

## Known Descendants of JOHN TURNER ALFORD

This is not the typical AAFA genealogy. These descendants of Job Alford are from a file created by John A. Rogers, AAFA #0544 who is the AAFA authority on Job Descendants. John has researched these folks to a greater degree than AAFA had researched most other Alfords. John also includes more information in his report than is found in a typical AAFA genealogy.

Nevertheless it is a work in progress and probably is not complete and with some error. Generations 5-7 have been removed to protect the privacy of most of the living. The work contains many names but the only ones listed in the index are those listed within the registry system.

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1. **John Turner Alford** #154 b. 18 Mar 1800, Wake County, North Carolina, (son of Job Alford #325 and Sarah Ann Turner? #326) m. **Elizabeth C. Moore** #155, b. 25 Jan 1807, Virginia, (daughter of Joel Moore #9405 and Sarah Cannant #9406) d. ABT. 1878, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, buried: ABT. 1878, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. John died 10 Dec 1871, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, buried: 12 Dec 1871, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. John Turner Alford was the progenitor of most of the Walton County, Florida (Darlington-Gaskin) Alfords. He along with at least one brother, Henry Miles Alford came to Coffee County, Alabama in the mid-1840s. Born near Bunn, North Carolina near Little Creek in Wake County, N.C. on March 18, 1800, he moved to Jones County, Georgia around 1817 with his parents. He spent his late teen years and early adulthood in Jones and Talbot Counties, Georgia, drawing land in the Georgia Land Lottery in Jones County in 1821, as well as in the newly created Monroe County. By 1823, like his father Job, John Turner had moved to Monroe County, Georgia (cut into current Upson County in 1824) and settled 4 miles northeast of The Rock, Georgia, in the Redbone District (Land District 10 - LL33). His brothers, father, and brother-in-law, William Owens settled in the same area. On January 21, 1826, John Turner sold 62 acres of land in Land District 10 (LL33) to Britton King for \$200.00. Ten days later he sold 140 acres to William Candler for \$700.00. On August 31, 1826 he married Elizabeth C. Moore (1/25/1807-abt 1878 / b. Lunenburg County, Virginia), probable daughter of Joel Moore and Sarah Cannant Moore of Upson County, Georgia, in Upson County, with Joshua Sturges as the Justice of the Peace. In 1828 John Turner moved southeast of Thomaston to the Black Ankle District (494) where he he was on the tax list. In 1829 he moved across the Flint River with his new wife to the Dupree's District of Talbot County (Daviston area - current Taylor County) from Upson County, Georgia where he showed on the 1830 Talbot County census. John Turner moved from Talbot County to Harris County (where he drew land in 1832 Land Lottery), Georgia around 1833 and was listed there in the 1840 census (listed with 4 sons and 3 daughters). Three of the four sons would have been, Francis Marion Alford, James Columbus Alford, and Reuben F. Alford. The fourth son is unaccounted for (could have been born and died young). In 1840, John Turner's brother, William Henry Alford, lived four houses away, and his father-in-law, Joel Moore, lived two houses away. His sister, Phada, and her husband, Thomas H. Moore, lived next door. Around 1845, John Turner started his trek to South Alabama and, later, Florida. While living in Harris County, it appears John Turner had thoughts about someday moving to Alabama. On April 5, 1837 he bought 40 acres (Range 28E, Township 20N, Section 36) in Lee County, Alabama, just across the Choctawhatchie River from Harris County, and On August 5, 1837 he bought 79 acres (Range 23E, Township 19N, Section 7) in Tallapoosa County, Alabama, just west of Lee County. There is no evidence that he ever lived on this land, as he was still in Harris County in 1840. His son, John Francis Alford, was born in 1842 in Harris County. John Turner arrived in Coffee County, Alabama around 1845 in the Coffee Springs area. In 1850 John Turner and family showed in Coffee County north of Coffee Springs. His closest neighbors were Martha Mayo and George Barlier. He apparently rented at first, as there is no record of him buying land in Coffee County until November 1, 1858, when he bought 200 acres (Range 21E, Township 3N, Section 28) about 5 miles northeast of Coffee Springs, and 10 miles south of the small village of Damascus. His home was Dwelling 145 on the Coffee

County census. The home site was very close to where Coffee County Road 661 crosses Double Bridges Creek just inside current Coffee County. This area was later referred to as Centerville in the 1880 census. John Turner's daughter lived next door to him with her husband Isaac Weeks. In 1860 John Turner's brother-in-law, his wife's brother, John W. Moore, lived two houses away in Dwelling 147. Other neighbors included William Wood and William Gilbert. John Turner's old property is close to the Geneva County line. He lived there until around 1863 (showing in the 1850 and 1860 Coffee County census), when he moved to about 4 miles south of Coffee Springs, Alabama (current Geneva County) in the so-called 5 points area. He had sold his land in Coffee County in April 1863 to James Jones for \$1000 dollars. His new "Five Points" home was off of current Geneva County Road 65 one mile north of Eden Baptist Church. John Turner lived here a couple of years until 1865, when he moved to what is now Samson, Alabama right across from the current National Guard Armory. He was a member of the Piney Grove Baptist Church. At this time, Samson was still in Coffee County, as Geneva County was not formed until 1868. Here he stayed for about two years before moving in 1867 to the Darlington area in Walton County, Florida, just over the state line. He presented a letter of transfer from Piney Grove to Limestone Baptist Church. John Turner's son, Francis Marion Alford had been the first of the Alfords to arrive in Walton County, in 1854, after a brief stay in Holmes County in 1853. John Turner, a member of Limestone Baptist Church, was listed in the 1870 Walton County, Florida census (Limestone Precinct). "Turner", referred to by friends as a "ball of grit" denoting a fighting spirit, was supposedly buried in a pasture near Limestone Baptist Church to where "the calves could jump and play over his body." Others say he was buried in Limestone Cemetery, but his grave is unmarked. The legend of the pasture was told to this author by his great grandson Jeremiah Alford (now deceased). Many Alfords were members of the Limestone Baptist Church, founded by John Turner's nephew, William Henry Alford, its first pastor. John Turner Alford died on December 11, 1871 in Walton County (Limestone) of, most likely, pneumonia. The Reverend Miles Osborne, minister of the Piney Grove Church, presided over the funeral, according to Limestone Church minutes. John Turner's grandson, Francis Marion Tadlock, was also buried at the same time. His wife had passed away around 1878, according to the old Alfords. All dates and birthplaces of John Turner's children come from the old John Francis Alford bible, as hand-written by his wife, Bethana Spears, Alford.

*Children:*

- + 2. i **Francis Marion Alford, Sr.** #72 b. 2 Jul 1827.
- + 3. ii **James Columbus Alford** #156 b. 26 Jan 1830.
- + 4. iii **Sarah Ann "Sally" Alford** #157 b. 8 Oct 1833.
- 5. iv **Mary R. Alford** #158 b. 3 Sep 1835, Harris County, Georgia, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #1600.  
Mary died Texas, buried: Unknown.
- 6. v **Reuben F. Alford** #159 b. 21 Mar 1838, Harris County, Georgia, m. **Never Married** #976.  
Reuben died ABT. 1845, Coffee County, Alabama, buried: ABT. 1845, Coffee County, Alabama. ) Reuben F. Alford, son of John Turner, was born March 21, 1838 in Harris County, Ga. He moved to Coffee County, Al. in 1845 with his parents. He died before 1850 and never married. Nothing more is known of him.
- + 7. vi **Susan Catherine Alford** #160 b. 6 Jan 1840.
- + 8. vii **John Francis Alford** #161 b. 5 Apr 1842.
- + 9. viii **Jane P.D. Alford** #162 b. 28 Oct 1844.
- 10. ix **Nancy C. Alford** #163 b. 2 Apr 1846, Coffee County, Al. (now Geneva), m. **Reubin Renfroe** #6959, b. 1843, Coffee County, Alabama (now Geneva), (son of William Renfroe #7168 and Nancy ??? #7169) d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Nancy died BEF. 1873, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 11. x **Rebecca L. Alford** #164 b. 8 Jan 1851.

2. **Francis Marion Alford, Sr.** #72 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 2 Jul 1827, The Rock (Upson County), Georgia, m. **Nancy Gainey** #73, b. 1831, Emanuel County, Georgia, (daughter of William C. Lisenbee Gainey #165 and Mary ? #166) d. ABT. 1908, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, buried: ABT. 1908, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. Francis died 1 Mar 1891, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1891, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. (34) Francis Marion Alford, Sr., my gr. gr. grandfather, was John Turner Alford's oldest son. He was born in Upson County, Georgia on July 2, 1827. He moved with his parents to the Coffee Springs area of Coffee County, Alabama in 1845. There, in 1849 he married Nancy Ann Elizabeth Gainey (1831-1908), daughter of William Lisenby Gainey and Mary Riley, who was born in Emanuel County, Georgia (near Swainsboro). In 1850 Francis Marion lived in Coffee County, Alabama near Coffee Springs, where he had 25 acres of land under cultivation. In 1853 he moved to the extreme northwest corner of Holmes County, Florida, about 11 miles south of Samson, where he lived for one year. It is thought that he was trying to find a permanent place for his mill operations and walked Limestone Creek into Walton County, where he settled in what is known today as Limestone in 1854. In 1858 he purchased land near Oak Grove Baptist Church, two miles west of Darlington, Florida. This area became known as Alford's Mill, Florida, but was renamed in the late 1870s to Limestone. In 1860 Francis Marion was listed on the Walton County census as literate and with the occupation of miller. Next door lived his wife's father, William Gainey (born William Lisenby). On the other side of him, lived his brother-in-law, Silas Lisenby Gainey. Living with his family in 1860 was his wife's sister, Edith Gainey, with whom it is pretty certain he had several children (Luther J. Gainey, Frank Gainey, Buck Gainey, Amos Gainey, and John D. Gainey). The importance of his milling operation was such that he was exempted from service in the CSA during the Civil War. It is said that he kept many families in the area fed during the war. Francis Marion took in several Civil War orphans, as well as one child, Thomas Franklin Sheffield, whose parents, Reuben and Elizabeth Sheffield (his neighbors in 1860), were killed by Indians in 1863. It was said of Francis Marion, "that surely all the good he has done will surely outweigh the bad." On July 13, 1867 Francis Marion built a gristmill, cotton gin, and rice machine on the creek near Oak Grove Baptist Church. In 1877 he served as postmaster of the Alford's Mill Post Office. In July 1879, Francis Marion received a federal land grant in Walton County. On December 21, 1881 he sold his land and milling operation to Allison Ramsey. Walton County records list Francis Marion as a county commissioner in 1887. He was a long time member and deacon in the Limestone Baptist Church. Francis Marion Alford, Sr., "Big Marion", died March 1, 1891 (obituary in the Geneva Record) in Walton County, Florida. As a longtime Mason, he was buried with full Masonic rights, accorded by the Geneva Lodge #129. The masons were there in full regalia. The crowd of mourners was so large, most of them had to stand outside. The eulogy was given by the Reverend Thomas H. Jones, pastor of the nearby Darlington Methodist Church. The funeral service was given at Limestone Baptist Church, with the burial a short walk away at the Limestone community cemetery. The Geneva Record stated that "Mr. Alford was a well known and muchly respected gentlemen and one of the oldest settlers in the county, and a mason of high standing. His hospitality and generosity were proverbial, and his death universally regretted." After his death, his wife, Nancy, filed for, and was granted, homestead status on November 5, 1895. In 1897, Nancy sold her land and house to her son, Francis Marion Alford, Jr., and lived out the rest of her life with his family. In 1900 she was living with her son, Francis Marion Alford, Jr. in Walton County. Nancy Gainey Alford died about 1908, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. It is said that Nancy was ½ Cherokee Indian, but this is not proven.

*Children:*

- + 12. i **Mary B. Alford** #148 b. 1851.
- + 13. ii **Susan Catherine Alford** #149 b. 29 Jan 1854.
- 14. iii **Donna Jane Alford** #150 b. MAR 1855, Unknown, m. **James Brink Alford** #900, b. JUN 1851, Coffee County, Alabama, (son of Henry Miles Alford #332 and Mary Boyington #895) d. 3 Oct 1918, Holt (Okaloosa County), Florida, buried: 1918, Old Holt Cemetery in Holt, Florida. Donna died ABT. 1913, Walton County, Florida, buried: ABT. 1913, Old Holt Cemetery in Holt, Florida.

**James:** (65) James Brink Alford, son of Henry Miles Alford, was born in June 1851 in Washington County, Florida. After the death of his mother, his father moved the family back to Coffee County, Alabama. As a child in Coffee County his older sister, Sarah Ann Alford Weeks and her husband, Jackson Weeks, raised him. He was living with this family in 1860 (federal census). In 1866, as a teenager, he moved with his father and step-mother, Martha Crews Alford, to western Walton County, Florida (current Okaloosa). He was shown with his parents on the 1870 Walton County (current Okaloosa) census. Brink moved to the Town of Holt, Florida (current Okaloosa County) in the mid 1870s. In about 1879, he married his first wife, Arlena J. ? (1848-abt 1890). He had only one child by her, in 1880. In 1880 (federal census), the couple was still shown living in Holt. Brink's sister, Martha Jane was living with them at this time. In 1885, they were on the State Census, still in Holt (then Santa Rosa County). Apparently, Arlena died about 1890. In 1893 Brink married a cousin of his, Donna Jane Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, Sr., (March 1855-abt 1913) in Geneva County, Alabama. Brink, a known moonshiner, was arrested in 1897 in Santa Rosa County, and sent to prison for "breaking and entering". He served as an inmate at the Florida State Prison at High Springs in Alachua County, Florida from March 27, 1897 to March 27, 1901, four years of a 6 year sentence. Brink's younger brothers, George "Sug" and Thomas Miles Alford, were also apparently involved, as they served lesser sentences for "Breaking and Entering." Brink's wife, Donna Jane, was living in Holt, Florida in Santa Rosa County (current Okaloosa County). After his release, he was reunited with his family, and in 1910, he was shown living in Santa Rosa County, Florida with his wife and daughter. Brink died on October 3, 1918 (death certificate) at home in Okaloosa County. Brink was buried in the old Holt Cemetery in Holt, Florida (Okaloosa County). Nothing further is known of them.

15. iv **James Alford** #151 b. 1859, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Never Married** #218. James died 1864, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1864, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.
- + 16. v **Francis Marion Alford, Jr.** #1 b. 17 Nov 1865.
17. vi **Murdock L. Alford** #152 b. JAN 1870, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Never Married** #219. Murdock died ABT. 1875, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: ABT. 1875, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.
- + 18. vii **Neomie Fronie Alford** #153 b. 17 Sep 1874.
3. **James Columbus Alford** #156 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 26 Jan 1830, Talbot County, Georgia, m. (1) **Nancy Harrison** #628, b. 1830, Geneva County, Alabama, (daughter of Thomas Harrison #9081 and Mary ?? #9082) d. 1893, Alaqua (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1893, Unknown, m. (2) **Polly Gainey** #11111, b. DEC 1853, Walton Co., Florida, (daughter of William C. Lisenbee Gainey #165 and Mary ? #166) d. Unknown, buried: 1928, Unknown. James died 1897, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1897, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. James Columbus Alford, the 2nd child of John Turner and Elizabeth Alford was born in Talbot County, Georgia on January 26, 1830. He moved with his parents to Coffee County, Alabama (near Coffee Springs) from Harris County, Ga. around 1845. In 1850 he was listed along with his newly wedded wife, Nancy Harrison (1830-abt 1893) of Coffee County, living next door to his sister, Sarah Ann Alford Harrison and her husband John Harrison. Two houses away, lived his wife's parents, Thomas and Mary Harrison, natives of Georgia. In 1864 James Columbus was dismissed from the Coffee County militia due to partial blindness. A farmer by occupation, James Columbus, who was known by the nickname "C", continued to live in the Coffee Springs, Alabama area of Coffee County (listed on 1860 census in Coffee Co.), two houses away from his parents, Turner and Elizabeth Alford, until 1866, when he moved to the Darlington/Gaskin area of Walton County, Florida. He had sold his Coffee County land on October 13, 1865 to Mary Norwood for \$100 dollars. This placed him near his brother Francis Marion Alford. In 1870 (federal census), James lived two houses away from his brother, John Francis Alford, in the Darlington/Gaskin area of Walton County. In 1878 he was the clerk of Limestone Baptist Church,

near Darlington. The 1880 census shows James living next door to his son, William Turner Alford in Gaskin, Florida. Sometime around 1882 he moved his family south of DeFuniak Springs (Alaqua area) in Walton County. He is shown living in the Alaqua District on the 1885 Florida State census. He continued to live in this settlement until around 1893, when Nancy died. He then returned to Darlington, after the death of his wife to be near his relatives. In 1894 James married Polly Gainey (12/1853-8/1928) in Walton County. James received a land patent from the United States in the Darlington area on April 27, 1896. James Columbus died in 1897, as that year Walton County records show that that year, his heirs (including wife Polly), sold his land to his son, James Thomas Alford. In 1900 Polly was listed as a widow.

*Children by Nancy Harrison:*

- 19. i **Mary A. Alford** #629 b. 1851, Coffee County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7044. Mary died Walton County, Florida, buried: Unknown.
  - + 20. ii **William Turner Alford, Sr.** #630 b. 1852.
  - + 21. iii **Francis Marion "Buddy" Alford** #631 b. MAR 1853.
  - + 22. iv **James Thomas Alford** #632 b. FEB 1859.
  - + 23. v **John Daniel Alford** #633 b. 1 Jan 1862.
  - + 24. vi **Frances E. Alford** #634 b. APR 1865.
  - 25. vii **Reubin Francis Alford** #635 b. 1868, Geneva County, Al., m. **Nancy L. Edmonson** #7045, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Reubin died AFT. 1935, Mississippi ?, buried: AFT. 1935, Unknown. (103) Reuben Francis Alford, son of James Columbus Alford, was born in 1868 in Walton County, Florida. Named after his Uncle Reuben Francis Alford, who died as a child, Reuben grew up in Walton County, Florida. On January 1, 1894 Reuben married Nancy Edmonson Hanson (?-?) in Coffee County, Alabama. Not much is known of him, except, that it is rumored he went to Mississippi as a young adult and spent the rest of his life there. He died sometime after 1935
  - + 26. viii **Joseph Columbus Alford** #636 b. 5 May 1871.
  - + 27. ix **Martin Monroe Alford** #637 b. 5 Mar 1875.
- Children by Polly Gainey:*
- + 28. x **Lester Jay Alford** #11112 b. 26 Sep 1896.

- 4. **Sarah Ann "Sally" Alford** #157 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Oct 1833, Georgia, m. (1) **John Harrison** #9080, b. 1828, Geneva County, Alabama, (son of Thomas Harrison #9081 and Mary ?? #9082) d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **John Thomas Smith** #2288, b. 1 Feb 1833, Wilkes County, Ga., d. Rayle, Ga. Sarah died Unknown, buried: Unknown. ) Sarah Ann "Sally" Alford, John Turner's oldest daughter (10/8/1833-aft. 1850) was born in Harris County, Georgia, and if my supposition as to the name of John Turner's mother is correct, she was named after her grandmother, Sarah Ann Turner Alford. She moved to Coffee County, Alabama around 1845 with her parents. Here she met and married John Harrison (b. 1828) in 1850. John was the brother of Sarah's brother's (James Columbus Alford) wife, Nancy Harrison. The couple shows on the 1850 Coffee County census, living in Dwelling 341, next door to Sarah's brother, James Columbus, who lived in Dwelling 342. Five houses away in Dwelling 346 lived Sarah's brother Francis Marion Alford. Family legend has it, that Sarah Ann and her husband went to Texas after the Civil War. Nothing else is known of Sarah Ann.

