beach, Palm Beach Co., FL— Sunday, 26 June 2005

Betty Cook Linn, 82, of Cleveland, Ohio and West Palm Beach, FL, died June 24, 2005, on Hilton Head Island, SC.

Born on November 9, 1922, she was the daughter of the late Jim and Marie Cook of Cleveland and West Palm Beach, FL; wife of the late Capt. Wilton C. Smith of Cleveland, killed in action over Bastogne, Belgium in 1944; wife for over 40 years of the late Lt. Col. Phillip J. Linn, Sr. of Cleveland.

As a Palm Beach Post staff writer in 1967-68, Mrs. Linn was one of the first to call attention to the planned demolition of the oldest house in Lake Worth. After other interested Lake Worth citizens joined the cause, the structure was moved to its present location, and became the home of the Lake Worth Chamber of Commerce. She then worked for more than ten years as a writer in the News Bureau of Palm Beach Junior College. She was a volunteer at the Henry Morrison Flagler museum for almost 30 years, first as a guide then, for nine years, in charge of the museum scrapbook.

She was a member of the Palm Beach County Genealogical Society; the Seminole Chapter of the D.A.R.; the New England Historic Genealogical Society; the Society of Mayflower descendants; and the Geauga County (Ohio) Genealogical Society.

Survived by her daughter, Carroll Smith Williams and husband, George, of Hilton Head, SC; sons, Lt. Col. (ret.) Phillip J. Linn, Jr. and wife, Martha Davis, of Columbus, GA; and James W. Linn and wife, Elyse Ryan, of Tallahassee, FL; grandchildren Laura Williams Mattler; and Vicki Williams Tharp and husband, Wade; Susan Linn Ostrand and husband, Ken; Brendan and Amelia Linn ; great-grandchildren, Tyler and Jessica Mattler; and Jason and Rachel Tharp; and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

All those who knew her will miss her kindness and bright spirit, her unflinching championship of the causes she believed in, her integrity, loyalty and her unconditional love and support for her family.

Betty will be interred in Arlington National Cemetery beside her late husband, Lt. Col. Phillip J. Linn.

Memorials may be sent to the Alzheimer's Association, 919 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1100, Chicago, Illinois 60611....

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records confirm the birth and death dates of Betty J. Linn (SS# issued in OH), last residence Hilton Head Island, Beaufort Co., SC.

Her lineage, from her great-great-grandmother: Caroline 1809 NY⁵, Benedict 1786 NY⁶, Benedict 1757 CT⁷, Benedict 1716 CT⁸, Benedict 1688 CT⁹, Jeremiah 1655 CT¹⁰, Benedict 1619 ENG¹¹.

JOE BENGE ALFORD

AAFA #0136

1918–2003

TIMES-RECORD NEWS

Wichita Falls, Wichita Co., TX—Saturday, 7 June 2003

SEYMOUR [Baylor Co., TX]—Joe B. Alford, 84, of Colorado Springs [El Paso Co.], Colorado died on Tuesday, June 3, 2003, in Colorado Springs. Graveside services were held on Monday in Old Seymour Cemetery. Archer Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Alford was an executive director of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgy, and Petroleum Engineers.

Survivors include his wife, George Marie; daughter, Frances Rolater of Colorado Springs; a son, Joe Dudley; and two grandsons.

In another article:

THE GAZETTE

Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., CO—7 June 2003

Joe Benge Alford—Born June 23, 1918. Died June 3, 2003. Executive director, 21-year Colorado Springs resident. Survived by his wife, George Marie; a son, Joe Dudley; and a daughter, Frances Rolater. Evergreen Funeral Home.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records show that Joe B. Alford (SS# issued in TX) was born 23 June 1918, last residence Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., CO.

We included the obituary of his sister Zoe Anne Alford in Texas Obituaries.

Joe is the father of Frances Anne Alford Spicer, AAFA #0172.

Joe's father, Van Dorn Alford, married Myra Anne Benge on 19 July 1908.

Joe was AAFA's Colorado State Representative in the early days of the Association. He and wife George attended the 1989 Annual Meeting in Houston.

We published "Joe B. Alford Collection of Military Insignia" in AAFA ACTION, June 1991, p. 30.

