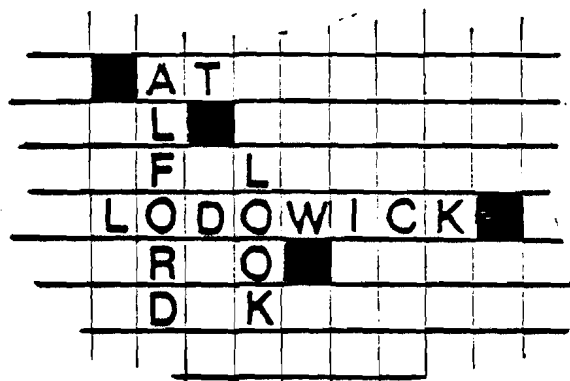


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MELISSA ADAMS (now Alfred Ametredal Street)										
ANN MUMFORD	Charles B. Br. 1921 MA	William 1860 MS	Elias 1179 VA	Jacob 1720 VA	Jacob 1720 VA	Jacob 1720 VA	Edwin 1798 VA	Jacob 1720 VA	Elias 1179 VA	Jacob 1720 VA
BERRY PAUL MUMFORD	Bobby Joe 1946 MS	Robert Merton 1829 IN	Elizabeth 1798 VA	William 1860 GA	William 1798 VA	William 1798 VA	William 1798 VA	William 1798 VA	William 1798 VA	William 1798 VA
CLETA MYRA MUMFORD	Cecil H. Robbins 1922 MS	Burton Jefferson 1831 GA	John H. 1847 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
CHARLES H. MUMFORD	Clarence V. 1888 MS	Thomas 1831 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
DAVIDSON VERA MUMFORD	Andrew Jackson 1916 MS	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
ETHEL MUMFORD	Thomas E. 1827 NY	William H. 1828 NY	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
ZACHARY MUMFORD	Frank Wilson 1906 MS	Sam Augustus 1861 SC	Thomas Kennedy 1838 NY	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
EMMY MUMFORD and PEGGY SCAMPUSILO	George Bond 1918 IN	Sidney Albert 1866 IN	Robert Merton 1829 IN	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
MICHAEL MUMFORD	Robbie Warren 1925 MS	John Madison 1875 MS	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
JACK B. MUMFORD	Walter Berkley 1908 AR	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
JOHN A. MUMFORD	Lucius Edwin 1872 MS	James Thomas 1845 MS	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
JOS. LUIS M. MUMFORD	Jacob Elias 1880 MS	Julius Carter 1880 MS	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
L. E. MUMFORD	Joseph Whitfield 1877 SC	Arthur, Jr. 1842 SC	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
LEONARD MUMFORD	Albert Leonard 1920 IN	John Merton 1828 PA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
MARJIE M.B. MUMFORD	George James 1888 MS	James 1828 PA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
DEBBIE C. MUMFORD	R. C. 1915 IN	James Edward 1810 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
M. A. MUMFORD, JR.	Russell Alger 1879 VA	William Berninah 1811 IN	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
RENNETT L. MUMFORD	Edward Jackson 1916 IN	George Terry 1905 IN	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
THOMAS H. MUMFORD, JR.		Edna Melvina 1916 IN	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
WILLIE MUI		Loua Edith 1877 IN	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
ROSEMARY MUIK			William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
AND L. MUIK			William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
BEVERLY MUIK			William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
DEBRA SUELEN MUIK			William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
MELLY MUIK	Letitia F. 1917 AL	Allan Edwin 1847 AL	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
ELIZABETH MUIK			William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA
JULY E. MUIK	Eliza Florence 1878 CA	Willard Willmore 1827 VA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA	William 1860 GA



## ALFORD EXCHANGE

The following paragraphs contain the name and address of all the new ALFS who have joined our circle since the last newsletter. Included with each, to the extent information was available, is the Alford information they are seeking.

Send your response to us or to the person listed. If you send it to them, how about a copy to update our record.

3-1 Mr. Weston Adams, PO Box 291, Columbia SC 29202. (Weston is not new, but he did have an inquiry for us) He is seeking information on William Alford, born ca 1735, son of Lodwick Alford. William was a commissary officer in the Continental Army of North Carolina. (He wants information on other Alford ancestors who were in the Revolutionary War.)

3-2 Mrs. Cecil W. (Charlotte M.) Alford, 4250 South Olive, Unit 112, Denver CO 80237. Her husband's 2great grandfather was Spier W. Alford born 1807 October 1 Upson County GA. He married 1829 March 20 Sarah Brenel. His 3great grandfather was Britton W. Alford who married 1805 March 19, Bathsheba Barnwell. She is seeking more information on these ancestors and the parents of Britton.