*Children by John Thomas Smith:*

- 29. i **John Smith** #2289 b. 1867.
- + 30. ii **Reuben Eben Smith** #2290 b. 21 Sep 1869.
- 31. iii **Ann Smith** #2291 b. 1871.

- 7. **Susan Catherine Alford** #160 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 6 Jan 1840, Harris County, Georgia, m. (1) **Washington Perry Weeks** #11255, b. 24 Nov 1833, Coffee County, Alabama, d. 1865, Coffee County, Alabama, buried: 1865, Coffee County, Alabama, m. (2) **William Isaac Weeks** #2287, b. 1802, South Carolina,

(son of Benjamin Weeks #9005 and Jemima ? #9735) d. 1894, Coffee County, Alabama, buried: 1894, Coffee County, Alabama. Susan died 10 Mar 1902, Coffee Springs (Geneva County), Alabama, buried: 1902, Unknown. (39) Susan Catherine Alford, daughter of John Turner, was born on January 6, 1840 in Harris County, Ga. She moved as a child with her parents to near Coffee Springs, Alabama in Coffee County, Alabama. She married Washington Perry Weeks (11/24/1833-1865) around 1859 in Coffee County. In 1862, Washington Perry went off to fight in the Civil War. His wife, Susan, and his two small children, moved in with Washington's parents, William Isaac and Sarah Weeks. Washington developed smallpox and returned home around 1865. Both he and his mother died of smallpox shortly after his return. Sarah and "Wash" Weeks had been living in Coffee County, Alabama (near the small village of Amacus) in 1860, two houses away from John Turner and Elizabeth Alford, Susan's parents. Their house and land was near Double Bridges Creek. After the death of her first husband, Susan married her widowed father-in-law, William Isaac Weeks (1811-1894) on December 2, 1867 in Walton County, Florida. The 1880 census show the family living in the Centreville Post Office area. Isaac died on January 9, 1892 at Coffee Springs, Alabama., at the age of 81, and his property was put in Susan's name on November 28, 1894. The 1900 census for Coffee County (district listed as Grant) shows Susan as head-of-household. Susan died on March 10, 1902 at Coffee Springs, Alabama in Geneva County. Her children by Washington Perry Weeks were: Isaac Jack Weeks (12/12/1860-11/1924 / m. Mary Barnes), John Washington Weeks (11/24/1862-1862), and by Issac Weeks were: Amon Monroe "Boze" Weeks (5/6/1869-6/5/1946), Joseph Benjamin Weeks (9/20/1868-11/27/1931 / b. Florida), Mattie Gordon Weeks (7/20/1879-12/17/1949 / b. Coffee Co., Al), Lula L. Weeks (10/1885-unknown / b. Coffee County, Al.), Nettie P. Weeks (7/1886-unknown / b. Coffee County, Al.), and Oscar P. Weeks (6/1888-unknown / b. Coffee County, Al.).

*Children by Washington Perry Weeks:*

32. i **Isaac Jackson Weeks** #11256 b. 12 Dec 1860, Coffee County, Alabama, m. **Mary Barnes** #11258, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Isaac died NOV 1924, Unknown, buried: 1924, Unknown.
33. ii **John Washington Weeks** #11257 b. 24 Nov 1862, Coffee County, Alabama, m. **Never Married** #11259. John died 1862, Coffee County, Alabama, buried: 1862, Coffee County, Alabama.

*Children by William Isaac Weeks:)*

34. iii **Amon Monroe "Boze" Weeks** #11260 b. 6 May 1867, Coffee County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11261. Amon died 5 Jun 1946, Unknown, buried: 1946, Unknown.
  35. iv **Joseph Benjamin Weeks** #2286 b. 20 Sep 1868, Walton County, Florida (Darlington), m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9734. Joseph died 27 Nov 1931, Unknown, buried: 1931, Unknown.
  36. v **Mattie Gordon Weeks** #9730 b. 20 Jul 1879, Coffee County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11262. Mattie died 17 Dec 1949, Unknown, buried: 1949, Unknown.
  37. vi **Lula L. Weeks** #9731 b. OCT 1885, Coffee County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11263. Lula died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
  38. vii **Nettie P. Weeks** #9732 b. JUL 1886, Coffee County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11264. Nettie died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
  39. viii **Oscar P. Weeks** #9733 b. JUN 1888, Unknown, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11265. Oscar died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
8. **John Francis Alford** #161 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 5 Apr 1842, Harris County, Georgia, m. **Bethana Spears** #277, b. 28 Nov 1843, Holmes County, Florida, (daughter of Bryant M. Spears #8022 and Annie Cowart #644) d. 7 Feb 1910, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 7 Feb 1910, Spears Burial Ground (Holmes Co, Fla). John died 22 Oct 1905, Mossy Head (Walton County), Florida, buried: 24 Oct 1905, Spears Burial Ground (Holmes Co, Fla). (40) John Francis Alford, the 5th son of John Turner Alford, was born April 5, 1842 in Harris County, Georgia. He moved to Coffee County, Alabama in 1845 with his parents. John Francis was 6'2" tall, had dark hair and blue eyes. He was living in Coffee County, Alabama, near Coffee

Springs, in 1860, a farmer by occupation. In 1862 John Francis joined the 53rd Alabama Cavalry at Montgomery. That same year he contracted measles at Montgomery and was sent to the hospital in Selma, Alabama for two weeks. He then joined his unit at Huntsville, Alabama. While there he contracted chronic diahrea, which he suffered with the rest of his life. John Francis was captured by Union troops in 1864. He was paroled March 13, 1865 at Montgomery and transported to Greenville, Alabama, where he was released. John Francis married Bethana Spears (11/28/1843-2/7/1910) on March 30, 1865 in Geneva County. His parole described him as being 6 feet tall, and having dark hair and blue eyes. After marriage, he moved his family to the Darlington/Gaskin area of Walton County, Florida in late 1866, to join his parents and brothers. He bought land there and farmed. John Francis was a literate man, and lived the rest of his life in the Darlington, Florida area. Between 1879 and 1903 he served as a deacon at Limestone Baptist Church in Darlington, and was the church clerk from 1879 to 1889, taking over from his older brother, James Columbus Alford, who was becoming almost blind. Many of those same years, he was also the church clerk at the smaller Macedonia Church, near Limestone. In 1885 (State Census) John Francis was living at Limestone, three houses away from his brother, Francis Marion Alford, Sr. In March 1893, he received a federal land grant in the Limestone area of Walton County. In 1899, John Francis sold land to his son, Charles Union Alford, to set up his on household. On March 6, 1901, he applied for a Confederate pension at De Funiak Springs. In about 1904, John Francis and his wife moved to Mossey Head, Florida to live with their son, Charles Union Alford, who had moved there in about 1903. Charles's home was just south of town near where I-10 intersects with Highway 279. The story goes that John Francis rode a cart into town one day to get some groceries and it started raining on his way back. He subsequently caught pneumonia and died on October 22, 1905 near Mossy Head in Walton County. He is buried in the "Old Spears Burial Ground" (also known as Stephen's Ferry Cemetery) on the banks of the Pea River near where State Road 81 crosses the river. In 2004, John Francis's great grandson, William Alexander Alford, had his body removed to Limestone Cemetery, near Darlington. John Francis's wife, Bethana, remained with their son, Reverend Charles Union Alford, where she lived until her death. Bethana applied for a Confederate widow's pension on August 18, 1909. She died on February 7, 1910 in Walton County. She was buried next to her husband.

*Children:*

40. i **James Daniel Alford** #278 b. 12 Jan 1866, Coffee Springs (Coffee County), Alabama, m. **Never Married** #286. James died 1888, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1888, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. . (107) James Daniel Alford, oldest son of John Francis, was born on January 12, 1866 in Coffee County, Alabama. He moved to Walton County, Florida with his parents as an infant. James Daniel was shown on the 1885 Florida State Census for Walton County. He was quite a good poet, and some of his old poetry, dated April 1886, is still in my possession. He died as a young man in Walton County in 1888. The story goes that he was teaching at a nearby school, came home and went to work in the fields with his brothers, and died in the field with heat prostration.
- + 41. ii **Francis Marion Alford** #280 b. 6 Sep 1867.
- + 42. iii **John Turner "Bully" Alford** #281 b. 20 Oct 1870.
- + 43. iv **William David "Shug" Alford** #282 b. 4 Nov 1872.
44. v **Jesse T. Alford** #283 b. 14 Jan 1875, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #311. Jesse died ABT. 1883, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, buried: ABT. 1883, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.
- + 45. vi **Charles Union Alford** #284 b. 13 Mar 1877.
46. vii **Robert Tobias "Asa" Alford** #285 b. 27 Apr 1883, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #7055. Robert died DEC 1918, Chattahoochie (Gadsden County), Florida, buried: 1918, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (113) Asa Robert "Tobe" Alford, youngest child of John Francis Alford, was born April 27, 1883 in Walton County, Florida, near Gaskin. Asa grew up to be a really large man, according to the old Alfords. For some unknown reason in 1885 (State Census), he was living with A. Ramsay and his wife, Annie.

This couple lived next door to his parents. On September 12, 1918 "Asa" registered for the draft in Gadsden County, Florida. As a young man, he got into a skirmish with another teenager, who hit him in the head with a fence post. This did brain damage, and he wound up being committed to the mental hospital in Chattahoochee, Florida. "Asa" died, unmarried, around December 1918 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Nothing more is known of him.

9. **Jane P.D. Alford** #162 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 28 Oct 1844, Harris County, Georgia, m. **Benjamin Franklin Tadlock** #978, b. 13 Oct 1836, Randolph County, Alabama, d. 29 Jan 1911, Broward County, Fla., buried: 31 Jan 1911, New Hope Cemetery (Holmes County). Jane died 31 Jan 1911, Broward County, Florida, buried: 1911, New Hope Cemetery in northern, Fla. (41) Jane P.D. Alford, daughter of John Turner Alford, was born October 28, 1844 in Harris County, Georgia, and moved as an infant to Geneva County, Alabama with her parents in 1845. She married Benjamin Tadlock (10/16/1836-1/27/1911 b. Randolph Co., Al.) in 1866 in Coffee County, Alabama. That year the couple moved to the Limestone area of Walton County as documented by the 1867 Voter's List. By 1870 they were again living in Geneva County, near the Holmes County, Florida line (census). The family obviously moved in to Walton County, Florida around 1871, as all children born in the early 1870s are reported to have been born there. By 1878, the family was living in Holmes County. By 1885 (State Census) Jane and family had moved to the Sandy Creek area of Holmes County, and were living next door to her cousin Alice Booney Alford Smith and her husband, Daniel Smith. By 1900, he family was living in the New Hope area (also known as the Webb Mill District) of northern Holmes County, Florida. Their house stood near the intersection Of Highway 81 and Florida State Road 2. Jane died on January 30, 1911 in Broward County, Florida, three days after her husband. Both are buried in New Hope Cemetery in northern Holmes County, Florida. Children were: Glory Tadlock (1867-?), James Charles Tadlock (1/26/1868-3/17/1915 / b. Geneva Co. / m. Helen R. Pierce / d. Gadsden Co., Fla), Francis Marion Tadlock (10/10/1871-12/11/1871), John Francis Tadlock (1/14/1875-8/10/1953 / m. Eliza LaDonia Pittman), Thomas Davison Tadlock (3/2//1878-4/6/1951 / b. Holmes Co. / m. Annie D. Motley / d. Wakulla Co., Fla), Sarah Catherine Tadlock (2/7/1881-2/17/1966) (m. William Samuel Jones), William Jonah Tadlock (2/22/1884-2/25/1970) / m. Mary Cobb 4/15/1906, Helen Rebecca Tadlock, and Harley P.Tadlock (1/1/1889-12/4/1955).

*Children:*

47. i **Glory Tadlock** #979 b. 1867, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #8941. Glory died BEF. 1880, Unknown, buried: BEF. 1880, Unknown.
- + 48. ii **James Charles Tadlock** #980 b. 26 Jan 1868.
49. iii **Francis Marion Tadlock** #1602 b. 10 Oct 1871, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #1603. Francis died 10 Dec 1871, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1871, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Francis Marion Tadlock died the same day as his grandfather, John Turner Alford. They had a joint funeral and were both buried at Limestone Cemetery.
50. iv **John Francis Tadlock** #1606 b. 14 Jan 1875, Holmes County, Florida, m. **Eliza LaDonia Pittman** #1607, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. John died 10 Aug 1953, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
51. v **Thomas Davison Tadlock** #1604 b. 2 Mar 1878, Holmes County, Florida, m. **Annie D. Motley** #1605, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Thomas died 6 Apr 1951, Wakulla County, Florida, buried: 1951, Unknown.
- + 52. vi **Sarah Catherine Tadlock** #1608 b. 7 Feb 1881.
53. vii **William Jonah Tadlock** #1610 b. 22 Feb 1884, Holmes County, Florida, m. **Mary Cobb** #1611, b. 26 Feb 1888, Unknown, d. 29 Aug 1970, Holmes County, Fla., buried: 1970, Unknown. William died 25 Feb 1970, Unknown, buried: 1970, Unknown.
54. viii **Harley P. Tadlock** #1612 b. 1 Jan 1889, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #1613. Harley died 4 Dec 1955, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
55. ix **Helen Rebecca Tadlock** #8642 b. Unknown, m. **William H. Pierce** #8643, b. Unknown, d.



Unknown, buried: Unknown. Helen died Unknown, buried: Unknown.

11. **Rebecca L. Alford** #164 (1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Jan 1851, Geneva County, Alabama, m. **Luther Franklin Gainey, Sr.** #238, b. NOV 1855, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), (son of Not Married #237 and Edith Mary Gainey #170) d. 8 Aug 1933, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1933, Magnolia Cemetery in DeFuniak, Florida. Rebecca died 16 Jun 1916, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1916, Magnolia Cemetery in DeFuniak, Florida. (43) Rebecca S. Alford, last child of John Turner, was born January 8, 1851 in Geneva County, Alabama. In 1870 she was living with her parents in Walton County, Florida in the Limestone area, near Darlington. In 1874 she married Luther Franklin Gainey (7/15/1853-8/8/1933), reportedly her nephew, in Geneva County, Alabama. In 1879, the family moved to Walton County, Florida. The 1880 census shows the young family living in the Limestone area of Walton County, next door to Rebecca's brother, Francis Marion Alford. In 1895, Luther and Rebecca sold land in De Funiak Springs to Michael King. In 1900, they bought land from Francis E. Gainey in Freeport, and were living there in south Walton County, Florida (1900 census), where her husband worked in a delivery stable. In 1905, they sold their home and land in Freeport to E.H. Miller, and returned to De Funiak Springs. In 1908 Rebecca and Luther bought Lot 973 in De Funiak Springs from Lee and Mary Gainey. They soon sold it to John Wade. In 1910 the family was in De Funiak Springs, where Luther worked as a logger. Rebecca died on June 16, 1916 in De Funiak Springs, and is buried in the Magnolia Cemetery next to he husband, Luther. By 1920 Luther was shown living back in the Limestone area of Walton County with, what appears to be a second wife, Janie Mitchell, on the 1920 Federal census. Luther died on August 8, 1933. Rebecca and Luther's children were: James Madison Gainey (10/14/1879-2/1965), James Monroe Gainey (1/1880-2/26/1965 - died Bonifay, Fla.), Lee Washington Gainey (2/8/1882-4/1/1947 / m. Mary Mize / died Jacksonville, Fla.), Hugh D. Gainey (10/1884-?), Luther Franklin Gainey (9/7/1891-7/1969).

*Children:*

56. i **James Monroe Gainey** #247 b. 14 Oct 1879, Walton County, Fla., m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12745. James died FEB 1965, Holmes County, Florida, buried: 1965, Unknown.
- + 57. ii **Lee Washington Gainey** #248 b. 8 Feb 1882.
58. iii **Hugh D. Gainey** #249 b. 22 Oct 1888, Geneva County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12751. Hugh died 3 Aug 1964, Unknown, buried: 1964, Unknown.
59. iv **Luther Franklin Gainey, Jr.** #250 b. 7 Sep 1891, Geneva County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12752. Luther died JUL 1969, Unknown, buried: 1969, Unknown.

Third Generation

12. **Mary B. Alford** #148 (2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1851, Geneva County, Alabama, m. **Frank Ward Bell** #174, b. AUG 1844, Coffee County, Alabama, d. AFT. 1895, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1895, Unknown. Mary died 1937, Argyle, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1937, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida.

*Children:*

- + 60. i **Mary Bell** #175 b. 1872.
- + 61. ii **Catherine Bell** #176 b. 1874.
62. iii **Robert Bell** #177 b. 1876, Walton County, Florida, m. **Mattie Delock** #8897, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Robert died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
63. iv **James Bell** #178 b. 1878, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12601. James died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
64. v **Charles Bell** #179 b. OCT 1882, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12602. Charles died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
65. vi **Thaddeus Bell** #180 b. 23 Mar 1885, Walton County, Florida, m. **Katherine Gallagher** #335, b. 18 Jan 1905, Unknown, d. 15 Mar 1972, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1972, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida. Thaddeus died 24 Oct 1955, Walton County,

Florida, buried: 1955, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida.

- + 66. vii **Nannie Bell** #181 b. DEC 1889.
- + 67. viii **Mattie Bell** #182 b. 11 Aug 1892.
- 68. ix **Merdic Bell** #183 b. Unknown, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12603. Merdic died Unknown, buried: Unknown.

13. **Susan Catherine Alford** #149 (2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 29 Jan 1854, Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **Hosea Thomas Holley** #8560, b. 26 Jun 1852, Unknown, d. 6 Nov 1880, Covington County, Alabama, buried: 1880, Unknown, m. (2) **John Henry Powell** #210, b. 24 Dec 1861, Unknown, d. 16 Aug 1930, Kinston, Alabama, buried: 1930, Kinston Cemetery in Kinston, Alabama. Susan died 7 Feb 1951, Kinston, Alabama, buried: 1951, Kinston Cemetery in Kinston, Alabama.