His lineage: Joe Benge 1918 TX¹, Van Dorn 1885 TX², John Rankin 1834 TN³, Alsey 1802 NC⁴, Ira Bailey 1781 NC⁵, Isaac 1748 NC⁶, Julius 1717 VA⁷, James 1687 VA⁸, John 1645 VA⁹.

HERBERT HOOVER ALFORD

AAFA #0205

1929–1991

Source unknown

_____, TX—_____ June 1991

[We included this obituary in AAFA ACTION, June 1992. We listed him as he is listed in the obituary, H. Hoover Alford, but we did not identify him as AAFA Member #0205, Herbert Hoover Alford.]

Thursday, November 21, 1929 – Sunday, June 9, 1991

Funeral for H. Hoover Alford, 61, of Bryan [Brazos Co.] will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Bryan.... Burial will be in Bryan City Cemetery.

Memorial Funeral Chapel in Bryan is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Alford died Saturday [*sic*] in a local nursing home.

He was born in Mumford and had lived in Bryan since 1960. He was owner of H&M Wholesale Inc. and was a rancher.

He was a past member of the Rotary Club and the Bryan Elks Lodge, and a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Texas Oil Marketers Association and the National Association of Texaco Wholesalers.

Mr. Alford graduated from Texas A&M University in 1952. He attended First Presbyterian Church in Bryan.

Survivors his wife, Mary Alford of Bryan; two sons, Bill Alford and James Boedeker, both of Bryan; three daughters, Cindy Ott of Jakarta, Indonesia, Lisa French of Bryan and Melissa Baumgarner of Wichita, Kan.; three brothers, Hawk Alford and Dan Alford, both of Caldwell, and Robert A. Alford of Houston [AAFA #0148]; two sisters, Virginia Claybrook of Rockford, Mich., and Jane Spiller of Flint, Mich.; and 13 grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records confirm the birth and death dates of Herbert Hoover Alford (SS# issued in TX), last residence not listed.

[For more information on this family, see AAFA's Published Genealogy, Known Descendants of Halcut & Harriett C. Alford.](#)

His lineage: Herbert Hoover 1929 TX¹, Robert Atticus 1890 TX², Halcut 1854 TX³, Richard Erwin 1818 GA⁴, Halcut 1789 GA⁵, Julius 1750 NC⁶, Lodwick 1710 VA⁷, James 1687 VA⁸, John 1645 VA⁹.

HOWARD ALFORD

AAFA #0274

1921–2006

THE STATE

Columbia, Richland Co., SC—Wednesday, 15 February 2006

SUMTER [Sumter Co.]—Howard Alford, 84, husband of Audrey McLeod Alford, died Monday, February 13, 2006, in Tuomey Regional Medical Center.

Born in Bishopville, he was a son of the late Howard Alford, Sr. and the late Vera Carnes Alford.

Mr. Alford was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church. He was a member of the Mission of Men Choir, the Sumter Civic Chorale, a U.S. Army-Air Corps veteran of World War II and had retired from the Sumter Post Office with 38 years of service.

Surviving are his wife of Sumter; three sons, Mike Alford and wife, Debby, Ricky Alford, Kenneth Alford, all of Sumter; a daughter, Marianne A. Jeffords and husband, Reuben L., of Sumter; six grandchildren, James Alford, Meredith A. West, Ginnie Hardee, Wendi Hardee, Andrew Squires and Patrick Squires; four great-grandchildren, Lorianne Spiegel, Malorie Spiegel, Drew Squires and Cannon West; special friends, Monroe and Lil Brown; a special niece, Ann Dennis, and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Cecil Alford, John C. Alford and two sisters, Maggie Rowland and Hazel Dennis.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Thursday at Westminster Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Walt Kendall officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Memorial Park Cemetery. Pallbearers will be grandsons, James Alford, Andrew Squires, Patrick Squires; two nephews, George and John Rowland and Michael Spiegel.

Honorary pallbearers will be members of the Mission of Men Choir.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Elmore Hill McCreight Funeral Home and other times at the home.