3-3 Rev. Charles H. Alford, 9036 Lauderdale Road S. W., Huntsville AL 35802. He is seeking information on the wife and parents of his great grandfather Abham Alford born ca 1828 in Alabama then moved west about 1856. *Isham*

3-4 Mr. Herman Alford, PO Box 96, Philadelphia MS 39350 joins Grady Alford and Peggy Schuster in search for information on father of John Madison Alford born 1825/6 in Georgia. John Madison was Herman's grandfather. He does know that John Madison's father was John who lived in Carroll County, Alabama, but that is all.

3-5 Dr. Randall L. Alford, 275 Woodlake Drive., West Apt 14-D, Palm Bay FL 32905. He was in the BUREAU OF MISSING ALFS last quarter. Mrs. Bowman sent us his new address. Randall is looking for information on the same John Madison Alford as is Herman mentioned above.

3-6 Mrs. Thomas Hall Beals, Jr. 2919 Kilcairn Lane, Allison Park PA 15101. Their records show that their great grandfather is Samuel Newell Alford born 1843 Windham Ohio. They think he is the son of Samuel Newell Alford born ca 1821 in Windham, but they are looking for proof.

3-7 Mr. Jack F. Eisenlauer, 1955 Wingfield Way, Carmichael CA 95608. Jack seeks information on the father of William Alford born 1800 in Virginia. William married a Margaret and they probably moved to California and died there. Their son was Russell Alford born 1827 in Virginia, but exact date is not known. Russell married a Julia.

3-8 MS Patricia Law Hatcher, 3040 Claresont Drive, Dallas TX 75228. She is looking for information on Elizabeth Alford. She married Samuel Gregg who was born in Ireland and came to settle in Loudoun County, Virginia. Their first child was born 1743 and their last in 1763. After her death Samuel married Mrs. Ester (Tobin) Dixon. She also would like information on Martha "Patsy" Alford who married John Houchin. Their timeframe 1720-1840.

3-9 Mrs. Claude (Leona) Jenkins, 1301 W. Main Avenue, Clinton IA 52732. She needs information on the children of Elizabeth Alford and John Bates. Elizabeth and her sister are in the early records of the St. Peter's Church Register in New Kent County, Virginia. Their specific interest is in fixing the parents/grandparents of their Unity Bates born 1754 in Virginia and died 1824 in Kentucky. Unity married William Carter (1759VA-1848KY).

3-10 Mrs. Carl (Eva) Larson, 248 Napoleon Drive, Kettering OH 45429. She wants information on Charles Alford born 1790 September 30 in North Carolina and died 1858 March 17 in Palayra IL. He married Mary Tipton (1795 June 30 TN - 1863 February 18 Palayra IL).

3-11 Mr. George Montes, 12535 E. 40th Street, Yuma AZ 85365. George's 2great grandfather was named Jamey Alford Henton. He was born ca 1810-20, probably in Virginia. He married a Martha Elizabeth \_\_\_\_\_. George thinks there may be an Alford somewhere behind Jamey Alford Henton. Can anyone help?

3-12 Mrs. John (Novis) Alford, 702 North 6th Street, Hoeser LA 71040. Novis is searching for the connection between her Great Grandfather Almon Alford born 1810 December 17 and died 1891 October 6, near Hoeser Louisiana. He married a Harriett McKinley. He was the son of William Alford born 1789 and Mary Ellis but the lineage gets fuzzy there. Some say William was son of James Alford born 1767.

3-13 Mr. Walter E. Ralls, Jr., 3275 Old Post Road, Fallbrook CA 92028. Walter seeks information on an ancestor, Martha Alford, born CA 1820 in Maryland. She married a Eldora or Undora who was born in Georgia. They were the parents of Ester/Easter A. Eldora born 1852 February in Arkansas, maybe Columbia County.

3-14 Mr. Lloyd M. Rayner, Rt. 12 Box 443, Bowling Green KY 42101. Lloyd wants information on William Alford born 1804 September 23 in Virginia, maybe Montgomery County. He married ca 1825 Elizabeth Penner born 1797. They died 1860-70's and he is buried in Kentucky, Warren or Edsonson County. He needs information on William as well as his parents.

3-15 Mr. Robert A. Schaeber, 7538 East Parkway, Sacramento CA 95823. Robert is working on his 5th and 6th great grandparents. 5th great grandmother was Mary Alford who married Charles Baker in Virginia 1786 February 10. Her father was Thomas Alford. Mary is buried in Missouri. Robert needs anything you can tell him.

3-16 Mrs. William H. (Cathy) Truss, Rt 1 Box 37, Gatesville TX 76528. Cathy is looking for information on Thomas Alford born ca 1806 in Georgia. He probably married a Mary born ca 1816 in Alabama. His children included Samuel, Galdy, Sally and Martha J.