*Children by Hosea Thomas Holley:*

- 69. i **Marion Thomas Holley** #8572 b. 8 Oct 1874, Unknown, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12595. Marion died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
  - + 70. ii **Mary Alabama Holley** #8574 b. 23 Jan 1880.
  - 71. iii **Nancy E. Holley** #8573 b. 1876, Unknown, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12596. Nancy died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- Children by John Henry Powell:)*
- 72. iv **Gus Turner Powell** #211 b. 26 Jul 1883, Walton County, Fla., m. **Never Married** #212. Gus died 14 Feb 1907, Mississippi (logging accident), buried: 1907, Kinston Cemetery in Kinston, Alabama.
  - + 73. v **Drew Travis Powell** #215 b. 15 Aug 1885.
  - 74. vi **Daniel Franklin Powell** #8561 b. 7 Aug 1887, Walton County, Fla., m. **Allie Pryor** #8575, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Daniel died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
  - 75. vii **Muriel Ardella Powell** #8576 b. 21 Oct 1889, Walton County, Fla., m. **Wilburt Hare** #8577, b. 1899, Unknown, d. 22 Jul 1979, Unknown, buried: 1979, Unknown. Muriel died 13 Mar 1995, Opp (Covington county), Alabama, buried: 1995, Unknown.
  - 76. viii **Ollie Damascus Powell** #213 b. 3 Nov 1892, Unknown, m. **Never Married** #214. Ollie died 16 May 1941, Unknown, buried: 1941, Kinston Cemetery in Kinston, Alabama.
  - 77. ix **Melanie Dove Powell** #8578 b. 29 Dec 1894, Coffee County, Alabama (Kinston), m. **Marion Parrish** #8579, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Melanie died 13 Jun 1980, Coffee County, Alabama (Kinston), buried: 1980, Kinston Cemetery in Kinston, Alabama.

16. **Francis Marion Alford, Jr.** #1 (2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 17 Nov 1865, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Temptation "Tempie" Langford** #2, b. 10 Jun 1868, Euchee Anna (Walton County), Florida, (daughter of Benjamin Langford #1704 and Amanda "Ammie" Spence #1705) d. 5 Aug 1938, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1938, Limestone Cemetery near Darlington, Fla. Francis died 17 Jan 1935, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1935, Limestone Cemetery near Darlington, Fla. Was known as "little Marion". Was a farmer all his life. Was easy going and friendly. Was not known as a very industrious person. Was literate. Lived in Gaskin, Florida entire life at the old Alford homestead on dirt road

that intersects with what is now known as Alford Road. House is owned by grandson Rudolph Dean, Jr. of De Funiak Springs, Fla. as of December 1995. Buried at Limestone Cemetery near Darlington (grave is marked).

**Temptation:** Buried at Limestone Cemetery near Darlington (grave is marked). Was unable to read or write.

*Children:*

- + 78. i **Mattie Lee "Digger" Alford** #3 b. 20 Jun 1885.
- + 79. ii **Minnie Bell Alford** #4 b. 22 Aug 1887.

- + 80. iii **Nancy L. "Doney" Alford** #5 b. OCT 1888.
  - 81. iv **William T. "Boy" Alford** #6 b. AUG 1889, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. \_\_\_\_\_  
**Never** #129. William died 1902, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County). Died as a young boy (approximately 1898) at age 7. Was known by nickname "boy".
  - + 82. v **Mary Jane "Rose" Alford** #7 b. 22 Feb 1893.
  - + 83. vi **Bundin Dempsey Alford** #8 b. 4 Jan 1894.
  - + 84. vii **Levi Gyps Alford** #722 b. 15 Mar 1895.
  - + 85. viii **William Tolley Alford** #9 b. 20 Dec 1897.
  - + 86. ix **Katherine V. Alford** #10 b. 17 May 1900.
  - + 87. x **Murdoch L. Alford** #11 b. 1905.
18. **Neomie Fronie Alford** #153 (2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 17 Sep 1874, Walton County, Florida, m. **William M. Pryor** #191, b. 5 Dec 1869, Walton County, Florida, d. 18 Jan 1944, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1944, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Neomie died 24 Oct 1934, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1934, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.
- Children:*
- + 88. i **Arnold Pryor, Sr.** #192 b. 4 May 1891.
  - + 89. ii **Frank Pryor** #193 b. 10 Mar 1896.
  - + 90. iii **Lillian Pryor** #196 b. 7 Dec 1900.
  - 91. iv **Nancy Pryor** #9621 b. 1905.
  - + 92. v **Walter "Sonny Boy" Pryor** #194 b. 15 Jan 1907.
  - + 93. vi **Willard Pryor** #195 b. 25 Mar 1915.
20. **William Turner Alford, Sr.** #630 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1852, Coffee County, Alabama, m. **Ellen "Vicie" Cossans** #638, b. MAR 1856, Walton Co., Florida, (daughter of William T. Cossans #3960 and Winnifred Laird #8204) d. 17 Jan 1929, Covington County, Alabama, buried: 1929, Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva County. William died 1916, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1916, Unknown. William Turner Alford, oldest son of James Columbus, was born in 1852 in Coffee County, Alabama. He moved to Walton County, Florida from Coffee County, Alabama in 1866 with his parents. In 1873 he married Ellen "Vicie" Cossans (1856-1/17/1929) in Walton County, supposedly a half-blooded Indian from Holmes County. In the early 1880s William moved to the Alaqua District, south of De Funiak Springs at the same time his father did. In 1885 he is shown in Alaqua on the Florida State census. He bought land in Walton County on August 9, 1900 near Limestone. Here he lived next door to his brother, Francis Marion "Buddie" Alford. In 1905 he sold land to G.C. Prescott. The 1910 census show the family living just west of Gaskin on the Florala-Natural Bridge Road. William died about 1916. Ellen, his wife, was shown as a widowed head of household in 1920 in Walton County (federal census). She died in Covington County, Alabama on January 17, 1929 and is buried at Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva County, Alabama.
- Children:*
- + 94. i **Mary Elizabeth "Molly" Alford** #692 b. 21 Sep 1873.
  - + 95. ii **Nancy Ellen "Sis" Alford** #693 b. FEB 1876.
  - 96. iii **Josephine Alford** #694 b. MAR 1877, Walton Co., Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7093. Josephine died ABT. 1905, Walton County, Florida, buried: ABT. 1905, Unknown.
  - 97. iv **William Turner Alford, Jr.** #695 b. 1879, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Never Married** #7094. William died BEF. 1885, Walton County, Florida, buried: BEF. 1885, Walton County, Florida.
  - 98. v **Joseph Alford** #696 b. 1880, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Never Married** #7095. Joseph died BEF. 1900, Walton County, Florida, buried: BEF. 1900, Walton County, Florida.
  - + 99. vi **Luana Alford** #276 b. 1881.
  - 100. vii **Malcolm S. Alford** #697 b. AUG 1883, Alaqua (Walton Co.), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown**

#7096. Malcolm died Unknown, buried: Unknown.

101. viii **Mattie Alford** #698 b. OCT 1885, Walton Co., Florida, m. **J.W. Johnson** #7097, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Mattie died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 102. ix **Darbin "Judge" Alford** #700 b. 24 Oct 1892.
- + 103. x **Andrew H. Alford, Sr.** #699 b. 13 Aug 1893.
- + 104. xi **Elseney "Bessie" Alford** #701 b. 25 Dec 1894.
- + 105. xii **Lulu V. Alford** #702 b. OCT 1896.
- + 106. xiii **Ola Mae Alford** #703 b. JUL 1899.
21. **Francis Marion "Buddy" Alford** #631 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. MAR 1853, Geneva County, Alabama, m. **Josephine McDaniel** #639, b. MAY 1856, Coffee County, Alabama, d. ABT. 1925, Unknown, buried: ABT. 1925, Unknown. Francis died ABT. 1925, Walton County, Florida, buried: ABT. 1925, Walton County, Florida. Francis Marion "Buddie" Alford, son of James Columbus Alford, was born in March 1853 in Coffee County, Alabama. He moved as a teenager with his parents to Walton County, Florida (Gaskin) in 1866. In 1880 he married Josephine McDaniel (5/1856-abt 1925) in Walton County, Florida. The couple set up housekeeping in Limestone, Florida (Walton County), next door to Buddie's Uncle Francis Marion Alford, Sr. They were shown living next door to Uncle Francis Marion in 1885 (State Census). He was a lifelong member of Limestone Baptist Church between Darlington and Gaskin, Florida. In 1900, "Buddie" Alford was living near Limestone, next door to his brother, William Turner Alford. "Buddie" Alford was known for the fact that always farmed with oxen to pull his plow. The 1920 federal census for Walton County lists "Buddie" Alford. Both he and his wife died around 1925.
- Children:*
107. i **Henry Alford** #11116 b. 1882, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, m. **Never Married** #11129. Henry died BEF. 1900, Walton County, Florida, buried: BEF. 1900, Unknown.
108. ii **Alice "Gussie" Alford** #11117 b. 1 Mar 1886, Walton County, Florida, m. **John D. Truitt** #769, b. 8 Feb 1886, Walton County, Florida, d. 4 Apr 1957, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1957, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. Alice died 19 May 1962, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1962, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. (241) Alice "Gussie" Alford, daughter of "Buddie" Alford, was born on March 1, 1886 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County, and married John D. Truitt (2/8/1886- 4/4/1957 / b. Walton County) there in about 1907. The couple lived in the Gaskin area all their lives. In 1930, Gussie and John were living in Gaskin, next door to my grandparents, Dempsey and Verlon Alford. Gussie's husband, John, died in 1957 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. "Gussie" died on May 19/1962 and is buried next to her husband. Leona and John Truitt had only one child: Shelby Vernon Truitt (11/2/1909-9/21/1959 / b. Walton Co. / m. Ella Holman / 1/16/1911- 6/24/1995).
- + 109. iii **Andrew Cleveland Alford** #642 b. 14 Oct 1889.
110. iv **Robert Alford** #643 b. 1890, Gaskin (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #7099. Robert died ABT. 1895, Walton Co., Florida, buried: ABT. 1895, Unknown.
111. v **Nancy M. Alford** #647 b. APR 1891, Walton Co., Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7101. Nancy died AFT. 1920, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1920, Unknown.
112. vi **Reubin F. Alford** #645 b. 3 Mar 1892, Walton Co., Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7102. Reubin died AFT. 1950, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1950, Unknown.
- + 113. vii **George Washington Alford** #646 b. 3 Mar 1892.
22. **James Thomas Alford** #632 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. FEB 1859, Coffee County, Alabama, m. **Mary Frances McDaniel** #648, b. 4 May 1857, Coffee County, Alabama, d. 1 Apr 1919, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1919, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. James died ABT. 1925, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, buried: ABT. 1925, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. (100) James Thomas Alford, son of James Columbus, was born in 1859 in Coffee County, Alabama. He moved as a child to

Walton County, Florida in 1866. About 1879 James married Mary Frances McDaniel (5/4/1857-4/1/1919) in Walton County. In 1885 (State Census) the couple was living in Gaskin next door to James's brother, Francis Marion "Buddie" Alford and two house from his Uncle Francis Marion Alford, Sr. On June 23, 1896 he received a federal land grant in Walton County. James and Mary lived in Walton County all of their lives, showing on the 1900, 1910, and 1920 censuses. James died about 1925 in Walton County, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Mary had preceded him in death back on April 1, 1919, and is buried in Limestone Cemetery, next to her son, John Franklin Alford.

*Children:*

- + 114. i **John Franklin Alford** #649 b. 22 Jan 1880.
  - + 115. ii **William Thomas Alford** #650 b. MAR 1882.
  - + 116. iii **Charles Monroe Alford** #651 b. 8 Jul 1884.
  - 117. iv **Henry Oscar Alford** #652 b. APR 1886, Walton County, Fla., m. **Never Married** #7104. Henry died 1942, Manatee County, Florida, buried: 1942, Unknown. (250) Henry Oscar Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born in April 1886 in Walton County, Florida. By 1920 he had moved to Liberty County, Florida. In 1930, he was listed on the census as Oscar "Elford" in Manatee County (town of Manatee), where he worked as a crate builder. He died, as a single man, in Manatee County, Florida in 1942 (death certificate). Nothing more is known of him.
  - + 118. v **Elzonia Alford** #653 b. FEB 1891.
  - 119. vi **Perry Alford** #654 b. 5 May 1892, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Never Married** #4376. Perry died 3 Jul 1900, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1900, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida.
  - + 120. vii **Dora Rosetta Alford** #80 b. MAR 1894.
  - + 121. viii **Alice Victoria Alford** #655 b. 25 Apr 1897.
  - 122. ix **Robert McDaniel Alford** #656 b. 9 Jun 1899, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Essabelle Boyd** #7106, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Robert died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930. (255) Robert McDaniel Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born on June 6, 1899 in Darlington (Walton County), Florida. On September 12, 1918, Robert registered for the draft at Andalusia, Alabama, while working for Swift Company. Nothing more is known of Robert McDaniel.
  - + 123. x **James Thurman Alford** #657 b. 15 Jun 1902.
23. **John Daniel Alford** #633 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1 Jan 1862, Geneva County, Alabama, m. (1) **Alabama Preachers** #658, b. 16 Feb 1868, Walton County, Florida, (daughter of Jacob John Preachers #2907 and Nancy Ann Jane Moore #3413) d. 1919, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1919, Hosford (Liberty County), Florida, m. (2) **Alice Ophelia Lindsey** #671, b. 1 Jan 1890, Unknown, d. 16 Nov 1964, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, buried: 1964, Cluster Springs Cemetery near, Fla. John died 27 Aug 1944, Cluster Springs (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1944, Cluster Springs Cemetery near, Fla. John Daniel Alford, son of James Columbus Alford, was born January 1, 1862 in Coffee County, Alabama. In 1866 he moved with his parents across the state line into Walton County, Florida (near Gaskin). In 1880 he married Alabama Preachers (1868-1919) in Walton County. He was a member of Limestone Baptist Church while he lived in Walton County. John Daniel received a federal land grant in Walton County on June 13, 1899. In 1903 John Daniel signed a timber deed with Lake Lumber Company to cut trees on his land. In 1907 he sold land to Julia Cain. In 1909, John Daniel became an ordained minister in the Primitive Baptist Church, where he served actively for 35 years. After selling his land in 1912 to A.W. Yaun, he moved his family to the Hosford, Florida area in Liberty County. I have to assume he went there to serve as a minister. He was apparently living in Lakeland (Polk County), Florida in June 1918, according to his son's (Henry J. Alford) WWI draft registration card. He was back in Gadsden County by 1919, as in that year, John's wife, "Bama", died there (Florida Death Index). In 1920 he was still living in Wetumpka, Florida (Gadsden County) according to the federal census. In 1921 he married his second wife, Alice Ophelia Lindsey (1/1/1890-11/16/1964) in Gadsden County. The family returned to Walton

County, near Liberty, Florida, in 1922. John Daniel shows on the 1930 census in the Caney Creek District (Cluster Springs). He died on August 27, 1944 in Walton County, and is buried at Cluster Springs Cemetery, near Liberty in Walton County, Florida. Alice survived her husband and moved closer to De Funiak Springs, where she was living in 1945. She shows on the 1945 Florida State Census for Walton County in the De Funiak Springs precinct. Alice died on November 16, 1984 in Walton County and is buried at Cluster Springs, next to her husband. His first wife, "Bama" Preachers is buried at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. John Daniel had numerous children by both wives.

*Children by Alabama Preachers:*

- + 124. i **Mattie Victoria Alford** #659 b. 11 Jan 1884.
- + 125. ii **Luther Jefferson Alford** #660 b. 3 Mar 1886.
- + 126. iii **Jacob John Alford** #661 b. 17 Mar 1888.
- + 127. iv **James Thomas Alford** #662 b. 6 Aug 1890.
- + 128. v **Joseph Arthur Alford** #663 b. 5 Jul 1892.
- + 129. vi **Henry J. Alford** #664 b. 16 Jun 1896.
- + 130. vii **Julian Howell Alford** #665 b. 23 Oct 1898.
- 131. viii **Johnnie S. Alford** #666 b. 1899, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #11226.  
Johnnie died 1906, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1906, Unknown.
- 132. ix **Savannah Alford** #667 b. 1901, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #8977.  
Savannah died 1913, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1913, Unknown.
- 133. x **Lillie Odell Alford** #668 b. 1902, Walton Co., Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11227. Lillie died BEF. 1944, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- 134. xi **Jeremiah Alford** #669 b. 2 Jul 1905, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7107. Jeremiah died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 135. xii **Pinkie Alford** #670 b. 1906.
- 136. xiii **Martin Alford** #8978 b. 1907, Walton Co., Florida (Gaskin), m. **Never Married** #8979.  
Martin died ABT. 1908, Walton Co., Florida (Gaskin), buried: ABT. 1908, Cluster Springs Cemetery in, Florida. (270) Martin Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born in 1907 in Walton County, Florida. He died in 1908 as an infant in Walton County, and is buried at Liberty Cemetery in Walton County.

*Children by Alice Ophelia Lindsey:*

- + 137. xiv **Jesse Davis Alford** #672 b. 11 Mar 1922.
- + 138. xv **Wiley Jessiman Alford** #673 b. 12 Mar 1924.
- + 139. xvi **Doris Delphine Alford** #674 b. 29 Apr 1927.
- + 140. xvii **James Columbus Alford II** #675 b. 23 Nov 1929.
- + 141. xviii **Julius Maxwell Alford** #676 b. 6 Jul 1932.

24. **Frances E. Alford** #634 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. APR 1865, Coffee County, Alabama, m. **John Davis "Babra" Gainey** #240, b. FEB 1859, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), (son of Not Married #237 and Edith Mary Gainey #170) d. AFT. 1920, Florida, buried: AFT. 1920, Unknown. Frances died AFT. 1920, Florida, buried: AFT. 1920, Unknown. (102) Frances E. Alford, daughter of James Columbus, was born in 1865 in Coffee County, Alabama. She grew up in Walton County, in the Gaskin area, and married John D. "Babra" Gainey (1859-aft 1920 / b. Walton County) there in 1885. In 1920 the couple were living in De Funiak Springs on 27th Street. Frances and "Babra" Gainey had the following children: Walker A. Gainey (June 1887-? / b. Walton County), Belva Gainey (June 1889-? / b. Walton County), Pearlle Gainey (10/1891-? / b. Walton County), Bertha Gainey (1903-aft 1920), and Howard D. Gainey (1908-aft 1920).

*Children:*

- 142. i **Walker A. Gainey** #259 b. JUN 1887, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9579.  
Walker died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- 143. ii **Belva Gainey** #260 b. JUN 1889, Geneva County, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9580.  
Belva died Unknown, buried: Unknown.