Memorials may be made to Westminster Presbyterian Church, 230 Alice Drive, Sumter, SC 29150 or to the American Cancer Society, 128 Stonemark Lane, Columbia, SC 29210. On-line condolences may be sent to www.sumterfunerals.com. Elmore Hill McCreight Funeral Home and Crematory, 221 Broad Street, Sumter, is in charge of the arrangements.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records show that Howard Alford (SS# issued in SC) was born 25 December 1921, last residence Sumter, Sumter Co., SC.

We published the obituaries of his paternal grandparents, James Frierson Alford Sr. and Annie Spears David Alford, in South Carolina Obituaries.

For more information on this family, see AAFA's published genealogy, [Known Descendants of Jacob Alford, born 1738 VA, & Mary Pace.](#)

His lineage: Howard 1921 SC¹, Howard 1881 SC², James Frierson 1846 SC³, James Little 1811 NC⁴, Warren 1770 NC⁵, Jacob 1738 VA⁶, Lodwick 1710 VA⁷, James 1687 VA⁸, John 1645 VA⁹.

WILLIAM RUSSELL ALFORD, JR.

AAFA #0278

1908–2002

WINSTON-SALEM JOURNAL

Winston-Salem, Forsyth Co., NC—Wednesday, 24 April 2002

Mr. William Russell Alford, 93, died Sunday at Heritage Woods Retirement Community. Funeral services will be in New York at a later date.

In another article:

THE POST-STANDARD

Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY—Wednesday, 4 December 2002

William R. Alford Jr., 93, of Largo, Fla., died April 21. Born in Brooklyn, he moved to Syracuse in 1943 and lived there until moving to Largo in 1973. He retired in 1973 as director of sales for WSYR Radio and TV after 30 years. He was former president of the Syracuse Advertising Club and the Sales Executive Club. He was a member of Cazenovia Golf Club and Sedgwick Farms Tennis Club. His first wife, Sarah, died in 1979; his second wife, the former Jeanne Webber, died in 2000.

Survivors: Four sons, William R. III of Las Cruces, N.M. [William Russell Alford, AAFA #0556], Richard R. of New York City [Richard Robert Alford, AAFA #0557], Peter H. of Tilton, N.H. [Peter Henry Alford, AAFA #0558], and Michael P. of Englewood, Fla. [Michael Preston Alford, AAFA #0559]; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Services: Were in Winston-Salem, N.C. Vogler & Sons Funeral Home, Winston-Salem, had arrangements.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records show that William R. Alford (SS# issued in NY) was born 11 June 1908, last residence Winston-Salem, Forsyth Co., NC.

William's online In Remembrance includes a photo of the gravestone he shares with his wife, Sarah Decker Alford.

His lineage: William Russell 1908 NY¹, William Russell 1884 NY², William Madison 1858 NY³, Thomas Kennedy 1838 NY⁴, Edwin Madison 1807 NY⁵, Consider 1778 England⁶.

LILLIAN LOIS REED ALFORD

AAFA #0305

1918–2007

THE ADVOCATE

Baton Rouge, LA—Monday, 8 October 2007

Lillian Lois Reed Alford, 89, and a native of Grapevine [Tarrant Co.], Texas, passed away peacefully at her home in Covington on Sunday, Oct. 7, 2007. Mrs. Alford, a former longtime resident of Baker and Baton Rouge, was best known for her role as “The Boss” of Alford Safe and Lock Co.

Preceded in death by her husband, William Edgar Alford; grandson, Brodie Joe Alford; and great-grandson, Benjamin Reagan Hisaw.

Survivors include her sisters, Mary Carr and Georgia Pool, both of Arlington, Texas; children, Reed Alford, Dianna Alford and Gary Alford; grandchildren, John Alford, Brian Hisaw, Courtenay Hisaw and Jacqueline Alford; great-granddaughter, Taylor Sweeney; and her canine friend cocker spaniel, Lecie Lady Alford.

She will forever be remembered for her tireless work ethic, her love of reading and bits of wisdom such as “this too shall pass,” “we are where we are” and “you’ll live ’til you die.”

Visitation at Greenoaks Funeral Home, 9595 Florida Blvd., on Tuesday, Oct. 9, from 11 a.m. until graveside service at Greenoaks Memorial Park at 2 p.m.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records show that Lillian R. Alford (SS# issued in TX) was b. 6 July 1918, last residence Covington, Saint Tammany Parish, LA.