3-17 Mr. Glen A. Holses, 1514 Zaiger Place, Colorado Springs CO 80915. Glen is looking for the parents of Cordelia Alford born 1820 April 19 Popponnock CT and married 1839 May 25 George Andrews.

3-18 Mrs. Andrew Alford, Route 2, Box 90, Morrison TN 37357. She needs information on husband's grandfather William Alford born Cannon County Tennessee. He married Sara Duncan. His father was Andrew Jackson Alford born 1874 September 23 in Coffee County Tennessee.

3-19 Mrs. Ruby Heard P O Box 10144, Jackson MS 39206 is looking for information on Zaddock [Zadock] Alford. He was born 1814 November 3 in Greene County, Georgia and died before 1832 January 9. Was he a son of Lodowick born 1775 and brother to Julius? Ruby would like to correspond with any descendants of James Z. Alford born 1840 married Mary Ann Britt Reel 1867 in Alabama, and lived Dadeville, Alabama after the Civil War. He was a Justice of the Peace there. She would also like contact with descendants of George Cook Alford born 1846 in Tallapoosa County, Alabama married Lucinda Clayton 1865 July 10 in that county. They were brothers of her grandfather, Columbus (Lum) Alford born 1850 January in the same area and married Mary Ann D. Glover 1871 September 17. All were born in Troup County, Georgia and moved to Alabama in 1850.

The following are new ALFS for which we have no inquiry.

Mrs. Leonard (Helen) Alford, 10579 Stare Avenue, Decola IN 46561.

Mrs. H. R. (Haidee) Reeves, P O Box 298, Albany LA 70711.

Mrs. Elizabeth Alford Williams, 735 Mayer Street, Greenville MS 38701

## From the Editors

We are pleased to send you this first full size *ABOUT ALFORDS*. Each quarter the newsletter will range in size from 20 to 26 pages. Although some types of material will appear in each issue, we will attempt to keep it varied, interesting and useful. We depend on you to give us feedback telling us what you like and what you don't like. Speaking of feedback, we have found that we are prone to err. Please point out our mistakes so that we can publish corrections in subsequent issues. It is certainly not our purpose to mislead any reader in the slightest.

If you are reluctant to have your name, or information pertaining to you, appear in print you should advise us. Copies of the newsletter will be made available to various societies and columnists. The Library of Congress has also requested that we furnish copies for their gift and exchange section files.

Lodwick and his family havetaken such more than their share of this issue. We will normally not devote more than about four pages to any one person or family. An exception needed to be made this time.

Beginning in the next issue and continuing in subsequent issues will be a section on Alford census. We will tell and show you more about it in the next issue.

Included in this issue is a lineage table, to the extent data was available, on all of the ALFS. In each future issue we will include this information on the new ALFS in the Alford Exchange.

In each issue as part of the Alford Exchange we will give the address of new ALFS. We will discontinue the directory as such and will publish separately an annual directory that gives the name, address, and lineage of all the ALFS. We will announce its availability and price when they are ready.

In each future issue we will publish at least one page of data from our basic data file. It was not included in this issue because of Lodwick.

We still want to emphasize our early ancestors, 1700's and before, in a future issue. We would like for you to send us as such information as you can on any and all Alford's of that period. We will not include this in the next couple of issues as we are awaiting receipt of a special listing we hope will be useful. We may find it worthwhile to establish "Early Ancestors" as a section in each issue.

Each issue will include one or more family charts like those used with Lodwick in this issue. If you have any special branch of the family you would like to see charted, let us hear from you.

One of our contacts in another line has requested that we include more information about computers/computing in our newsletter. We will have a page "Computing Cousins" which will relate to those with computers in all our lines/newsletters. If you have a computer please send us information on the hardware and software you have and how you use it for genealogy.

For our effort to be successful, we need to be in contact with as many ALFS as possible and to collect as much data as we can on Alford's. If you know of others who are interested in Alford family history and genealogy tell them about us, or better yet, tell us about them. We contact every potential ALF which you mention to us.

We have been surprised and disappointed about the absence of books on Alford history. Sure, there are books that include a page or two, or maybe a chapter on Alford, but where are those devoted entirely to the family. We have found them in our other lines, some of which are not nearly as popular as Alford. If you know of publications, partially or exclusively devoted to Alford history please tell us about them, and if possible give us a source from which to buy the book, borrow it, or have it copied.

**THIS IS YOUR PUBLICATION** It is written just for you and you are paying for it. So, tell us what you would like to see in future issues.

**PHOTO ON COVER** Was taken by Elizabeth Alford Williams in 1981. It is the Ashpole Presbyterian Church near Rowland, North Carolina.