144. iii **Pearlie Gainey** #261 b. OCT 1891, Walton County, Florida, m. **Rowe Spears** #8898, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Pearlie died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
145. iv **Eva Gainey** #9581 b. SEP 1894, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9582. Eva died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
146. v **Eunice Gainey** #9583 b. MAY 1898, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9584. Eunice died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
147. vi **Bertha M. Gainey** #9619 b. 1903.
148. vii **Howard D. Gainey** #9620 b. 1908, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11118. Howard died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
26. **Joseph Columbus Alford** #636 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 5 May 1871, Walton County, Florida, m. **Jo Anna McDaniel** #677, b. 21 Jul 1876, Walton County, Florida, d. AUG 1952, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Florida, buried: 1952, Millville Cemetery in Bay Co, Florida. Joseph died 1 Apr 1944, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Florida, buried: 1945, Millville Cemetery in Bay Co, Florida. (104) Joseph Columbus Alford, son of James Columbus, was born in May 5, 1871 in Walton County, Florida. About 1894 he married Jo Anna McDaniel (7/21/1876-8/1952 - b. Walton County) in Walton County, Florida. He was still living in Walton County in 1900, where he worked as an Ox driver. On May 26, 1905 he received a federal land grant in Walton County. Joseph lived in Walton County until the mid 1920s, when Joseph moved to Altha, Florida in northern Calhoun County. Later in life he moved to the Wewahitchka, Florida area in Gulf County. He farmed and lived the rest of his life and died there on April 1, 1944 (death certificate). His wife survived him by seven years. They are both buried at Millville Cemetery in Panama City, Florida.
- Children:*
- + 149. i **Dallas Alford** #678 b. 13 Sep 1895.
- + 150. ii **Andrew Jackson Alford, Sr.** #679 b. 14 Feb 1898.
- + 151. iii **Johnny Alford** #7407 b. 1900.
152. iv **Wilson Alford** #680 b. 1902, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #7108. Wilson died 1918, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1918, Unknown. (279) Wilson Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born in 1902 in Walton County, Florida. He died in Walton County in 1919 of pneumonia. Nothing else is known of him.
- + 153. v **William Caston Alford** #681 b. 14 Feb 1904.
- + 154. vi **James Gordon Alford** #682 b. 2 Feb 1905.
- + 155. vii **Cora Lee Alford** #683 b. 22 Feb 1907.
156. viii **Nora Alford** #684 b. 22 Feb 1907, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Never Married** #7363. Nora died 1909, Walton County, Fla.
- + 157. ix **Sherman Floyd Alford** #685 b. 24 Mar 1909.
- + 158. x **Tildon Lee Alford** #686 b. 7 May 1915.
- + 159. xi **Joseph Lawrence Alford** #687 b. 8 Dec 1918.
27. **Martin Monroe Alford** #637 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 5 Mar 1875, Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **Strammer Duria Davis** #688, b. 17 Nov 1882, Walton County, Florida, d. 15 Jan 1974, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1974, Walton County, Florida, m. (2) \_\_\_\_\_ **Belle?** #11119, b. 1875, Unknown, d. AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: Unknown. Martin died DEC 1943, Unknown, buried: 1943, Unknown. (105) Martin Monroe Alford, the son of James Columbus Alford, was born on March 5, 1875 in Walton County, Florida. He married Strammer Duria Davis (11/17/1882-1/15/1974) about 1898 in Walton County. In 1900 he was living near Gaskin in Walton County, Florida with his wife and family. In 1902 Martin left his wife, when it proven she was having an affair and had her second child by another man. In 1903, Martin signed a turpentine lease with the D.F. Gaskin Company. An outstanding fiddler, he would travel all over the panhandle to entertain people. In 1917 Martin registered for the draft at De Funiak Springs, Fla., but the war ended before he could be drafted. In 1930, Martin was living in the Sandy Creek area of

Walton County, with his second wife, Belle ? (1875-aft 1930). Martin died in December of 1943. Strammer, his ex-wife remarried James E. Johnson in Walton County around 1907. It is not known if she had further children. Strammer and James were living in 1910 on the Florala to Natural Bridge Road in Gaskin. On April 22, 1936 she registered to vote at De Funiak Springs. She died in July 23, 1974. Martin and Strammer had the following children:

*Children by Strammer Duria Davis:*

160. i **Duria Alford** #689 b. 3 Jun 1899, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. (1) **Harley Van Pierce** #11253, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Dewey Padgett** #691, b. 15 Jul 1900, Holmes County, Florida, d. 15 May 1974, Unknown, buried: 1974, Unknown. Duria died 20 Jun 1960, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1960, Unknown. (287) Duria Alford, daughter of Martin Monroe Alford, was born in 1899 in Walton County, Florida. In 1910, she was living with her mother and stepfather, James Johnson in the Lakewood community of Walton County. She grew up there and married Dewey Padgett (7/15/1900-5/15/1974) of Holmes County, Florida in 1925. On April 3, 1928, while still married to Dewey, she (name spelled "Dwer") registered to vote at De Funiak Springs, Florida. At some unknown time later Duria and Dewey were divorced, and she married Harley von Pierce. The new couple farmed on the Pierce farm near Gaskin. On June 20, 1960, Duria died, as reported by the De Funiak Herald-Breeze. She was buried in the family cemetery on the family farm. No children were mentioned in the obituary.
161. ii **Foy Earket Alford** #690 b. 17 Feb 1902, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #11254. Foy died 4 Mar 1939, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1939, Unknown. (288) Foy Earket Alford, son of Strammer Davis Alford, wife of Martin Monroe Alford, was born on February 17, 1902 in Walton County, Florida. In 1910 he was living with his mother and stepfather, James Johnson, in the Lakewood community of Walton County. It was thought that Foy was bi-racial and was not the son of Martin Alford. Foy never married. On March 4, 1939, he was killed in an automobile accident at Gaskin, Florida (Walton County). Also in the car, but unhurt, was James Alton Alford.
28. **Lester Jay Alford** #11112 (3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 26 Sep 1896, Limestone (Walton County), Florida, m. **Carlie Carpenter** #11113, b. 19 Jan 1907, Unknown, d. JAN 1975, Polk County, Florida, buried: 1975, Unknown. Lester died 25 Apr 1977, Polk County, Florida, buried: 1977, Unknown. (106) Lester Jay Alford, son of James Columbus and Polly Alford, was born on September 26, 1896 in Walton County, Florida. By 1917, Lester Jay and his mother, Polly Alford, had moved to Garner, Alabama, just inside the Alabama line in Geneva County, but by 1920, he was living in Samson, Alabama (Geneva County). Lester registered for the WWI draft on June 5, 1918 in Samson. His mother, Polly, was living with him at that time. In 1925 he married Carlie Carpenter (1/19/1907-7/1975) in Walton County. Carlie, his wife, died in 1975 in Davenport, Florida (Polk County). Lester died on April 25, 1977 in Polk County, Florida. Nothing else is known of him
- Children:*
162. i **Cecil Jay Alford** #11114 b. 25 Jun 1927, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11115. Cecil died 13 Feb 1995, Davenport (Polk County), Florida, buried: 1995, Unknown.
30. **Reuben Eben Smith** #2290 (4.Sarah<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 21 Sep 1869, Wilkes County, Ga., m. **Georgia Evelyn Williams** #2292, d. Unknown. Reuben died 28 Jun 1936, Lawrenceville, Georgia.
- Children:*
- + 163. i **Henry Carson Smith** #2293.
41. **Francis Marion Alford** #280 (8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 6 Sep 1867, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Ada Mozelle Davis** #288, b. 27 Dec 1880, Walton County, Florida, d. 4 Jan 1930, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1930, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Francis died 4 May 1951, Gaskin (Walton



County), Florida, buried: 1951, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.

(108) Francis Marion Alford, son of John Francis, was born on September 6, 1867 in Walton County near Gaskin, Florida. He lived his entire life in Gaskin. On December 18, 1894 Francis Marion married Ada Mozelle Davis (12/27/1880-1/4/1930) in Walton County. Francis Marion was a literate man was for years (1889-1895) was the clerk of Limestone Baptist Church, taking over from his father, John Francis Alford. He 1903 he signed a turpentine lease with Darling & Company on his land. He died on May 4, 1951 in Gaskin. His wife had preceded him in death in 1930. Francis Marion's old house is still standing, and was lived in by his son, Richard and wife, Iris, until their death in 2001. The road in front of the house is now called Alford Road, in honor of Richard.

*Children:*

- + 164. i **Etta M. Alford** #289 b. 24 Sep 1899.
- + 165. ii **Milbra L. Alford** #290 b. 16 Aug 1901.
- + 166. iii **Emma Gay Alford** #291 b. 27 Nov 1906.
- + 167. iv **Mettie Alford** #292 b. 16 Mar 1909.
- + 168. v **Richard Francis Alford** #293 b. 7 Mar 1911.

42. **John Turner "Bully" Alford** #281 (8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 20 Oct 1870, Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **Georgia Ann Preachers** #9097, b. 10 Mar 1862, Walton County, Florida, (daughter of Jacob John Preachers #2907 and Nancy Ann Jane Moore #3413) d. 15 Feb 1934, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1934, Unknown, m. (2) **Naomie Henderson** #294, b. 15 Nov 1879, Unknown, d. 26 Nov 1919, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1919, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co, m. (3) **Pearlie L. Commander** #11268, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. John died 25 May 1925, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1925, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co. (109) John Turner "Bully" Alford, son of John Francis, was born on October 20, 1870 in Walton County, Florida. "Bully" Alford had two sons out of wedlock with Georgia Preachers (Steele Preachers b. 1889 and Tank Preachers b. 1891). On September 30, 1900 he married Naomie Henderson (11/15/1879-11/26/1919) in Walton County, Fla. He was a member of Limestone Baptist Church. After marriage, "Bully" moved his family just south west of De Funiak Springs in Walton County, to a small community called Alaqua/Pleasant Ridge in the Choctawhatchie National Forest. Here he ran a general store in the 1920's. In 1920 he was on the federal census for Walton County, in Alaqua (new name for same location). Naomie died in 1919 after childbirth in the Alaqua/Pleasant Ridge area (Walton County). "Bully" supposedly married again in 1920 to Mrs. Pearlie L. Commander. "Bully" Alford died on May 25, 1925. He and his first wife are buried at Alaqua/Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, with full Masonic honors.

*Children by Georgia Ann Preachers:*

- + 169. i **Steele Preachers** #302 b. 1889.
- 170. ii **Tank Preachers** #296 b. 1891.

*Children by Naomie Henderson:)*

- 171. iii **Bryant K. Alford** #297 b. 10 Sep 1901, Alaqua (Walton County), Florida, m. **Never Married** #453. Bryant died 17 Dec 1903, Alaqua (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1903, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co. (295) Bryant K. Alford, son of "Bully" Alford, was born on September 10, 1901 in Walton County, Florida. He died as a young child on December 17, 1903 in Walton County.
- + 172. iv **Homer Sherman Alford** #298 b. 18 Mar 1903.
- 173. v **Verna Bethana Alford** #299 b. 18 Jun 1907, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #466. Verna died 26 Mar 1921, Pensacola (Escambia County), Florida, buried: 1921, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co. (297) Verna Bethany Alford, daughter of John Turner "Bully" Alford, was born on June 18, 1907 in Walton County, Florida. She spent all of her short life in the Alaqua community of Walton County, just southwest of De Funiak Springs. She died as teenager on February 21, 1921 (obituary in De Funiak paper) of appendicitis at the hospital in Pensacola, where she was rushed to from her home in the Alaqua/Pleasant

Valley area. She is buried at Pleasant Valley Cemetery just west of De Funiak Springs.

- + 174. vi **John Lee Alford** #300 b. 4 Sep 1919.  
*Children by Pearlie L. Commander:)*
- 175. vii **Ashley William Alford** #301 b. 1924, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11269.  
Ashley died ABT. 1965, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
  
- 43. **William David "Shug" Alford** #282 (8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 4 Nov 1872, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. (1) **Nancy L. Zaddie Dannelly** #303, b. 15 Nov 1877, Coffee County, Alabama, (daughter of Wash Dannelly #8775 and \_\_\_\_\_ Unknown #8776) d. 27 Jul 1929, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1929, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida, m. (2) **Amanda Mitchem** #4995, b. 29 Aug 1888, Unknown, d. 3 Sep 1933, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1933, Glendale (Walton County), Florida, m. (3) **Emerline Mitchem** #4996, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: UAlive in 1998. William died 14 Jan 1950, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1950, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (110) William David "Shug" Alford, son of John Francis, was born on November 4, 1872 in Walton County, Fla. He grew up about 500 yards from Limestone Cemetery in Walton County, Florida. In 1899 he married Nancy L. Dannelly (11/15/1877-7/27/1929 / b. Coffee County, Al.) in Walton County, Florida. In 1900 he was living near Darlington/Gaskin, Florida in Walton County, just across from the Oak Grove Church in the Limestone area. He was very industrious and had a substantial farming operation. In 1906, William David moved to Elba, Alabama (Coffee County), where he built a saw mill business on the Pea River. In early 1910 he moved back to his farm just south of Samson (Geneva County). He was a member of the first and second City Councils of Samson and owned a lot of property in the Samson area, including a large farm one mile southeast of Samson. He was the original owner of what is now the Samson Police Department building. Around 1910 he made a trip to Mexico to look into a land purchase, however failed to buy any, and returned home. Around 1912 he moved back into Walton County, Florida near Limestone Cemetery. In 1917 William David registered for the draft in De Funiak Springs, Florida for WW I, but was never called up. A lifetime member of the Limestone Baptist church, he lived in Walton County the rest of his life. The 1930 federal census has "Shug" living in Darlington as a widower. William later married Amanda Mitchem (8/29/1888-9/3/1933) on February 21, 1931, who died on September 3, 1933. He later married Amanda's sister, Emerline Mitchem. William, a Mason, died on January 14, 1950 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Nancy, his first wife, preceded him in death on July 27, 1929 and is buried next to him. He had no children by either of the two Mitchem sisters.  
*Children by Nancy L. Zaddie Dannelly:*
- + 176. i **Jeremiah William Alford** #304 b. 17 Sep 1899.
- 177. ii **Kiser Alford** #305 b. 30 Nov 1901, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Never Married** #7144. Kiser died ABT. 1908, Samson (Geneva County), Alabama, buried: ABT. 1908, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (301) Kiser Alford, son of William David "Shug" Alford, was born on November 30, 1901 in Walton County, Florida. In about 1908, Kiser swallowed a whole bottle of medicine (some type of suppressant). He died from it, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery.
- + 178. iii **Dwar Alford** #306 b. 25 Oct 1903.
- 179. iv **Allie Alford** #307 b. 15 Dec 1906, Elba (Coffee County), Alabama, m. **Never Married** #7145. Allie died 1909, Elba (Coffee County), Alabama, buried: 1909, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (303) Allie Alford, daughter of William David "Shug" Alford, was born on December 15, 1906 in Elba, Alabama (Coffee County). In 1909, Allie was trying to light a fire in the fireplace. When her mother caught her, she put the lighting splinter under her dress to hide it. Her dress caught on fire and she burned to death (story told by her nephew, William Alexander Alford).
- + 180. v **Noah Alford** #308 b. 8 Aug 1908.
- + 181. vi **Plexter Alford** #309 b. 10 Sep 1910.
- + 182. vii **Lonie Mae Alford** #310 b. 30 Mar 1912.

45. **Charles Union Alford** #284 (8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 13 Mar 1877, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Sidney Catherine Holman** #312, b. 8 Sep 1881, Geneva County, Alabama, (daughter of Lewis Holman #8020 and Catherine Jane Monroe #8021) d. 20 Dec 1970, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1970, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Charles died 30 Apr 1937, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1937, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (112) Charles Union Alford, son of John Francis Alford, was born on March 13, 1877 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in the Darlington area of Walton County. For some unknown reason in 1885 (State Census) he was living as an 8 year old with A. Ramsay and his wife Annie. This couple lived next door to Charles's parents. In 1899, Charles bought a lot from his parents, on which he built a home. Charles Union was a minister in Gaskin and later De Funiak, Springs, Florida. On March 22, 1900 he married Sidney Catherine Holman (9/8/1881-12/20/1970 / b. Geneva County, Al.) in Walton County. After marriage, Charles moved to Mossey Head, Florida in Walton County to set up a farm. He stayed there until about 1904, when he returned to the Darlington area. In 1903, Charles signed a timber deed with the W.H. Britton Lumber Company to cut trees on his land near Gaskin. He lived near Limestone Church between Darlington and Gaskin, but by 1910 he moved to De Funiak Springs, where he purchased land in December of that year, according to the federal census, and he was still there in 1920, living on South Park Street. By 1930, he had move back to the Darlington area. Rev. Charles Union Alford, also a Mason, died on April 30, 1937 in Walton County, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. His wife died on December 20, 1970 and is buried next to him.

*Children:*

- + 183. i **Nettie Virginia Alford** #313 b. 3 Jan 1901.
  - + 184. ii **Millage Deal Alford** #314 b. 7 Oct 1903.
  - + 185. iii **Henry Clayton Alford** #315 b. 8 Mar 1907.
  - + 186. iv **Burler Louvester Alford** #317 b. 26 Nov 1910.
  - 187. v **Chaplain Alford** #319 b. 17 Jan 1914, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. **Never Married** #279. Chaplain died 17 Jan 1914, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, buried: 1914, Unknown.
  - + 188. vi **Damascus Walon Alford** #320 b. 20 Apr 1915.
  - + 189. vii **Roy Cecil Alford** #322 b. 14 Nov 1918.
  - + 190. viii **Bernice Lunette Alford** #324 b. 14 Jun 1924.
48. **James Charles Tadlock** #980 (9.Jane<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 26 Jan 1868, Geneva County, Florida, m. **Helen Rebecca Pierce** #1601, b. 26 Nov 1872, Unknown, d. 13 Jan 1945, Holmes County, Fla., buried: 1945, New Hope Cemetery in Holmes Co, Florida. James died 17 Mar 1915, Chattahoochee (Gadsden County), Florida, buried: 1915, State Hospital Cemetery in, Florida.
- Children:*
- 191. i **Benjamin Franklin Tadlock** #6275 b. 19 Nov 1889, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Lula Belle Lee** #6287, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. Benjamin died 5 Jan 1936, Holmes County, Fla, buried: 1936, Buried at New Hope Baptist Church in Co.
  - 192. ii **Walter Tadlock** #6276 b. 15 Sep 1891, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #6288. Walter died BEF. 1910, Holmes County, Fla.
  - + 193. iii **Cora Ethel Tadlock** #6277 b. 27 Dec 1892.
  - 194. iv **William H. Tadlock** #6278 b. 22 Jul 1894, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Mary Cobb** #6290, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. William died 17 Jul 1958, Holmes County, Fla, buried: 1958, Buried at New Hope Baptist Church in Co.
  - 195. v **Lillian Tadlock** #6279 b. 10 May 1896, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Richard Hawthorne** #6291, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. Lillian died DEC 1980, Unknown.
  - 196. vi **James Monroe Tadlock** #6280 b. 4 Oct 1897, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Joyce Roach** #6292, b. 5 Dec 1906, Holmes County, Fla, d. 25 Aug 1993, Holmes County, Fla. James died 21 Feb 1989, Holmes County, Fla.

