

**Known Descendants of
Edward S. Alford & Jane Tolle
of Ireland**

This is a draft version of a work in progress. It is little more than a fragment, but all we have at present. It is very incomplete, probably has error and maybe some embedded working notes. Please treat it accordingly and if you can help with additions or corrections please contact us. The fifth generation was removed to protect the privacy of the living. For contacts see www.alfordassociation.org/contact.html

1. **Edward S. Alford** #6247 b. about 1820, Londonderry, Ireland, occupation Carpenter, m. Sep 18 1835, in New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, **Jane Tolle** #6248, b. about 1820, Galway, Ireland. Segments of this branch of the family can be found in Jefferson Parish, LA in every census from 1840-1920. Most of the information about these Alfords came from Warren H. Alford, son of Henry Warren Alford, and the Federal Censuses - unless otherwise specified. The name was frequently spelled "Alfred."

Jane: AAFA has a copy of the marriage certificate.

Children:

- + 2. i **John Alford** #6249 b. Sep 1836.
- + 3. ii **James E. Alford** #6250 b. Nov 1840.
4. iii **Timothy Alford** #6251 b. about 1843, Jefferson Parish, LA.
5. iv **Edward Alford** #6252 b. about 1845, Jefferson Parish, LA.
6. v **Kate Alford** #6307 b. about 1849, Louisiana.
- + 7. vi **Jane Alford** #6253 b. about 1851.
8. vii **Willie Alford** #6308 b. about 1851, Louisiana.

Second Generation

2. **John Alford** #6249 (1.Edward¹) b. Sep 1836, Jefferson Parish, LA, occupation Blacksmith, m. **Mary Doyle** #6255, b. about 1846, Ireland. John died Dec 21 1904, Jefferson Parish, LA, buried: Hook & Ladder Cem., Jefferson Parish, LA.

Children:

- + 9. i **Judith Jane Alford** #6256 b. Apr 1867.
10. ii **Theresa Alford** #6257 b. Oct 1868, Jefferson Parish, LA, d. Aug 23 1939. In 1910 and 1920 Theresa was enumerated with her sister and husband who lived at 426 Amelia Street, Gretna, LA.
11. iii **Edward T. Alford** #6258 b. Nov 1870, Jefferson Parish, LA, d. Mar 19 1905.

3. **James E. Alford** #6250 (1.Edward¹) b. Nov 1840, Jefferson Parish, LA, occupation Engineer, m. **Emma Watson** #6260, b. Nov 1853, Louisiana, (daughter of William Watson #6295 and Lucy Wild #6296). James died 1912. This family was living at 119 Jefferson Street, Gretna, LA in 1920.

Children:

- + 12. i **Adelle Alford** #6261 b. about 1873.
13. ii **Emma Alford** #6262 b. Jul 1875, Jefferson Parish, LA, d. Oct 8 1947. Emma never married. See her obit.
- + 14. iii **Jennie Alford** #6263 b. 1878.
15. iv **James Alford** #6264 b. Feb 1880, Jefferson Parish, LA, d. May 3 1957. James never married. He had a middle initial of E. or J.

- 16. v **Georgiana Alford** #6265 b. Feb 1882, Jefferson Parish, LA. Georgiana never married.
- + 17. vi **William Alford** #6266 b. about 1887.
- + 18. vii **Henry Warren Alford** #6267 b. Jul 1893.
- + 19. viii **Virgil S. Alford** #6268 b. Jun 1897.

7. **Jane Alford** #6253 (1.Edward¹) b. about 1851, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. **August Clerce** #6254.

Children:

- + 20. i **Henry S. Clerce** #6297 b. 1875.
- 21. ii **Virginia Clerce** #6306 b. 1877.

Third Generation

9. **Judith Jane Alford** #6256 (2.John², 1.Edward¹) b. Apr 1867, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. Jun 3 1894, in Jefferson Parish, LA, **Charles Milton Hardie** #6259, b. Nov 23 1861, Alton, Madison Co. IL, (son of Edwards Hardie #6453 and Sarah Jane _____ #6454) d. Jan 20 1941, New Orleans, Jefferson Parish, LA. Judith died Aug 11 1942, East Feliciana Parish, LA.

Charles: Information on his descendants came via email from someone had found the data in a Hardy Genealogy in a DAR book.

Children:

- + 22. i **Charles Alford Hardie** #6455 b. Feb 14 1895.
- + 23. ii **Laura Judith Hardie** #10882.

12. **Adelle Alford** #6261 (3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. about 1873, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. _____ **Buford** #6269.

Children:

- 24. i **Burnedette Buford** #6294 b. 1902.
- 25. ii **Harry "Bud" Buford** #6292 b. 1904.
- 26. iii **Lucy Buford** #6293 b. 1909.