Lois was the active AAFA member—her husband, William Edgar Alford, died 15 October 1979 [SS# issued in TX, last residence Baker, East Baton Rouge, LA], before AAFA was founded.

Lois is listed on the 1930 census with her parents and sisters in Precinct 3 (E.D. 116), Tarrant Co., TX, dwelling #233: Fred S. Reed, farm laborer age 46, age 33 at first marriage; his wife Myrtle 33, age 20 at first marriage; and daughters Lois 11, Mary E. 7, and Georgia 5. All were b. in TX.

AAFA Bible Records show that William Edgar Alford and Lillian Lois Reed were married 9 May 1942, probably in Tarrant Co., TX, since their son Edgar Reed Alford was born there on 5 March 1944 [USGenWeb, Tarrant Co., TX].

On his WWI Draft Registration Card [Ancestry.com], William's father Joseph Price Alford is age 38, an ice delivery man living in Dallas, TX. He says he was b. 25 May 1880 [confirming the Bible record], names his father D.W. Alford at the same

NOTES: John Rambo age 9 was enumerated with William and Susan Alford in 1850 Blount Co., TN. John Nelson Rambo (J.N. Rambeau in Bible records, b. 8 July 1840) was the son of Andrew Lawson Rambo and Susan Wright (married 8 Oct 1838 in Blount Co., TN). He was born after his father's death. [Dennis Watkins, submitter, "Watkins-Jennings family" in Family Trees at WorldConnect, RootsWeb, 11 July 2009]

NOTES: Isaac Wright enumerated in 1850 Blount Co., TN, (dwelling # 558) had 2 brothers, Devreaux Gilliam Wright [dwelling #1066], b. 1 Dec 1819 in TN, and William H. Wright (dwelling #1067); their parents were Nelson and Jane Wright (dwelling #1065), living next door to Mary Alford and their sons Devrix and William. [Dan Wright, submitter, "Dan Wright Family" in Family Trees at WorldConnect, RootsWeb, 4 Apr 2004]

Dan Wright, mentioned above, does not list another brother, who would appear to be the deceased husband of Mary Alford (dwelling #1066). Neither does he list a daughter named Susan, who married William Alford. However, Susan and another brother probably belong to this family.

Lillian Lois Reed Alford's husband's lineage: William Edgar 1919 TX¹, Joseph Price 1880 TN², Devrix Gilliam Wright 1852 TN³, William 1816 TN⁴.

THALASSA CRUSO HENCKEN

AAFA #0330

1909–1997

STANDARD-TIMES

New Bedford, Bristol Co., MA—Sunday, 15 June 1997

WELLESLEY [Norfolk Co.]—Thalassa Cruso Hencken, formerly of Marion [Plymouth Co.], known by gardeners everywhere as the Plant Lady, died on June 11, 1997. She was 88. She was the widow of Hugh O'Neill Hencken of Boston and Marion

Mrs. Hencken, who was known professionally as Thalassa Cruso, was born in London, England. She received her Academic Diploma in Archaeology from the London School of Economics, London University in 1931, and subsequently became Assistant

Keeper of the Costume Collection at the pre-war London Museum.

From 1966 until 1969, she wrote and starred in “Making Things Grow!” for WGBH-TV. Following the success of that show she became a regular guest on the “Tonight Show” with Johnny Carson, published four books on gardening, and for twenty-two years, wrote a gardening column for the Boston Sunday *Globe*.

She also trained in field archaeology, and from 1933-1936 directed the excavation of Bredon Hill, an Iron Age fort in Worcestershire, England. The report on this excavation established a basis for much of the later archaeological work on British Iron Age sites, and led to her election to the Society of Antiquaries of London in 1938.

In 1935 she married Hugh O’Neill Hencken of Boston and Marion who later became Curator of European Archaeology at Harvard University. During World War II, she wrote reports on American public opinion for British Intelligence, for which she later received a special commendation.

After the war, Mrs. Hencken joined the Chestnut Hill Garden Club and began her career in horticulture and the environment. In 1961 she was made a Garden Club of America Horticultural Judge. In 1962, with two friends, she established the Amateur Horticultural Competition at the Massachusetts Horticultural Society’s annual Spring Flower Show.