197. vii **Lillie Bell Tadlock** #6281 b. 16 Sep 1899, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Will Johnson** #6293, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. Lillie died 11 Jan 1983, Holmes County, Fla.
198. viii **James Tadlock** #6282 b. 30 Aug 1901, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #6294. James died 10 Oct 1907, Holmes County, Fla.
199. ix **Ava Lancley Tadlock** #6283 b. 24 Mar 1903, Holmes County, Fla, d. JUN 1968, Holmes County, Fla.
200. x **Mary J. Tadlock** #6284 b. 28 Sep 1906, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #6295. Mary died 5 Oct 1907, Holmes County, Fla.
201. xi **Murty Mae Tadlock** #6285 b. 28 Feb 1907, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #6296. Murty died 6 Oct 1907, Holmes County, Fla.
202. xii **Eura Arizona Tadlock** #6286 b. 25 Oct 1909, Holmes County, Fla, m. **Semmion Taunton** #6297, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. Eura died 30 May 1996, Unknown.
203. xiii **Eula Elberta Tadlock** #6089 b. 18 Sep 1912, Walton County, Fla., m. **Jonathan E. Andrews** #6090, b. 18 Apr 1905, Holmes County, Fla, d. 26 Oct 1977, Unknown. Eula died Unknown.
52. **Sarah Catherine Tadlock** #1608 (9.Jane<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 7 Feb 1881, Holmes County, Florida, m. **William Samuel Jones** #1609, b. 1874, Unknown, d. 1957, Unknown, buried: 1957, Unknown. Sarah died 17 Feb 1966, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- Children:*
- + 204. i **William Roy Jones** #16006 b. 1901.
57. **Lee Washington Gainey** #248 (11.Rebecca<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Feb 1882, Walton County, Fla., m. **Mary Pearl Mize** #12746, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Lee died 1 Apr 1947, Unknown, buried: 1947, Unknown.
- Children:*
205. i **Reid Gainey** #12747 b. 1912, Jackson (Hinds County), Mississippi, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12749. Reid died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
206. ii **Ralph Gainey** #12748 b. 1916, Jackson (Hinds County), Mississippi, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12750. Ralph died Unknown, buried: Unknown.

#### Fourth Generation

60. **Mary Bell** #175 (12.Mary<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1872, Walton County, Florida, m. **Robert Hinote** #12592, b. JUN 1872, Unknown, d. FEB 1939, Florala (Covington County), Alabama, buried: 1939, Unknown. Mary died 1945, Florida, buried: 1945, Unknown. In 1900, the family lived at Shoal River (near Crestview), Florida in Walton County, Florida. In 1920 and 1930, they were living in Florala (Covington County), Florida.
- Children:*
207. i **Maggie Hinote** #12593 b. 1905, Florala (Covington County), Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #12594. Maggie died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
61. **Catherine Bell** #176 (12.Mary<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1874, Walton County, Florida, m. **Steven A. Cawthon** #12597, b. 1859, Florida, d. AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. Catherine died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. 1910, 1920, and 1930, the family lived on Crescent Street in De Funiak Springs (Walton County), Florida.
- Children:*
208. i **Estel Cawthon** #12598 b. 1901.
209. ii **Georgia Eunice Cawthon** #12599 b. 1906.
210. iii **Russell C. Cawthon** #12600 b. 1909.

66. **Nannie Bell** #181 (12.Mary<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. DEC 1889, Walton County, Florida, m. **Walker Green** #184, b. 10 Jan 1873, Leonia, Florida (Holmes County), (son of William Francis Green, Sr. #507 and Sarah Douglas #508) d. 19 Dec 1934, Argyle, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1934, Euchee Valley Cemetery in Walton Florida. Nannie died 1956, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1956, Euchee Valley Cemetery in Walton Florida.
- Children:*
- + 211. i **William Francis Green** #187 b. 20 Sep 1912.
  - 212. ii **Count Darling Green** #337 b. 22 Nov 1914, Walton County, Florida, d. 4 Jan 1919, Walton County, Florida.
  - 213. iii **Mary Green** #186 b. 29 Aug 1916.
  - 214. iv **Walker Green** #185 b. 12 Nov 1922.
67. **Mattie Bell** #182 (12.Mary<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 11 Aug 1892, Walton County, Florida, m. **Joseph Allen** #189, b. 22 Jan 1889, Walton County, Florida, d. 18 Apr 1966, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1966, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida. Mattie died 14 Feb 1985, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1985, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida.
- Children:*
- 215. i **Joseph Allen** #190 b. ABT. 1927, Washington, DC, m. **Betty ?** #336, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995. Joseph died Alive in 1995.
70. **Mary Alabama Holley** #8574 (13.Susan<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 23 Jan 1880, Unknown, m. **Madison Monroe Burgess** #8562, b. Unknown, d. JUL 1957, Unknown, buried: 1957, Unknown. Mary died JUN 1913, Unknown, buried: 1913, Unknown.
- Children:*
- 216. i **Hattie Burgess** #8563.
  - + 217. ii **Thomas Joel Burgess** #8564.
  - 218. iii **Ethel Burgess** #8565.
73. **Drew Travis Powell** #215 (13.Susan<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 15 Aug 1885, Walton County, Fla., m. **Pearlie Redmon** #216, b. 4 Jan 1893, Unknown, d. 9 May 1968, Unknown, buried: 1968, Unknown. Drew died 1 Jul 1979, Coffee county, Alabama (Kinston), buried: 1979, Unknown.
- Children:*
- 219. i \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #217.
78. **Mattie Lee "Digger" Alford** #3 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 20 Jun 1885, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **James S. Warren** #12, b. 10 Oct 1881, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), d. 23 Feb 1965, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County). Mattie died 13 Oct 1967, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County).
- Children:*
- 220. i **Braxton Warren** #13 b. 1907, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Margaret Evans** #14, b. 1920, Unknown, d. Unknown. Braxton died 1993, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County).
79. **Minnie Bell Alford** #4 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 22 Aug 1887, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Bascom Alberson** #15, b. 27 Sep 1887, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), d. 14 Jun 1944, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1954, Unknown. Minnie died 2 May 1965, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1965, Unknown. Minnie Bell Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, Jr., was born on August 22, 1887 in Walton County. She grew up in Gaskin and lived her entire life there. In 1910 she married Baskum Alberson (9/27/1887-6/14/1944 / b. Walton County) in Walton County, Florida. By 1918 the couple had moved to Milville (Bay County), Florida. Bascom registered for the WWI draft there. In 1920 and 1930 the family was living off of State Highway 83 (Gaskin to Glendale Road) next

door to Minnie Bell's parents, F.M. and Tempy Alford. Minnie Bell died May 2, 1965 in a Geneva County, Alabama hospital, and is buried in Limestone Cemetery. Minnie Bell and Bascom Alberson had the following children: Pearlie Mae Alberson (11/22/1910-11/27/1983 / b. Walton County / m. Gordon Henderson (5/29/1909-7/31/1990 / b. Walton County), Gladys Alberson (3/28/1912-7/13/1989 / b. Walton County / m. Lee Wilkerson), Estelle "Addie" Alberson (1916-alive / b. Walton County / m. Collis Shadrack Simpler), Vernon Alberson (7/1/1920-4/28/1971 / b. Walton County), and Hughey A. Alberson (12/13/1922-7/27/1985 / b. Walton County / m. Irene Norris (10/15/1929-alive / b. Walton County).

**Bascom:** Lived in Gaskin, Florida entire life. Buried at Gaskin Baptist Church in Gaskin, Florida (grave is marked).

*Children:*

- + 221. i **Pearlie Mae Alberson** #16 b. 22 Nov 1910.
- + 222. ii **Gladys Alberson** #17 b. 28 Mar 1912.
- + 223. iii **Estelle Alberson** #18 b. 14 Sep 1916.
- + 224. iv **Vernon Alberson** #19 b. 1 Jul 1920.
- + 225. v **Huey Alberson** #20 b. 13 Dec 1922.

80. **Nancy L. "Doney" Alford** #5 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. OCT 1888, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Harmon Duke** #37, b. 1885, Walton County, Florida, (son of Elijah Duke #6060 and Martha Padgett #6058) d. 1959, Walton County, Florida. Nancy died 1976, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County). Lived in Gaskin, Florida entire life. Buried at Gaskin Baptist Church cemetery (grave is marked).

**Harmon:** Descendent of the Dukes who founded Duke University. Buried at Gaskin Baptist Church cemetery (grave is marked).

*Children:*

- + 226. i **Tatum Duke** #38 b. 22 Sep 1910.
- 227. ii **Doney Duke** #39 b. 1912. Died as an infant in 1912. Buried at Gaskin Baptist Church cemetery (grave is marked).
- 228. iii **Ethel Duke** #40 b. 1913. Lives(1995) south of Gaskin, Florida on Glendale Highway in same house where her brother Tatum lived.

82. **Mary Jane " Rose" Alford** #7 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 22 Feb 1893, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Wiley M. Duke** #49, b. 5 Nov 1887, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), (son of Elijah Duke #6060 and Martha Padgett #6058) d. 21 Mar 1935, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1935, Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva, Alabama. Mary died 5 Oct 1967, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), buried: 1967, Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva, Alabama. Lived entire life in Gaskin, Florida. Buried at Eight Mile Cemetery northwest of Gaskin near Alabama line (grave is marked).

*Children:*

- + 229. i **Lela Mae Duke** #50 b. 13 Feb 1913.
- + 230. ii **Eva Dell Duke** #51 b. 2 Jan 1914.
- + 231. iii **Alma O'Rene Duke** #52 b. 12 May 1920.

83. **Bundin Dempsey Alford** #8 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 4 Jan 1894, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. (1) divorced 1919, **Dora Rosetta Alford** #80, b. MAR 1894, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), (daughter of James Thomas Alford #632 and Mary Frances McDaniel #648) d. AFT. 1960, Panama City, Florida, buried: AFT. 1960, Unknown, m. (2) **Jessie Verlon Davis** #74, b. 27 Nov 1904, Ponce de Leon, Florida (Holmes County), (daughter of Wesley Daniel Davis #84 and Mary Salena Harnage #85) d. 4 Nov 1995, Huntsville, Alabama (Madison County), buried: 1995, New Ponce de Leon Cemetery, Florida). Bundin died 18 Dec 1970, Pensacola, Florida (Escambia County), buried: 1970, New Ponce de Leon Cemetery in, Fla. Enlisted in U.S. Army on September 19, 1917 in De Funiak Springs, Florida. He was honorably discharged on May 19, 1918 at Fort McPherson, Georgia. He was discharged by Colonel T.S. Bratton on account of arthritis in left

shoulder and left hip and otitis. He was a Private 1st Class and never saw any combat action. He was described as being in poor health and having excellent character. He was listed as 100% disabled. Bundin was the second person in Walton County to own a Model "T" Ford. Was an avid hunter and was a crack shot with a rifle or shot gun. Carried a

bullet in abdomen from hunting accident most of life. Made a good living through land speculation and at one time owned the large

majority of municipal stock in Panama City, Florida. Used a hearing aid in right ear, wore glasses, and smoked a pipe. Moved to Ponce de Leon, Florida in 1930 where he lived with wife, Verlon

Davis, until his death December 18, 1970. Is buried in New Ponce de Leon

Cemetery and grave is marked. Was one of the original city councilmen of Ponce de Leon. Later served as

a notary public. Bought the house owned by R.L. Hughes on Old Highway 90 1/2 mile west of

Ponce de Leon November 22, 1940. He lived here with wife, Verlon, until his

death. He paid \$10.00 & other "valuable considerations". This land is

described in the deed as " the land lying south of the right-of-way of State

road #1, known as the Old Spanish Trail (later U.S. Highway 90), and

bounded on the West by the land known as the Tart Stave Co. land, on the

South by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and on the East by the W.C.

Mason land." For many years he drove a white Ford Falcon. Died at Sacred Heart Hospital in Pensacola, Florida.

**Dora:** Was living in Panama City, Florida in 1948. She died in Panama City, Florida. Her second husband was Carl Lawrence.

**Jessie:** Was living in Gaskin, Florida while teaching grammar school in 1927-1929. Met Bundin Dempsey Alford in Gaskin and married him at Elba, Alabama October 29, 1928. Moved back to Ponce de Leon, Florida with husband and stepson, James Alton,

in about 1931-32. Lived in Downtown Ponce de Leon behind Presbyterian Church until around

1938. Then moved to house on Old Highway 90 1/2 mile west of town. Lived

here the rest of life, except last year of life. She died while residing with

her daughter, Yvonne, in Huntsville, Alabama. She served during the 1950's on the Holmes County Welfare Board, after

appointment by Governor Burns. She drove a car until 1983. She was an avid gardener and was famous for her flower gardens. She was a tremendous cook. She raised her grandson, John Alton, until he was 4-5 years old. In 1980's she was a member of the De Funiak Springs Presbyterian Church

and was an active member of the Presbyterian Women's Circles.

*Children by Dora Rosetta Alford:*

+ 232. i **James Alton Alford** #75 b. 3 Jan 1917.

*Children by Jessie Verlon Davis:)*

+ 233. ii **Yvonne Alford** #76 b. 14 Jun 1933.

84. **Levi Gyps Alford** #722 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 15 Mar 1895, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Bessie Mae Alford** #709, b. 13 Mar 1921, Walton County, Florida, (daughter of Andrew H. Alford, Sr. #699 and Emma Nobles #708) d. 14 May 1996, Geneva County, Alabama, buried: 1996, Gaskin Baptist Church Cemetery in, Fla. Levi died 22 May 1972, Geneva County, Alabama, buried: 1972, Gaskin Baptist Church Cemetery in, Fla.

**Bessie:** (550) Bessie Mae Alford, daughter of Andrew H. Alford, was born on March 13, 1921 in Gaskin, Florida in Walton County. She grew up there and married Levi Gyps Alford (3/15/1895-5/22/1972 / b. Walton County) about 1937 in Walton County. Bessie and Gyps were grandchildren of brothers, James Columbus and Francis Marion Alford, Sr. They settled and lived on State Road 2 between Gaskin and Darlington. "Gyps" Alford died in 1972, and Bessie continued to live in the same house until her death on

May 14, 1996. Bessie died in Geneva, Alabama at the Wiregrass Hospital and is buried at Gaskin Baptist Church. Bessie was a good friend of mine and was a good friend of my grandmother's. We visited her often. She always welcomed us and everybody who came to visit. For her children, see Levi Gyps Alford above.

*Children:*

+ 234. i **Vonnette Alford** #723 b. 1938.

+ 235. ii **Joyce Alford** #724 b. 1942.

85. **William Tolley Alford** #9 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 20 Dec 1897, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Alice Ward** #132, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. William died 1946, Chattahoochee, Florida, buried: 1946, Unknown. Died in Prison, where he was serving time for murder.

*Children:*

236. i **No Children** #133.

86. **Katherine V. Alford** #10 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 17 May 1900, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Rudolf Dean, Sr.** #144, b. 1896, Alabama, d. Gaskin, Florida (Walton County). Katherine died 29 Jun 1983, Chattahoochee, Florida.

*Children:*

+ 237. i **Rudolf Dean, Jr.** #145 b. 16 Apr 1921.

87. **Murdoch L. Alford** #11 (16.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1905, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Vera Ward** #134. Murdoch died OCT 1960, Panama City, Florida. Owned his own insurance company in Rome, Georgia. Buried in Rome, Georgia.

*Children:*

+ 238. i **Eloise Alford** #135 b. 1924.

88. **Arnold Pryor, Sr.** #192 (18.Neomie<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 4 May 1891, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Myrtle P. Morrison** #199, b. 26 Oct 1906, Unknown, d. 11 Nov 1985, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1985, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Arnold died 26 May 1981, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1981, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.

*Children:*

239. i **Juanita Pryor** #8189 b. 1928.

240. ii **Lorene Pryor** #8188 b. 1933.

241. iii **Arnold Pryor, Jr.** #200 b. 1936, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #209. Arnold died Alive in 1995.

89. **Frank Pryor** #193 (18.Neomie<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 10 Mar 1896, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Mary Jane Tooles** #201, b. 29 May 1902, Geneva County, Alabama, d. 13 Sep 1969, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1969, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Frank died 11 Apr 1978, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1978, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.

*Children:*

+ 242. i **Terrell Pryor** #202 b. 13 Jul 1924.

243. ii **Earline Pryor** #8211 b. 1928.

90. **Lillian Pryor** #196 (18.Neomie<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 7 Dec 1900, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Gus Morrison** #206, b. 10 Aug 1901, Walton County, Florida, d. 27 Jun 1987, Unknown, buried: 1987, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Lillian died 21 Jun 1984, Unknown, buried: 1984, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.

*Children:*

244. i **Geraldine Morrison** #207 b. 1930, Walton County on state census, m. **Peter Turnbull** #208,



b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995. Geraldine died Alive in 1995.

92. **Walter "Sonny Boy" Pryor** #194 (18.Neomie<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 15 Jan 1907, Walton County, Florida, m. **Ella Morrison** #197, b. 1 Dec 1905, Walton County, Florida, d. 8 Sep 1978, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1990, Beulah Anna Baptist Church in, Florida. Walter died 4 May 1990, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1990, Beulah Anna Baptist Church in, Florida.
- Children:*
245. i **No Children** #198.
93. **Willard Pryor** #195 (18.Neomie<sup>3</sup>, 2.Francis<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 25 Mar 1915, Walton County, Florida, m. **Myrtle Alford** #4824, b. 14 Mar 1919, Walton County, Florida, (daughter of John Franklin Alford #649 and Lena Johnson #781) d. 6 Apr 1999, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, buried: 1999, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. Willard died 12 Aug 1985, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1985, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida.
- Myrtle:** (566) Myrtle Alford, daughter of John Franklin Alford, was born on March 14, 1919 in Walton County near Gaskin, Florida. She grew up there and married Willard Pryor (3/25/1915-8/12/1985 / b. Walton County, Fla.) in Walton County (date unknown). Her husband served in the U.S. Army during WWII as a private. He died in 1985 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. Myrtle died on April 6, 1999 in De Funiak Springs. Her last residence was in De Funiak Springs, Florida (Walton County). Myrtle and Willard Pryor had the following children: Eugene Pryor (9/7/1938-5/22/1964 / b. Walton County), Betty Pryor, and JoAnn Pryor.
- Children:*
246. i **Eugene Pryor** #274 b. 7 Sep 1938, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11153. Eugene died 22 May 1964, Unknown, buried: 1964, Unknown.
247. ii **Betty Pryor** #11151 b. Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11154. Betty died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
248. iii **Joanne Pryor** #11152 b. Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11155. Joanne died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
94. **Mary Elizabeth "Molly" Alford** #692 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 21 Sep 1873, Walton County, Fla., m. (1) **Acey Cook** #2695, b. 1851, Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **William Arthur Preachers** #2694, b. 3 Oct 1872, Walton County, Florida, (son of Jacob John Preachers #2907 and Nancy Ann Jane Moore #3413) d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Mary died 1964, Merritt Island, Fla., buried: 1964, Rockledge, Fla. (226) Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Alford, daughter of William T. Alford Sr., son of James Columbus, was born on September 21, 1873 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County, Fla. and married William Arthur Preachers (10/3/1872-?) there in about 1888. The family made their living farming. She died in 1964 in Merritt Island, Florida. Mary and Arthur Preachers had the following children: Allan Monroe Preachers (6/17/1896-?), Alice Drusilla Preachers ( 9/17/1898-? / m. J.J. Scott), Sally Louise Preachers (10/25/1900-3/18/1978 /m.Thomas Finney in Columbus, Ga.), Henry Alvin Preachers (5/23/1902-1904), Mary Alice Preachers (5/23/1902-1904), William Justice Preachers (10/3/1906-1970), and Jesse Lafayette Preachers (12/18/1907-1908).
- Children by Acey Cook:*
249. i **No Children** #9274.
- Children by William Arthur Preachers:)*
250. ii **Allan Monroe Preachers** #9121 b. 17 Jun 1896, Walton County, Fla, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9269. Allan died Unknown.
251. iii **Alice Drusilla Preachers** #9270 b. 17 Sep 1898, Walton County, Fla, m. **Johnny J. Scott** #9271, b. Walton County, Florida, d. Unknown. Alice died Merritt Island, Florida.
- + 252. iv **Sally Louise Preachers** #9123 b. 25 Oct 1900.
253. v **Mary Alice Preachers** #9122 b. 23 May 1902, Walton County, Fla, m. **Never Married**