14. **Jennie Alford** #6263 (3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. 1878, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. May 25 1896, in Jefferson Parish, LA, **Robert P. Barksdale** #6270.

Children:

- + 27. i **Jenny Lee Barksdale** #6289.

17. **William Alford** #6266 (3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. about 1887, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. **Not Named** #6274.

Children:

- 28. i **William James Alford** #6275.
- 29. ii **Georgia Alford** #6276.

18. **Henry Warren Alford** #6267 (3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. Jul 1893, m. **Abbie Landry** #6271, b. Dec 8 1898, d. Dec 24 1983, Gretna, Jefferson Co., LA. Henry died about 1980. They were living at 615 Second Street, Gretna, LA in 1920. It is probably him who is shown in Social Security decedent data as born Jul 7 1891 and died Jan 1978 in Gretna, Jefferson Parish.

Abbie: Social Security decedent data says died Dec 1982.

Children:

- + 30. i **Warren H. Alford** #6272 b. Nov 19 1917.
- + 31. ii **Wester A. Alford** #6273 b. 1922.

19. **Virgil S. Alford** #6268 (3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. Jun 1897, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. **Stella Zatarain** #6277.

Children:

- + 32. i **Virgil S. "Seaweed" Alford, Jr.** #6278 b. about 1926.
- 33. ii **Audrey Alford** #6279 m. _____ **Gauthreaux** #6300.

20. **Henry S. Clerce** #6297 (7.Jane², 1.Edward¹) b. 1875, m. _____ **Hinderlang** #6298.

Children:

- 34. i **Cyril Clerce** #6299 b. estimate 1917, Louisiana.

Fourth Generation

22. **Charles Alford Hardie** #6455 (9.Judith³, 2.John², 1.Edward¹) b. Feb 14 1895, Hartley, Hartley Co., TX, m. (1) Jun 21 1916, in Tishomingo Co., MS, **Francis Rebecca McConvill** #6456, b. Sep 19 1887, Louisville, Jefferson Co., KY, (daughter of Charles McConvill #6457 and Louise Angel #6458) d. Mar 5 1942, Gretna, Jefferson Co., LA, m. (2) Jun 16 1957, in St. Paul, Ramsey Co., MN, **Augusta Gertrude Anderson** #6459, b. Oct 28 1905, Stillwater, Washington Co., MN, (daughter of August Anderson #6460 and Alvina Lueck #6461).

Children by Francis Rebecca McConvill:

- + 35. i **Judith Louise Hardie** #6462 b. Apr 8 1918.
- 36. ii **Charles McConvill Hardie** #6463 b. May 12 1929, New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, m. Jun 6 1953, **Marjorie Ann Monroe** #6468, (daughter of Joseph Percy Monroe #6469 and Velma Legendre #6470).

23. **Laura Judith Hardie** #10882 (9.Judith³, 2.John², 1.Edward¹) m. **James Clement McMahon** #10883, b. Aug 24 1897, West Newton, MA.

Children:

- + 37. i **Nell Mae McMahon** #10884.

27. **Jenny Lee Barksdale** #6289 (14.Jennie³, 3.James², 1.Edward¹) m. _____ **Mittlebum** #6290.

Children:

- 38. i **Ernest Mittlebum** #6291.

30. **Warren H. Alford** #6272 (18.Henry³, 3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. Nov 19 1917, Louisiana, m. **Rita Cantrelle** #6280, b. May 10 1921, (daughter of John Cantrelle #10079 and Alma _____ #10080) d. Sep 19 2008, buried: Metairie Cemetery. Warren died Mar 15 2000, Marrero, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana.

Rita: Rita was previously married to Argent J. Acosta, Jr. who was in the Army Air Corps in WW II.

Children:

- 39. i **Timothy C. Alford** #6281 b. estimate 1952.
- 40. ii **Warren H. Alford, Jr.** #6282 b. estimate 1955, m. Jul 8 1985, **Jessie Perrin** #6283. **Jessie:** dBase file shows married 1983

31. **Wester A. Alford** #6273 (18.Henry³, 3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. 1922, Jefferson Parish, LA, m. **Rita C. Winninger** #6284, b. Jefferson Parish, LA.

Children:

- 41. i **Wester Alford, Jr.** #6285.
 - 42. ii **Michael Alford** #6286.
 - 43. iii **Brian Alford** #6287.
 - 44. iv **Jeff Alford** #6288.
32. **Virgil S. "Seaweed" Alford, Jr.** #6278 (19.Virgil³, 3.James², 1.Edward¹) b. about 1926, Algiers, Orleans Parish, LA, m. **Marlene Stenger** #6301. Virgil died Nov 2 1997, buried: Westlawn Memorial Park. Much of the information about him and his descendants came from his obituary.
- Children:*
- + 45. i **Maria Alford** #6302.