She was awarded the Medal of Merit by the Chestnut Hill Garden Club, for the Garden Club of America, in 1969, the Distinguished Service Medal by the Garden Club of America in 1970 a Distinguished Citation by the Horticultural Society of New York in 1970, and the George Robert White Medal of Honor in 1985 by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. She also served on the Boards of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society and the Brooklyn Botanic Gardens.

She leaves three daughters, Ala Reid of York Harbor, Maine, Sophia Stone of New Orleans, La. and Thalassa Scholl of Boston; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at two o’clock in the afternoon on June 24th at the Church of the Redeemer, 379 Hammond Street, Chestnut Hill.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records show that Thalassa C. Hencken (SS# issued in MA) was born 7 July 1909.

Her Alford lineage, starting with her mother’s paternal grandmother: Frances Mary 1849 ENG⁴, Henry 1810 ENG⁵, Henry 1782 ENG⁶, Samuel 1747 ENG⁷, Thomas 1703 ENG⁸, Thomas 1672 ENG⁹, Richard 1641 ENG¹⁰, Thomas 1599 ENG¹¹, Matthew 1567 ENG¹², Henry 1540 ENG¹³.

Henry 1810 ENG married his first cousin Frances Oke Alford, so Thalassa has two Alford lineages. Her second lineage: Frances Oke 1811 ENG⁵, Samuel 1776 ENG⁶, Samuel 1747 ENG⁷, continued from first lineage.

ELIZABETH ANDREWS DUNCAN
AAFA #0366
1911–1997

DAILY NEWS

Anchorage, Anchorage Co., AK—9 April 1997

Soldotna resident Elizabeth Andrews Duncan, 86, died April 4, 1997, at Central Peninsula Hospital.

A memorial service is scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday at Kenai Christian Church in Kenai. Officiating will be the Rev. Robert DeVolld. Family and friends will gather May 10 for a graveside service to bury Mrs. Duncan's cremated remains next to her husband and daughter in Alford (Family) Cemetery near Harrisburg [Linn Co.] and Halsey, Ore.

She was born Jan. 9, 1911, in Bladen, Neb., the fifth of eight children. She married Lee H. Duncan Sept. 15, 1940. Both were recorded ministers of the Gospel in the Friends Church. In 1945 they moved to the Northwest, where they remained to raise their family. Mrs. Duncan taught elementary grades for many years in Canyon County, Idaho. When she retired, she and her husband lived in Sisters, Ore.

Mrs. Duncan lived in Salem, Ore., until her husband's death in 1983. She moved to Eugene, Ore., in 1984, then to Soldotna in 1993.

Her family said: "Always teaching, always learning, her intense energy and love for people were evident in volunteer services in each of the communities in which she resided. She had a passion for quilt-making. A published writer, Elizabeth recently completed the story of her life. Friends and family will miss her intelligent, optimistic, vibrant character. She and her husband were strong advocates for Christian education."

She is survived by her daughters, Linda Winters of Soldotna, Judi Duncan of Seattle, and Ruth Elizabeth O'Sullivan of Irving, Texas; her son, Lee Duncan Jr. of Eugene; brothers, Alfred and Robert Andrews; and sister, Alta Miller; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Her husband of 43 years, Lee H. Duncan Sr., and her daughter, Norma Garrett, preceded her in death.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations be made to the Cook Inlet Academy, 46719 Kalifonsky-Beach Road, Soldotna 99669.

Arrangements were made by Peninsula Memorial Chapels.

In another article:

PENINSULA CLARION

Anchorage, Anchorage Co., AK—9 April 1997

Soldotna resident Elizabeth Andrews Duncan died April 4, 1997, at Central Peninsula General Hospital in Soldotna. She was 86.

A Memorial service will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Kenai Christian Church, with Robert DeVolid officiating.

Mrs. Duncan was born Jan. 9, 1911, at Bladen, Neb., the fifth of eight children. She married Lee H. Duncan Sept. 15, 1940; both were recorded ministers of the Gospel in the Friends Church. In 1945 they moved to the southwest where they remained to raise their family.