- #9128. Mary died ABT. 1904, Walton County, Fla.
254. vi **Henry Alvin Preachers** #9124 b. 23 May 1902, Walton County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #9264. Henry died ABT. 1906, Walton County, Fla.
255. vii **William Justice Preachers** #9125 b. 3 Oct 1906, Walton County, Fla, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #9265. William died 1970, Cocoa Beach, Florida.
256. viii **Jesse Lafayette Preachers** #9126 b. 18 Dec 1907, Walton County, Fla, m. **Never Married** #9266. Jesse died ABT. 1908, Walton County, Fla.
95. **Nancy Ellen "Sis" Alford** #693 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. FEB 1876, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Lewis Curtis Truett** #7092, b. OCT 1858, Walton County, Florida, (son of John Truett #9131 and Penina Laird #9132) d. 1931, Crawfordville, Florida (Wakulla County), buried: 1931, Unknown. Nancy died 1905, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1905, Unknown. (227) Nancy Ellen "Sis" Alford, daughter of William T. Alford Sr., was born in February 1876 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married Lewis Curtis Truett (1858-1931) on July 3, 1900 in Walton County. Nancy died soon after giving birth to her only child in 1905. Nancy and Lewis had one child: Arthur Brinkley Truett (1/16/1905-9/6/1968/ m. Macy Redmon).
- Children:*
257. i **Arthur Brinkley Truett** #9129 b. 16 Jan 1905, Walton County, Florida, m. **Macie Redmon** #9130, b. 26 Nov 1911, Walton County, Florida, d. 9 Jun 1986, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1986, Buried at Cluster Springs Cemetery Co. Arthur died 6 Sep 1968, Unknown, buried: 1968, Buried at Cluster Springs Cemetery Co.
99. **Luana Alford** #276 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1881, Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **John Pryor** #2700, m. (2) **John Pryor** #275, b. 1874, Walton County, Florida, d. 1921, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1921, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. Luana died 1907, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1907, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. (231) Luana Alford, daughter of William T. Alford Sr., was born in 1881 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married John Pryor (1874-1921 / Walton County) there in 1899. She died in 1907 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Her husband John died in 1921 in Walton County and is also buried at Limestone Cemetery. Luana and John Pryor had the following children: Charles Pryor (12/7/1900-8/12/1972 / b. Walton Co. / m. Donna Ivory ? 4/22/1918-7/16/1978), Chapman Pryor (2/12/1904-4/6/1981 / b. Walton Co. / m. Nolie? 4/13/1905-11/3/1975), Mary Pryor (?-?), and Martha Pryor (?-?). No dates or marriages are known for the children.
- Children by John Pryor:*
258. i **Charles Pryor** #2699 b. 7 Dec 1900, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Donna Ivory ???** #7236, b. 22 Apr 1918, Walton Co., Florida, d. 16 Jul 1978, Walton Co., Florida, buried: 1978, Unknown. Charles died 12 Aug 1972, Walton Co., Florida, buried: 1972, Unknown.
- + 259. ii **Chapman Pryor** #2701 b. 12 Feb 1904.
260. iii **Mary Pryor** #2702 b. Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11120. Mary died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
261. iv **Martha Pryor** #2703 b. Unknown, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11121. Martha died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
102. **Darbin "Judge" Alford** #700 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 24 Oct 1892, Walton County, Fla., m. **Mary Nobles** #2696, b. 1896, Walton County, Fla., d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Darbin died FEB 1973, Okaloosa County, Fla. (Niceville), buried: 1973, Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak, Florida. (234) Darbin "Judge" Alford, son of William T. Alford Sr., was born on October 24, 1892 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married Mary Nobles (1894-aft 1930) there in 1913. In 1917 he registered for the draft in De Funiak Springs, Florida. On July 16, 1918 he was inducted into the Army at De Funiak Springs, Florida. He served overseas from October 6, 1918 to January 26, 1919. He was discharged on March 11, 1919. In 1930 the family lived in Gaskin next door to Darbin's sister, Bessie,

and her husband ,Farrel Campbell. Darbin died in February 1973 in Niceville, Florida (Okaloosa County). He is buried at Magnolia Cemetery in De Funiak Springs, Florida. It is not known when Mary died. The couple had no children.

*Children:*

262. i **No Children** #11122.

103. **Andrew H. Alford, Sr.** #699 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 13 Aug 1893, Walton County, Florida, m. **Emma Nobles** #708, b. 16 Aug 1901, Walton County, Florida, d. 11 May 1977, Paxton (Walton County, Florida), buried: 1977, Paxton Cemetery. Andrew died 24 Feb 1935, Covington County, Alabama, buried: 1935, Chapel Hill Cemetery in South, Alabama. (235) Andrew H. Alford, Sr., son of William T. Alford, Sr., was born on August 13, 1893 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and registered for the draft in 1917 in De Funiak Springs. He soon married Emma Nobles (8/16/1901-5/11/1977 / b. Walton County) on January 12, 1919 in Walton County. On the 1920 census, Andrew was living in Gaskin, just off State Road 83. His widowed mother, Ellen, lived next door. He moved his family to near Florala, Alabama in Covington County around 1930. Andrew Alford died on February 24, 1935 in Covington County, Alabama. He is buried at Chapel Hill Cemetery in South Covington County. His wife died on May 11, 1977 and is buried at Paxton Cemetery in Paxton (Walton County), Florida.

*Children:*

+ 263. i **Bessie Mae Alford** #709 b. 13 Mar 1921.

+ 264. ii **Jimmie Alford** #710 b. 1922.

+ 265. iii **Carl Coolidge Alford** #711 b. 1994.

+ 266. iv **Lola Alford** #712 b. 1926.

+ 267. v **Willeen Alford** #713 b. 1928.

268. vi **Andrew H. Alford, Jr.** #714 b. 5 Mar 1931, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #7589. Andrew died 30 Aug 1931, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1931, Chapel Hill Cemetery in Covington, Al.

+ 269. vii **James Rayon Alford** #715 b. 3 Aug 1933.

104. **Elseney "Bessie" Alford** #701 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 25 Dec 1894, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Farrell Campbell** #705, b. Walton County, Florida, d. AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. Elseney died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. (236) Elseney "Bessie" Alford, daughter of William T. Alford, Sr., was born December 25, 1895 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married Farrell Campbell (1892-after 1930) there in about 1914. In 1920 the couple was living in Gaskin, next door to Farrel's parents, M.C. and Flora Ann Campbell of North Carolina. "Bessie" registerd to vote in Walton County on May 16, 1928. The couple had the following children: William "Willie" Campbell (1915-aft 1930), Woodrow Campbell (1916-1944 / b. Walton County / m. Alma ?), Grant Campbell (1923-aft 1930), Henry Campbell (1924-aft 1930), and Lee Campbell (1927-aft 1930).

*Children:*

270. i **William "Willie" Campbell** #11123 b. 1915.

271. ii **Woodrow Campbell** #706 b. 1916, Walton County, Florida, m. **Not Married** #707. Woodrow died 1944, Unknown.

272. iii **Grant Campbell** #11124 b. 1923.

273. iv **Henry Campbell** #11125 b. 1924.

274. v **Christopher Lavoy Campbell** #11126 b. 15 Dec 1926, Walton County, Florida, m. **Annie Estelle Edge** #16126, b. 5 Dec 1930, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, d. 4 Mar 1975, Geneva (Geneva County), Alabama, buried: Unknown. Christopher died 17 Apr 1984, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1984, Unknown.

105. **Lulu V. Alford** #702 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. OCT 1896, Walton County, Fla., m. **Duncan Holder** #2697, b. 1891, Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Lulu died AFT. 1920, Walton County, Florida, buried: AFT. 1920, Buried at Big Swamp Cemetery. (237) Lulu V. Alford, daughter of William T. Alford, Sr., was born in September 1896 in Walton County. She grew up in Walton County and married Duncan Holder (1891-?) there. Duncan had grew up two houses away from Lulu. In 1920, still single, Lulu was living in Gaskin with John and Lizzie Bryan. Their marriage date is not known. Death dates are not known. Lulu and Duncan Holder had at least one child: Jesse Lee Holder (?-?).

*Children:*

275. i **Jessie Lee Holder** #2698 b. ABT. 1914.

106. **Ola Mae Alford** #703 (20.William<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. JUL 1899, Walton County, Fla., m. **John Nobles** #2704, b. 1895, Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Ola died 1 Oct 1942, Geneva County, Alabama, buried: 1942, Unknown. (238) Ola Mae Alford, daughter of William T. Alford, Sr., was born in July 1899 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in that county and married John Nobles (1905-?) in 1930. The family was living that year next door to Ola's sister, Bessie and her husband, Farrel Campbell. No marriage or death dates are known. Ola died on October 1, 1942 in Geneva County, Alabama. Ola Mae and John Nobles had two children: Jule Nobles (?-?) and Julienne Nobles (?-?).

*Children:*

276. i **Jule Nobles** #2705.  
277. ii **Julienne Nobles** #2706.

109. **Andrew Cleveland Alford** #642 (21.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 14 Oct 1889, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. (1) **Martha ?** #12689, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Rose Ann Bush** #756, b. Walton County, Florida, d. 1918, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1918, Unknown. Andrew died 1955, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1955, Unknown. (242) Andrew Cleveland "Cleve" Alford, son of Francis M. "Buddie" Alford, was born on October 14, 1889 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, and married Rose Ann Bush (?-1919) there on October 21, 1908. "Cleve" Alford registered for the draft in 1917 in De Funiak Springs, Florida. At that time he was living at Paxton, Florida, where he worked for the Florida Saw Mill Company. In 1945 "Cleve" was living in Gaskin as a widower. Rose, his first wife, appears to have died by 1920 (no children after 1918). "Cleve" married his second wife, Martha ?(?-?) later in the 1920s. They were divorced in 1940 in Walton County. "Cleve" Alford died in 1955 in Walton County.

*Children by Rose Ann Bush:*

- + 278. i **Carrie Mae Alford** #757 b. 1910.  
279. ii **Duncan "Dunk" Alford** #759 b. 1 Dec 1917, Walton County, Fla., m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #4377. Duncan died 26 Apr 1980, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1980, Buried at Limestone Cemetery in, Fla. (558) Duncan "Dunk" Alford, son of Andrew Cleveland "Cleve" Alford, was born December 1, 1917 in Walton County, Florida. To my knowledge, he was never married. On March 3, 1940 he registered to vote in Walton County, where he lived in the town of Darlington as a farmer. Duncan enlisted in the Army on June 5, 1941. He died on April 26, 1980 in an unknown location. "Dunk" Alford is buried at Limestone Cemetery in northern Walton County, Fla.  
\_\_\_\_\_: (558) Duncan "Dunk" Alford, son of Andrew Cleveland "Cleve" Alford, was born December 1, 1917 in Walton County, Florida. To my knowledge, he was never married. On March 3, 1940 he registered to vote in Walton County, where he lived in the town of Darlington as a farmer. He died on April 26, 1980 in an unknown location. "Dunk" Alford is buried at Limestone Cemetery in northern Walton County, Fla.  
+ 280. iii **Zora Lee Alford** #758 b. 22 Sep 1918.

113. **George Washington Alford** #646 (21.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 3 Mar 1892, Walton County,

Florida, m. **Pearl Rayburn #767**, b. 2 Jan 1903, Walton County, Florida, d. 11 Jan 1952, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1952, Unknown. George died 1964, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1964, Unknown. (245) George Washington Alford, son of Francis M. "Buddie" Alford, was born on March 3, 1892 in Walton County, Florida. As a youngster, George lost his right eye. He grew up in the Gaskin area and married Pearl Rayburn (1/2/1903-1/11/1952 / b. Walton County) there. George registered for the draft on June 5, 1917 in De Funiak Springs, Florida. In 1920, George was living as a boarder with Pass Moore in Walton County. The 1930 census showed George and Pearl living in Gaskin, along with George's adopted son, Hubert Alford. The couple was living in Gaskin in 1945, according to the State Census. He died in 1964 in Walton County. I do not know where either one is buried. They had no children.

*Children:*

281. i **No Children #768.**

114. **John Franklin Alford #649** (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 22 Jan 1880, Walton County, Florida, m. **Lena Johnson #781**, b. 11 Mar 1888, Walton Co., Fla., d. 17 Oct 1941, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, buried: 1941, Unknown. John died 24 Sep 1960, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, buried: 1960, Unknown. (247) John Franklin "Frank" Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born January 22, 1880 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in the Gaskin, Florida area, and married Lena Johnson (3/11/1888-10/17/1941 / b. Walton County) there in 1908. In 1910, John Franklin signed a timber deed with the Britton Lumber Company to cut timber on his land. On October 26, 1911, John Franklin was chosen for jury duty in Walton County. In 1917 he registered for the draft in De Funiak Springs. John Franklin and Lena Alford lived the rest of their lives in Walton County, Florida. In 1930, the family was living in the Caney Creek area. Lena died in 1941 in Gaskin, however, "Frank" Alford lived until September 24, 1960, when he died in Walton County. In 1950 he had moved to De Funiak Springs from Gaskin, where he died. They are both buried in Limestone Cemetery.

*Children:*

- + 282. i **Dewey Alford #5014** b. 16 Oct 1908.
- 283. ii **James "Jimmy" Alford #782** b. 1910, Walton Co., Fla., m. **Never Married #5015**. James died BEF. 1920, Walton Co., Fla., buried: BEF. 1920, Unknown.
- + 284. iii **Esther Alford #4826** b. 1912.
- + 285. iv **Shelley Lamar Alford #4820** b. 6 Oct 1912.
- + 286. v **Howard W. Alford #783** b. 19 Jul 1915.
- 287. vi **Mary Lou Alford #4822** b. 1917, Walton County, Florida, m. **Howard Adkison #4823**, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Mary died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 288. vii **Myrtle Alford #4824** b. 14 Mar 1919.
- 289. viii **Stella Alford #273** b. 1921, Walton County, Florida, m. **Lawton Matthews #4825**, b. 1920, Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Stella died Unknown, buried: Unknown. (567) Stella Alford, daughter of John Franklin Alford, was born around 1921 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up there and married Lawton Matthews (1920-?) (date and location unknown). Lawton registered to vote in Walton County, Florida on February 14, 1947. Nothing else is known of her.

115. **William Thomas Alford #650** (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. MAR 1882, Walton County, Fla., m. **Unknown #7103**, b. Unknown, d. 1912, Unknown, buried: Unknown. William died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. (248) William Thomas Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born in March 1882 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Gaskin, Florida (Walton County) and married an unknown spouse (?-abt 1912). In 1930, William was living in Gaskin as a widower.

*Children:*

- 290. i **Millie Alford #11132** b. 1909.
- 291. ii **John Alford #11133** b. 1910.
- 292. iii **Alene Alford #11134** b. 1912.

116. **Charles Monroe Alford** #651 (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Jul 1884, Walton County, Florida, m. **Minnie L. Spann** #779, b. 28 Nov 1884, Geneva County, Alabama, d. 13 Oct 1984, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1984, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. Charles died 11 Dec 1952, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1952, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida. (249) Charles Monroe Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born July 8, 1884 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married Minnie L. Spann (1888-aft 1964 / b. Geneva Co., Al) there. In 1920 they were living in De Funiak Springs, Florida (federal census). By 1930, Charles and family had moved to northern Holmes County, Florida, where they lived at Hurricane Creek. He died on December 11, 1952 in Walton County and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. His widow, Minnie, lived on Chaffin Avenue in De Funiak Springs in 1964. I am not sure of the death date for his wife.
- Children:*
293. i **Willie Mae Alford** #11135 b. 17 Jan 1916, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #11138. Willie died 17 Jan 1916, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1916, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida.
294. ii **Leila Alford** #780 b. 1917, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11139. Leila died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
295. iii **Versie Lee Alford** #11136 b. 13 Oct 1921, Walton County, Florida, m. **Mallard Mason** #11140, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Versie died 27 Oct 1940, Washington County, Florida, buried: 1940, Limestone Cemetery near, Florida.
296. iv **Thelma Alford** #11137 b. 1925, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11141. Thelma died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
118. **Elzonia Alford** #653 (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. FEB 1891, Walton County, Fla., m. **Charles W. Miles** #7105, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Elzonia died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. (251) Elzonia Alford, daughter of James T. Alford, was born in February 1891 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in the Gaskin/Darlington area of Walton County, and married Charles Miles (?-?) there around 1920. By the 1930 census, the couple had moved to Mossy Head, Florida (10 miles west of De Funiak Springs), where they lived as a childless couple. Nothing else is known of her.
- Children:*
297. i **No Children** #11142.
120. **Dora Rosetta Alford** #80 (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. MAR 1894, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. (1) divorced 1919, **Bundin Dempsey Alford**, (See marriage to number 83) m. (2) **James C. Lawrence** #825, b. Walton County, Florida, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Dora died AFT. 1960, Panama City, Florida, buried: AFT. 1960, Unknown. Was living in Panama City, Florida in 1948. She died in Panama City, Florida. Her second husband was Carl Lawrence.
- Bundin:** Enlisted in U.S. Army on September 19, 1917 in De Funiak Springs, Florida. He was honorably discharged on May 19, 1918 at Fort McPherson, Georgia. He was discharged by Colonel T.S. Bratton on account of arthritis in left shoulder and left hip and otitis. He was a Private 1st Class and never saw any combat action. He was described as being in poor health and having excellent character. He was listed as 100% disabled. Bundin was the second person in Walton County to own a Model "T" Ford. Was an avid hunter and was a crack shot with a rifle or shot gun. Carried a bullet in abdomen from hunting accident most of life. Made a good living through land speculation and at one time owned the large majority of municipal stock in Panama City, Florida. Used a hearing aid in right ear, wore glasses, and smoked a pipe. Moved to Ponce de Leon, Florida in 1930 where he lived with wife, Verlon

Davis, until his death December 18, 1970. Is buried in New Ponce de Leon Cemetery and grave is marked. Was one of the original city councilmen of Ponce de Leon. Later served as

a notary public. Bought the house owned by R.L. Hughes on Old Highway 90 1/2 mile west of Ponce de Leon November 22, 1940. He lived here with wife, Verlon, until his death. He paid \$10.00 & other "valuable considerations". This land is described in the deed as " the land lying south of the right-of-way of State road #1, known as the Old Spanish Trail (later U.S. Highway 90), and bounded on the West by the land known as the Tart Stave Co. land, on the South by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and on the East by the W.C. Mason land." For many years he drove a white Ford Falcon. Died at Sacred Heart Hospital in Pensacola, Florida.

*Children by Bundin Dempsey Alford:*

*Children by James C. Lawrence:)*

298. ii **James Lawrence, Jr.** #826.

121. **Alice Victoria Alford** #655 (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 25 Apr 1897, Walton County, Florida, m. **William Buchanan** #827, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Alice died 30 Nov 1976, Unknown, buried: 1976, Unknown. (254) Alice Victoria Alford, daughter of James T. Alford, was born in April 25, 1897 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married William Buchanan there (dates unknown). Alice died on November 30, 1976 in Panama City, Florida (Bay County). Alice and William Buchanan had one known child: Carl Buchanan (?-?).

*Children:*

299. i **Carl Buchanan** #828.

123. **James Thurman Alford** #657 (22.James<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 15 Jun 1902, Walton County, Florida, m. **Pearl Morrison** #786, b. 19 Dec 1903, Walton County, Florida, d. 10 Nov 1990, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1990, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. James died 2 May 1978, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1978, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. (256) James Thurman Alford, son of James T. Alford, was born on June 15, 1902 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, near Gaskin, and married Pearl Morrison (12/19/1903-11/10/1990 / b. Walton County) there in 1924. The 1930 census shows the family living in Gaskin, Florida. I interviewed Thurman in 1978, shortly before his death that year. Much of the information I have on the descendents of James T. Alford was given to me by him. Thurman Alford died May 2, 1978 and is buried in Darlington Methodist Church Cemetery in Walton County. His wife, Pearl, died in 1990 and is buried next to him. Thurman and Pearl Alford lived in the Gaskin/Darlington area all of their lives and had the following children:

*Children:*

- + 300. i **Myrtle Selma Alford** #787 b. 1925.
- + 301. ii **James Thurman Alford, Jr.** #790 b. 1927.
- + 302. iii **Sybil Alford** #788 b. 1929.
- + 303. iv **Mary Elizabeth Alford** #789 b. 29 Jan 1934.
- + 304. v **Peggy Alford** #791 b. 1947.
- + 305. vi **Thurman Alford, Jr.** #792 b. 1951.

124. **Mattie Victoria Alford** #659 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 11 Jan 1884, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Enos Edward Evans** #2899, b. 31 Jan 1877, Freeport (Walton County), Florida, d. 10 Apr 1914, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1914, Unknown. Mattie died 9 Feb 1969, Dallas, Texas, buried: 1969, Laurel Land Cemetery in Dallas, Texas. (257) Mattie Victoria Alford, oldest child of John Daniel Alford, was born on January 11, 1884 in Walton County, Florida. Mattie grew up in the Gaskin area of Walton County and married Enos Edward Evans (1/31/1877-4/10/1914) of Freeport, Florida (Walton

County) about 1902 in Walton County. Enos died in 1914 at only 37 years of age. Mattie remarried to Arthur Barwick in 1918. The family was living in Lake Wales, Florida (Polk County) in 1920. Around 1925, Mattie and Arthur were divorced, and Mattie took her first set of children and moved to Houston, Texas in about 1926. In 1930, she was living in Houston, Texas as head-of-household on Caroline Street. Her grown daughter and sons were living with her, as well as two Wilson grandchildren. After getting to an elderly age, Mattie, who never remarried again, went to Dallas, Texas to live with her daughter, Rita. She died on February 9, 1969 in Dallas and is buried in Laurel Land Cemetery in Dallas. Mattie and Enos Evans had three children: William Henry Edward Evans (11/5/1902-aft 1930 / b. Alabama), Susan D. May "Rita" Evans (8/6/1904-7/29/1990 / b. Walton County / m. 1921 / Sam Wilson), and Marcus Nathaniel Evans (10/12/1912-aft 1930 / b. Alabama) By Arthur Barwick, Mattie had one son, Ernest L. Barwick (1919-?).

*Children:*

306. i **William Henry Edward Evans** #2900 b. 5 Nov 1902, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #8976. William died 28 Apr 1988, Houston, Texas (Harris County), buried: 1988, Brookside Cemetery in Houston, Texas.
- + 307. ii **Susan D. May "Rita" Evans** #2901 b. 6 Aug 1904.
308. iii **John Dewey Evans** #15191 b. 1907, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #15195. John died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
309. iv **Henry Evans** #15192 b. 18 Sep 1911, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #15196. Henry died 1913, Unknown, buried: 1913, Unknown.
310. v **Marcus Nathaniel Evans** #2902 b. 12 Oct 1912, Alabama, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11156. Marcus died AFT. 1991, New Orleans (Orleans Parish), Louisiana, buried: AFT. 1991, Unknown.
311. vi **Callie Liendon Evans** #15193 b. 26 Sep 1913, Unknown, m. **Never Married** #15197. Callie died 1915, Unknown, buried: 1915, Unknown.
312. vii **Ariel Atherial Evans** #15194 b. SEP 1914.
125. **Luther Jefferson Alford** #660 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 3 Mar 1886, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. **Verdie L. Parramore** #829, b. 20 May 1889, Unknown, d. 3 Nov 1975, Hosford (Liberty County), Florida, buried: 1975, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. Luther died 1 Jul 1975, Wakulla County, Florida, buried: 1975, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. (258) Luther Jefferson Alford, oldest son of John Daniel Alford, was born on March 3, 1886 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, but around 1913, he moved to Liberty County, Florida, near Hosford about the same time his father moved there and married Verdie L. Parramore (5/20/1889-11/3/1975) on February 11, 1914. According to his WWI draft card in 1917, he worked for Anderson & Company Turpentine Company at Gretna in Gadsden County. In 1920 he was listed on the federal census for Gadsden County, living in the Wetumpka district, but his children were actually born in nearby Liberty County (Telogia). In 1930, Luther and his family were living in Quincy, Florida (Gadsden County), where he lived the rest of his life. He died July 1, 1975 in Wakulla County, Florida and is buried at Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery south of Quincy, Florida. His wife died the same year in Hosford and is buried next to him.

*Children:*

313. i **Roland Fletcher Alford** #830 b. 25 Oct 1914, Gadsden County, Fla., m. **Christine Sikes** #8668, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Roland died Unknown, buried: N/A. Roland Fletcher Alford, son of Luther Alford, was born in Liberty County, Florida on October 25, 1914. He grew in Liberty County (Hosford) just south of Quincy. On May 4, 1940, Roland married Christine Sikes (?-?) in Hosford. They were divorced in 1951 in Liberty County, Florida. Roland Alford died on July 17, 1996 (SSDI) in Bristol, Florida (Liberty County). He lived all of his later life in Hosford, Florida and is buried at Antioch Baptist Church south of Quincy. Nothing else is known of him.



- + 314. ii **Kenny Johnson Alford** #831 b. 15 Mar 1917.
315. iii **Farris L. Alford** #832 b. 1918, Gadsden County, Florida, m. ? **Harlow** #11184, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Farris died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (584) Farris Alford, daughter of Luther J. Alford, was born in Gadsden County, Florida in 1918. She married ? Harlow (?-?). Nothing further is known of her, except that she lives today (2003) in Tallahassee, Florida.
316. iv **Paraman C. Alford** #11157 b. 23 Aug 1920, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #11185. Paraman died 29 Jan 1930, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1930, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida.
317. v **Munson Alford** #11158 b. 1925, Hosford (Liberty County), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11186. Munson died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (586) Munson Alford, son of Luther J. Alford, was born in 1925 in Liberty County, Florida. He was living in Tibbie, Alabama in 1998. Nothing else is known of him.
126. **Jacob John Alford** #661 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 17 Mar 1888, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. **Anna Lee Truitt** #839, b. 1894, Walton County, Florida, d. AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. Jacob died 1924, Hosford (Liberty County), Florida, buried: 1924. (259) Jacob John "Jake" Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on March 17, 1888 in Walton County, Florida (Darlington). Named after his maternal grandfather, John Jacob Preachers, he grew up in Walton County and married Anna Lee Truett (1894-aft 1930) there on March 28, 1908. In 1910, Jacob shows as a single head-of-household on the Walton County census, living in Limetone next door to his future brother-in-law, John D. Truitt, and on the other side, Francis Marion Alford, Jr. In about 1913 he and his wife moved to Gadsden County (Wetumpka) at the same time as his father did. In 1917 he registered for the draft in nearby Hosford (Liberty County), Florida. In 1920 he is listed as a resident of Gadsden County, Florida (Wetumpka) by the federal census. At that time, his wife's brother, Arthur Truett, was living with them. Jacob died in 1924 (death certificate) in Liberty County. After the death of her husband, Anna moved to River Junction, Florida (Gadsden County), where she shows as a widowed head-of-household in 1930. Her son, Fred, lived nearby. I have no dates on his wife.
- Children:*
318. i **Fred Alford** #840 b. 1912, Walton County, Florida, m. **Beatrice ?** #11187, b. 1913, Unknown, d. AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: Unknown. Fred died AFT. 1930, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1930, Unknown. (587) Fred Alford, son of Jacob John Alford, was born in 1912 in Walton County, Florida. After the death of his father, he moved to River Junction, Florida (Gadsden County) with his mother. There he met and married Beatrice ? (1913-aft 1930) in 1930. Nothing else is known of him.
319. ii **Cola L. Alford** #841 b. 1916, Liberty County, Florida, m. **Zilian Simms** #11188, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Cola died AFT. 1936, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
127. **James Thomas Alford** #662 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 6 Aug 1890, Walton County, Florida, m. **Louella Rudd** #833, b. 16 Jun 1889, Unknown, d. 18 Sep 1986, Unknown, buried: 1986, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. James died 6 Jan 1981, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1981, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. (260) James Thomas Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on August 6, 1890 in Walton County, Florida (Darlington). Named after his paternal uncle, James Thomas Alford, he grew up in Walton County, but moved to Gadsden County around 1913 when his father moved there. In 1916 he married his wife, Louella Rudd (6/16/1889-9/18/1986). I am not sure where she is from. In 1917 James Thomas registered for the draft in Gadsden County. The 1920 federal census for Gadsden County shows James Thomas Alford living there, next door to his father in the Wetumpka district. In 1930 he was still living with his family near Quincy on Jackson's Bluff Road. James Thomas and Louella Alford lived the rest of their life in Gadsden County, Florida, south of Quincy. James

Thomas died on January 6, 1981 in Gadsden County. His wife died 5 years later. They are both buried at Antioch Baptist Church, south of Quincy, Florida.

*Children:*

320. i **Hattie Alford** #834 b. 1917, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Brady Burke** #11194, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Hattie died AFT. 1934, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1934, Unknown.
321. ii **Bly Alford** #835 b. 1919, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Bly Alford** #835, b. 1919, Gadsden County, Florida, (son of James Thomas Alford #662 and Louella Rudd #833) d. BEF. 1930, Unknown, buried: Unknown. Bly died BEF. 1930, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
322. iii **James Wesley Alford** #11193 b. 2 Jan 1921, Gadsden County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11196. James died 22 Mar 2003, Unknown, buried: 2003, Unknown.
323. iv **Coy Thomas Alford** #11189 b. 8 Apr 1926, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Minnie Lee Watson** #12191, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Coy died AFT. 1945, Unknown, buried: AFT. 1945, Unknown. (591) Coy Thomas Alford, son of James Thomas Alford, was born on April 8, 1926 in Gadsden County, Florida. He grew up there and on September 21, 1945, he joined the U.S. Army. After the war he married Minnie Lee Watson (?-?) in 1949 in Gadsden County, Florida. Nothing else is known of him.
324. v **Esta Lee Alford** #11191 b. 28 Apr 1928.
325. vi **Eunice Macel Alford** #11192 b. 23 Feb 1931, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Davis Wynn** #11197, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Eunice died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A.
326. vii **Joe Leo Alford** #1240 b. 12 Nov 1938, Gadsden County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7237. Joe died 28 Dec 1964, Unknown, buried: 1964, Unknown.
327. viii **Frances Alford** #11190.
128. **Joseph Arthur Alford** #663 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 5 Jul 1892, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. **Myrtle Pearl Parramore** #836, b. 23 Nov 1896, Unknown, d. 28 Nov 1991, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1991, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. Joseph died 3 Feb 1955, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1955, Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Florida. (261) Joseph Arthur Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on July 5, 1892 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, but moved to Liberty County, near Hosford, around 1913 when his father moved there. On July 5, 1915 he married his wife, Myrtle Pearl Parramore (11/23/1896-11/28/1991) in Liberty County, just south of Gadsden County. On June 15, 1917 he registered for the draft in Gadsden County. Joseph Arthur was listed on the 1920 federal census for Gadsden County. The family lived the rest of their lives south of Quincy, Florida in Hosford (Liberty County). Joseph Arthur Alford died February 3, 1955 in Gadsden County, and is buried at Antioch Baptist Church, along side his wife, in Gadsden County.
- Children:*
- + 328. i **Ethel Mary Alford** #837 b. 13 Mar 1917.
- + 329. ii **Jesse Davis Alford** #838 b. 11 Aug 1918.
330. iii **Frank James Alford** #1241 b. 31 Dec 1923, Gadsden County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #8388. Frank died JUN 1981, Blountstown (Calhoun County), Florida, buried: 1981, Unknown.
331. iv **Clinton Joseph Alford** #8389 b. 27 Aug 1926, Gadsden County, Fla., m. **Never Married** #8390. Clinton died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (601) Clinton Joseph Alford, son of Joseph Arthur Alford, was born on August 27, 1926 in Gadsden County, Florida. He grew up there and on December 1, 1945, he enlisted in the U.S. Army in Washington County, Florida. After the war, Clinton married Frances Lashley (?-?). Nothing else is known of him.
- + 332. v **Elsie Sarah Alford** #8382.
129. **Henry J. Alford** #664 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 16 Jun 1896, Darlington, Fla. (Walton County), m.

(1) **Annie McFarlin** #11213, b. ABT. 1899, Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Mary Alice May** #4447, b. 21 May 1901, Unknown, d. 28 Dec 1954, Unknown, buried: 1954, Unknown. Henry died 15 Aug 1970, Caryville (Washington County), Florida, buried: 1970, Pleasant Grove Methodist Church Co. (262) Henry J. Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on June 16, 1896, in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in the Darlington area of Walton County, but moved to Liberty County, Florida about 1913, about the same time his father moved to there. There he met and married Annie McFarlin on December 23, 1915. Shortly after marriage the young couple moved his young family to Caryville, Florida (Washington County), where he worked for the Henderson-Wait Labor Company. 1917 Henry J. registered for the draft in Washington County. On August 25, 1918 he was inducted into the Army at Vernon, Florida. On May 22, 1919 he was honorably discharged. Prior to 1920, Henry and Annie were divorced. The 1920 census shows him boarding with James Sapp in Washington County, Florida. On July 18, 1920 he married his second wife, Mary Alice May (5/24/1901-12/28/1954) in Dothan, Alabama (Houston County). In 1930, Henry was living on the Bruce Road at Hinson Crossroads in Washington County. Henry died August 15, 1970 in Caryville, Florida (Washington County). His wife had died in 1954 and is buried at Pleasant Grove Methodist Church in Washington County, next to her husband.

*Children by Mary Alice May:*

- + 333. i **Lyn Alexander Alford** #11212 b. 11 Feb 1922.
- 334. ii **Lenora Ann Alford** #9161 b. 12 Mar 1927, Unknown, m. **Never Married** #9162. Lenora died 13 Feb 1948, Unknown.

130. **Julian Howell Alford** #665 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 23 Oct 1898, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. **Martha B. ???** #1337, b. 26 Aug 1904, Unknown, d. OCT 1979, Gadsden County, Florida, buried: 1979, Oakcrest Cemetery in Quincy, Florida. Julian died SEP 1968, Gadsden County, Florida (Greensboro), buried: SEP 1968, Oakcrest Cemetery in Quincy, Florida. (263) Julian Howell Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on October 23, 1898 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, but moved to Liberty County around 1913 with his father. On September 12, 1918 Julian registered for the draft in Lakeland, Florida (Polk County) where he was living at the time. At this time he worked in a shingle mill. By 1920 he had moved back to Gadsden County, Florida. He married Martha B.? (1904-1979) in Liberty County around 1922. In later years he lived in the Town of Greensboro, Florida, eight miles west of Quincy in Gadsden County. Julian Howell Alford died September 1968 in Gadsden County. He is buried in Oakcrest Cemetery in Quincy. His wife died in 1979 and is buried next to him. The couple had children, but I don't know who they are

*Children:*

- 335. i **Unknown Alford** #1338.

135. **Pinkie Alford** #670 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1906, Walton County, Fla., m. **Clayton Moore** #4461, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Pinkie died 31 Jul 1991, Montgomery County, Alabama, buried: 1991, Unknown. County, Florida. She grew up in Walton and, later, in Liberty County, Florida. She married Clayton Moore on November 12, 1922 in Liberty County, Florida. In 1930 the couple was living in Graceville (Jackson County), Florida, where Clayton worked at a lumber mill. Pinkie died on July 31, 1991 in Montgomery, Alabama. Nothing more is known of her. Pinkie and Clayton had the following children: Ralph Moore (1924-?), Vernon Moore (1926-?), and Mitchell Moore (1929-?).

*Children:*

- 336. i **Ralph Moore** #11228 b. 1924.
- 337. ii **Vernon Moore** #11229 b. 1926.
- 338. iii **Mitchell Moore** #11230 b. 1929.

137. **Jesse Davis Alford** #672 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 11 Mar 1922, Walton County, Florida, m. **Myrtle Ruth Carnley** #842, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. Jesse died 2 Jan 1997, Little

Rock (Pulaski County), Arkansas, buried: 1997, Unknown. (271) Jesse Davis Alford, oldest son of John Daniel and Alice Alford, was born March 11, 1922 in the Liberty, Florida area of Walton County. He married Ruth Carnley in Walton County, and lived in Little Rock, Arkansas in his adult years. Jesse died on January 2, 1997 (brother Julius Maxwell Alford's will).

*Children:*

339. i **John Daniel Alford II** #843 b. 15 Oct 1952, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #850. John died 21 Feb 1954, Walton County, Florida.
340. ii **Chalice Alford** #844 b. Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #851. Chalice died Missing, buried: Unknown. (605) Chalice Alford, daughter of Jesse Davis Alford, was born in Walton County (date unknown). She has been missing for years and nothing is known about her.
341. iii **Clairice Alford** #845 b. De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11231. Clairice died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (606) Clairice Alford, daughter of Jesse Davis Alford, was born in Walton County, Florida. She was living in De Funiak Springs, Florida in 1993. Nothing else is known of her.
342. iv **Jimmy Alford** #846 b. De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11232. Jimmy died Unknown, buried: Unknown. (607) Jimmy Alford, son of Jesse Davis Alford, was born in Walton County, Florida (date unknown). He was living in De Funiak Springs, Florida in 1993. Nothing else is known of him.
343. v **Darrell Alford** #847 b. De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11233. Darrell died Unknown, buried: Unknown. (608) Darrell Alford, son of Jesse Davis Alford, was born in Walton County (date unknown). He was living in Atlanta, Georgia in 1993. Nothing else is known of him.
344. vi **Charlene Alford** #848 b. De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11234. Charlene died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (609) Charlene Alford, daughter of Jesse Davis Alford, was born in Walton County, Florida (date unknown). She was living in Atlanta, Georgia in 1993. She presently (2002) lives in Samson, Alabama on North Johnson Street. She owns and operates the Stop and Go Restaurant located on East Main Street. Nothing else is known of her.
345. vii **Kathy Alford** #849.
138. **Wiley Jessiman Alford** #673 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 12 Mar 1924, Walton County, Florida, m. **Dolly Jane Blackwell** #852, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. Wiley died 8 Apr 1992, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1992, Cluster Springs Cemetery in, Florida. (272) Wiley Jessiman Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on March 12, 1924 in Walton County, Florida, near Liberty. He grew up in Liberty, Florida (Walton County) and married Dolly Blackwell there around 1945. That same year he showed, with his new wife, living at home with his recently widowed mother in North De Funiak Springs. He died on April 8, 1992 in Walton County and is buried at Cluster Springs Cemetery in Liberty, Florida. I do not know when his wife died.
- Children:*
346. i **Susan E. Alford** #853 b. 1948, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #856. Susan died 1948, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1948, Cluster Springs Cemetery in, Florida.
347. ii **Donald Tyson Alford** #854 b. 12 Aug 1952, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #857. Donald died 22 Oct 1960, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1960, Cluster Springs Cemetery in, Florida.
348. iii **Douglas Alford** #855 b. Walton County, Florida, m. **Not Married** #858. Douglas died Alive in 1995, buried: Unknown.
139. **Doris Delphine Alford** #674 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 29 Apr 1927, Walton Co., Florida, m. ? **Spradlin** #11235, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Doris died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A.