Mrs. Duncan taught elementary grades for many years in Canyon County, Idaho. When she retired, she and Lee lived in Sisters, Ore., until his death in 1983. She lived in Salem and Eugene from 1984 until she ventured to Soldotna in 1993.

Her family says, "Always teaching, always learning, her intense energy and love for people were evident in volunteer services in each of the communities in which she resided. She had a passion for quilt making. A published writer, Elizabeth recently completed her life story. Friends and family will miss her intelligent, optimistic, vibrant character. She and her husband were strong advocates for Christian education.

Mrs. Duncan was preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, and her daughter, Norma Garrett.

She is survived by brothers Alfred and Robert Andrews, and sister, Alta Miller; daughters, Linda Winters of Soldotna, Judi Duncan of Seattle, and Ruth Elizabeth O'Sullivan of Irving, Texas; son Lee H. Duncan Jr. of Eugene; eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Family and friends will gather May 10 for a graveside service to bury Mrs. Duncan's cremated remains next to her husband and daughter in the Alford (Family) Cemetery on Highway 99E between Harrisburg and Halsey, Ore.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations be made to Cook Inlet Academy, 46719 Kalifornsky Beach Road, Soldotna.

Arrangements were made by Peninsula Memorial Chapel.

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records confirm the birth and death dates of Elizabeth A. Duncan (SS# issued in ID), last residence Soldotna, Kenai Peninsula, AK.

Her first name was Hester, but she never used it.

Elizabeth co-authored a family history book: *A Glance Back Over Our Shoulders; Pride in our Past-Faith in our Future From 1720-1984*, Elizabeth Andrews Duncan and Karen EK Schultz, privately published.

Her Alford lineage, from her great-grandmother: Chirena Isabelle 1812 NC⁴, Ira Bailey 1781 NC⁵, Isaac 1748 NC⁶, Julius 1717 VA⁷, James 1687 VA⁸, John 1645 VA⁹.

HOWARD LESLIE "HOP" ALFORD

AAFA #0446

1932—2008

DAILY NEWS

Starkville, Oktibbeha Co., MS- Sunday, 9 November 2008

EUPORA—Services for H.L. “Hop” Alford will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, November 10, 2008, at Wise Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be at Marvin Hill Cemetery in Webster County with Wise Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

Mr. Alford, 75, of Maben, died Friday, November 7, 2008, at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. He was a retired B&W steelworker.

He was a member of Midway Church of Christ in Maben. He was a U.S. Army veteran

Survivors include his daughter, Beth Murchie of New Hope; his sons, Ken Alford of Starkville, and Johnny Alford of Cumberland; his brothers, Ruble Alford of Pheba, James M. Alford of Ackerman, and Billy E. Alford of Sherwood; and 10 grandchildren.

In another article:

NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI DAILY JOURNAL

Tupelo, Lee Co., MS—Sunday, 9 November 2008

MABEN [Webster Co.]—H.L. “Hop” Alford, 75, died Nov. 7, 2008, at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. He was born Nov. 13, 1932, in Cumberland. He was a retired steelworker from B&W and a member of Midway Church of Christ. He was a veteran of the United States Army and was a devoted East Webster Wolverine fan. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, whittler and a bluegrass music lover.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Wise Funeral Home. Burial will be in Marvin Hill Cemetery in Webster County. Wise Funeral Home of Eupora is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include one daughter, Beth Murchie (Frank) of New Hope; two sons, Ken Alford (Joanna) of Starkville and Johnny Alford (Anna Marie) of Cumberland; three brothers, Ruble Alford of Phebea, James M. Alford of Ackerman and Billy E. Alford of Sherwood; 10 grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends....

AAFA NOTES: SSDI records confirm the birth and death dates of Howard L. Alford (SS# issued in MS), last residence Maben, Webster Co., MS.

He and his wife and son have been present at several AAFA meetings.

His father was Osie Lee Alford and mother was Terah Clemons Alford.

His lineage: Howard Leslie 1932 MS¹, Osie Lee 1896 MS², James Thomas Monroe Pinkney 1855 MS³, Monroe 1826 AL⁴, Littleberry 1801 NC⁵.