(273) Doris Delphine Alford, daughter of John Daniel Alford, was born on April 29, 1927 in Walton County. In 1945 she was living at home with her recently widowed mother north of De Funiak Springs (Walton County). She later married ? Spradlin (?-?). They currently (2001) live in De Funiak Springs, Florida. Nothing further is known of her. She has children: Shelly Lynn Spradlin (?-?).

*Children:*

349. i **Shelley Lynn Spradlin** #11236 b. Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **Annette Marie Jones** #13034, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Karen Leigh Baker** #13033, b. Unknown, d. Alive 2005, buried: N/A. Shelley died Alive 2005, buried: N/A.

140. **James Columbus Alford II** #675 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 23 Nov 1929, Walton County, Florida, m. **Pam ???** #859, b. Walton County, Florida, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. James died Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. (274) James Columbus Alford II, son of John Daniel Alford, named after his grandfather, James Columbus Alford, was born on November 23, 1929 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married his wife, Pam ? (?-?) in 1945, at the age of 16. In 1945 he is shown on the Florida State Census, as living, with his wife, at home with his recently widowed mother, north of De Funiak Springs (Walton County). Sometime in later years, he moved to Texas. He lived in Marshall, Texas in 1993 and in Henderson, Texas in 1998.

*Children:*

350. i **Steve Alford** #860.

141. **Julius Maxwell Alford** #676 (23.John<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 6 Jul 1932, Walton County, Florida, m. **Evelyn Josey** #861, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. Julius died 3 Feb 1998, Greensboro (Gadsden County), Fla., buried: 1998, Cluster Springs Cemetery in, Florida. (275) Julius Maxwell Alford, son of John Daniel Alford, was born on July 6, 1932 in Gadsden County, Florida (Quincy). He grew up there and later in Walton County, Florida. Julius married Evelyn Josey (?-?) in Walton County. By occupation, Julius was a technician with the U.S. Government. In 1993 they were living in Laurel Hill, Florida in Okaloosa County. Soon after the couple was divorced. Julius moved in with his sister, Doris Spradlin of 423 Live Oak Avenue in De Funiak Springs. Julius died February 3, 1998 in Walton County (De Funiak Springs) and is buried at Cluster Springs Cemetery in Walton County, Florida. His wife preceded him in death. The couple had no children.

*Children:*

351. i **No Children** #862.

149. **Dallas Alford** #678 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 13 Sep 1895, Walton County, Fla., m. **Betty Corbitt** #4378, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Dallas died 3 Jun 1972, Calhoun County, Florida, buried: 1972, Jehu Cemetery in Wewahitchka, Florida. ) Dallas Alford, oldest son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born on September 13, 1895 in Darlington (Walton County), Florida. He grew up in Walton County and registered for the draft there in 1917. At this time he worked for the Florida Saw Mill in Paxton, Florida. On October 3, 1917 he was inducted into the Army. He was discharged on February 11, 1919. Dallas later moved to Calhoun County, Florida in the early 1920s to be near his parents, who moved there also. Dallas married Betty Corbitt (?-?) in Gulf County in 1956, but had no children. The couple lived their later years in Wewahitchka in Gulf County. He died in June 3, 1972 in Calhoun County, Florida and is buried at Jehu Cemetery in Wewahitchka, Florida.

*Children:*

352. i **No Children** #7395.

150. **Andrew Jackson Alford, Sr.** #679 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 14 Feb 1898, Walton County, Fla., m. **Annie Lou Thorpe** #2707, b. 26 Nov 1907, Unknown, d. 22 Feb 1996, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., buried: 1996, Unknown. Andrew died 30 Mar 1961, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., buried: 1961. (277) Andrew Jackson Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born in Walton County

in February 14, 1898. In around 1922 he moved with his parents to Altha, Florida (Calhoun County). On January 27, 1924 he married Annie Lou Thorpe (11/26/1907-2/22/1996) in Jackson County, Florida. After marriage the couple settled in Wewahitchka, Florida (Gulf County), after a year or two in White City (17 miles south of Wewahitchka), where they raised their family. On March 30, 1961 Andrew Jackson Alford died at the nearby hospital in Appalachicola, Florida (Franklin County). His wife survived until 1996.

*Children:*

- 353. i **Andrew Jackson Alford, Jr.** #2708 b. 1924, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Fla., m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #7411. Andrew died Unknown, buried: Unknown. (615) Andrew Jackson Alford, Jr., son of Andrew Jackson Alford, was born in 1924 in Gulf County, Florida (Wewahitchka). Nothing further is known of him. It is thought that he died young.
- + 354. ii **Joseph Columbus Alford** #7355 b. 15 Aug 1925.
- + 355. iii **Doyal Elam Alford** #7356 b. 7 Jan 1929.
- + 356. iv **Annie Mae Alford** #7357 b. 5 Nov 1931.
- + 357. v **Zora Lee Alford** #7358 b. 11 Oct 1935.

151. **Johnny Alford** #7407 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1900, Walton County, Fla., m. **Bernice ???** #7408, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Johnny died 1953, England, buried: 1953, Unknown. (278) Johnny Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born in 1900 in Walton County, Florida. In the mid 1920s he moved with his parents to Calhoun County, Florida (Altha), where he was living in 1930. He grew up there and married Bernice? (date and location unknown). He served in the U.S. Army in World War II and died of a heart attack in 1953 in England.

*Children:*

- 358. i **Dwayne Alford** #7409.
- 359. ii **Brenda Alford** #7410.

153. **William Caston Alford** #681 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 14 Feb 1904, Walton Co., Florida, m. (1) **Maggie Beard** #13030, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Marie Carter** #7109, b. 16 Aug 1920, Washington County, Florida, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. William died 30 Apr 1969, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., buried: 1969, Buried at Jehu Cemetery in Wewahitchka. (280) William Caston Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born in Walton County, Florida in February 14, 1904. He moved to Calhoun County, Florida (Altha) around 1921 with his parents. The 1930 census shows William living as a boarder with James Sealy in White City, Florida (Gulf County) on State Road 6. He married first wife, Maggie Beard (?-?) in 1934 in Gulf County, who he divorced in 1944 in Gulf County. On June 24, 1944 he married Jenna Marie Carter (8/16/1920-alive / b. Washington County, Fla.) in Bristol, Florida (Liberty County). The couple was divorced in 1957 in Holmes County, Florida. William Caston was a lifelong resident of Wewahitchka. On April 30, 1969 he died in Appalachicola, Florida (Franklin County). His ex-wife still lives in Gulf County.

*Children by Marie Carter:*

- 360. i **Sharon Alford** #7359 b. 15 Jun 1945, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., m. **Never Married** #7421. Sharon died 22 Oct 1945, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., buried: 1945, Unknown. **Never:** (622) Sharon Alford, daughter of William Caston Alford, was born on June 15, 1945 in Franklin County, Florida (Appalachicola). She died a few months later as an infant on October 22, 1945 in Appalachicola.
- + 361. ii **Billy Joe Alford** #7360 b. 14 Jun 1946.
- 362. iii **William Randall Alford** #7396 b. 20 Jan 1948, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Florida, m. (1) **Patricia Ann Barlow** #13025, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Marianne Mahoskey** #13026, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (3) **Cindy Louise Coffman** #7425, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. William died 20 Jun

2002, Fort Walton Beach (Okaloosa Co), Florida, buried: 2002, Unknown. (624) William Randall Alford, son of William Caston Alford, was born on January 20, 1948 in Franklin County, Florida. He grew up Gulf county, Florida and married Cindy? (date unknown).

- + 363. iv **Linda Sue Alford** #7419 b. 6 Apr 1949.
- + 364. v **Sylvia Gayle Alford** #7420 b. 11 Dec 1952.

154. **James Gordon Alford** #682 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 2 Feb 1905, Walton County, Fla., m. **Carrie Edna Atwell** #2709, b. 18 Mar 1916, Unknown, d. 30 Nov 1979, Gulf County, Fla. (Wewahitchka), buried: 1979, Buried at Jehu Cemetery in, Florida. James died 1990, Bay County, Fla., buried: 1990, Blue Gator Cemetery in Gulf Co, Florida. (281) James Gordon Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born on February 2, 1905 in Walton County, Florida. He moved to Calhoun County, Florida around 1921 with his parents. He married his wife, Carrie Edna Atwell (3/18/1916-11/30/1979), in Libert County, Florida in 1938. He later moved south to Gulf County. James Gordon died on September 1, 1990 in Bay County, Florida and is buried at the Blue Gator Cemetery there. No dates are known about their marriage:

*Children:*

- + 365. i **Gerald Alford** #2711 b. 28 Dec 1939.
- + 366. ii **Colin Alford** #2710 b. 17 Dec 1940.
- 367. iii **Iris Merle Alford** #2712 b. 1 Mar 1942, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Fla., m. ? **Sanders** #7430, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Iris died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (629) Iris Merle Alford, daughter of James Gordon Alford, was born on an unknown date at an unknown location. She married a ? Sanders (date and location unknown). They live in Wewahitchka, Florida

155. **Cora Lee Alford** #683 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 22 Feb 1907, Walton County, Fla., m. (1) **Hosa B. Hunt** #13032, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Roy Whitfield, Sr.** #7361, b. 27 Apr 1913, Unknown, d. 3 Mar 1990, Wewahitchka, Fla. (Gulf County), buried: 1990, Buried in Pleasant Rest Cemetery in Fla. Cora died 21 Apr 1989, Wewahitchka, Fla. (Gulf County), buried: 1989, Buried in Pleasant Rest Cemetery in Co). (282) Cora Lee Alford, daughter of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born in February 22, 1907 in Walton County, Florida. She moved to Calhoun County, Florida with her parents in 1921. She married her first husband, Hosa B. Hunt (?-?) in 1929 in Franklin County. and her second, Roy Whitfield, Sr. (4/27/1913- 3/3/1990) in 1934 in Calhoun County. Cora Lee died on April 21, 1989 and is buried at Pleasant Rest Cemetery in Overstreet, Florida (Gulf County). Nothing else is known about her. Cora Lee and Roy Whitfield had the following children: Gwen Whitfield (?-? / b. unknown / m. unknown) and Roy Whitfield, Jr. (?-? / b. unknown / m. unknown).

*Children by Roy Whitfield, Sr.:*

- 368. i **Gwen Whitfield** #7362.
- 369. ii **Roy Whitfield, Jr.** #7401.

157. **Sherman Floyd Alford** #685 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 24 Mar 1909, Walton Co., Florida, m. **Katherine Elizabeth Crum** #7110, b. 13 Sep 1916, Unknown, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. Sherman died 28 Nov 1970, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., buried: 1970, Buried in 12th Street Appalachicola. (284) Sherman Floyd Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born on March 24, 1909 in Walton County, Florida. In 1921 he moved to Calhoun County, Florida with his parents and settled in Altha. In 1930 Sherman was living in White City, Florida, in southern Gulf County, where he rented a house on State Road 6. His brother, Tildon Lee, lived with him. In 1936 he married Katherine Elizabeth Crum (9/13/1916-alive) in Franklin County. They moved to Appalachicola in Franklin County and lived there. Sherman Floyd Alford was a railroad worker by profession. He died on November 28, 1970 in Franklin County, and is buried in the 12th Street Cemetery in Appalachicola.

*Children:*

- + 370. i **John William Alford** #7405 b. 5 Aug 1938.
  - + 371. ii **Betty Eugenia Alford** #7404 b. 12 Sep 1940.
  - + 372. iii **Katherine Carolyn Alford** #7403 b. 11 Dec 1942.
  - 373. iv **Judy Nell Alford** #7372 b. 17 Apr 1945, Appalachicola (Franklin County), Fla., m. (1) **Alan Carl Rice** #13015, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Joe Arrent** #7437, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. Judy died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (633) Judy Nell Alford, daughter of Sherman Floyd Alford, was born on April 17, 1945 in Appalachicola, Florida (Franklin County). She married Joe Arrent (date and location unknown). Nothing else is known of her.
  - + 374. v **Ruth Joanna Alford** #7402 b. 20 Jul 1947.
  - + 375. vi **Lloyd Alford** #7369 b. 8 Apr 1950.
  - + 376. vii **Floyd Alford** #7370 b. 8 Apr 1950.
  - + 377. viii **Clifford Wayne Alford** #7371 b. 5 Sep 1951.
158. **Tildon Lee Alford** #686 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 7 May 1915, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. **Nora Bruce Holland** #863, b. 27 Jun 1914, Carrabelle (Franklin County), Florida, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. Tildon died 11 Dec 1979, Panama City (Bay County), Florida, buried: 1979, Callaway Cemetery in Bay County, Florida. (285) Tildon Lee Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born on May 7, 1915 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Calhoun County (Calhoun County) , where he had moved to in 1921 with his parents. He later moved to Gulf County, where he met and and married Nora Bruce Holland (6/27/1914-alive / b. Gulf County) on July 22,1934. In 1930 Tildon Lee was living in White City, Florida (Gulf County) with his brother, Sherman. In 1935 he moved from Gulf County to Panama City, Florida (Bay County), and became a commercial fisherman. Tildon Lee Alford died on December 12, 1979 in Panama City, Florida, and is buried in Callaway Cemetery. I do not have the death date for his wife, Nora.
- Children:*
- + 378. i **Myrna Joyce Alford** #7398 b. 29 Sep 1936.
  - + 379. ii **James Tildon Alford** #7397 b. 27 Jan 1938.
  - 380. iii **Charles Gordon Alford** #7443 b. 5 Mar 1940, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Fla., m. **Never Married** #7451. Charles died 17 Nov 1992, Panama City (Bay County), Fla., buried: 1992, Callaway Cemetery in Bay County, Florida. (640) Charles Gordon Alford, son of Tildon Lee Alford, was born on March 15, 1940 in Gulf County, Florida. He grew up in the Gulf County/Bay County area and became a commercial fisherman. He never married and died November 17, 1992 in Panama City, Florida. He is buried at Callaway Cemetery in Bay County
  - + 381. iv **Nora Louise Alford** #864 b. 22 Apr 1941.
  - + 382. v **Millard Arthur Alford** #7444 b. 14 Mar 1944.
  - 383. vi **Audrey Faye Alford** #7445 b. 13 Nov 1946, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Fla., m. (1) **Alfred Joseph Yacopi** #13035, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Paul Foster** #7453, b. 1949, Unknown, d. 5 Jan 1999, Panama City (Bay County), Florida, buried: 1999, Unknown. Audrey died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (643) Audrey Faye Alford, daughter of Tildon Lee Alford, was born on November 13, 1946 in Gulf County, Florida. In 1964, Audrey married Alfred Joseph Yacopi (?-?) in Bay County. She married her second husband, Paul Foster (1949-1/5/1999 / b. Bay County, Fla.) on May 14, 1984 in Cairo, Georgia. Nothing else is known of her.
  - 384. vii **Donald Frazier Alford** #7446 b. 26 Feb 1950, Panama City (Bay County), Fla., m. **Delores Irene Broxton** #7454, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. Donald died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (644) Donald Frazier Alford, son of Tildon Lee Alford, was born on February 26, 1950 in Bay County, Florida. He grew up in the Bay County area and married Delores Brocton on July 12, 1980 in Cherokee County, Georgia. Donald was a Vietnam



veteran and worked as a commercial fisherman out of Panama City. Nothing else is known of him.

- + 385. viii **Rex Steven Alford** #7447 b. 4 Aug 1955.
- + 386. ix **Belinda Joy Alford** #7448 b. 29 Apr 1957.

159. **Joseph Lawrence Alford** #687 (26.Joseph<sup>3</sup>, 3.James<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Dec 1918, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. **Ruth E. Whiddon** #1119, b. 10 Dec 1920, Jackson County, Florida, d. ABT. 2004, Unknown, buried: ABT. 2004, Unknown. Joseph died 17 Nov 1985, Wewahitchka (Gulf County), Fla., buried: 1985, Unknown. (286) Joseph Lawrence Alford, son of Joseph Columbus Alford, was born on December 8, 1918 in Walton County, Florida. In 1921 he moved to Calhoun County, Florida, with his parents. He grew up there and married Ruth E. Whidden (12/10/1920-alive / b. Washington County, Fla.) on November 5, 1941 in Chipley, Florida (Washington County). In 1940 he moved to Jackson County, Florida, near Marianna, where his first child was born. He later moved to Gulf County, near Wewahitchka. On November 17, 1985 Joseph died in Bay County, Florida (Panama City). Joseph Lawrence was an insurance salesman most of his life. His wife, Ruth is still alive

*Children:*

- 387. i **Joseph Lawrence "Larry" Alford, Jr.** #1120 b. 22 Feb 1947, Marianna (Jackson County), Florida, m. **Never Married** #11252. Joseph died 31 Mar 2006, Alive in 1995, buried: 2006, Marianna (Jackson County), Florida. Obituary of Joseph Columbus Alford, Jr.
- 388. ii **Johnny Alford** #7399.
- + 389. iii **Diane Alford** #7400.

163. **Henry Carson Smith** #2293 (30.Reuben<sup>3</sup>, 4.Sarah<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. Gwinnett County, Georgia, m. **Minnie Mae Powell** #2294, b. Unknown, d. Unknown. Henry died Unknown.

*Children:*

- + 390. i **Riley Powell Smith** #2295 b. ABT. 1915.

164. **Etta M. Alford** #289 (41.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 24 Sep 1899, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. **Albert Theodore Nobles** #359, b. 7 Apr 1897, Walton County, Florida, d. 23 Feb 1988, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1988, Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva, Alabama. Etta died 27 Oct 1985, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1985, Eight Mile Cemetery in Geneva, Alabama. . (290) Etta M. Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, was born on August 24, 1899 in Walton County, Florida in the Gaskin area. She grew up in Gaskin and married Albert Nobles (4/7/1897-2/23/1988 / b. Walton County) in Walton County on November 21, 1914. She lived her entire life on Alford Road in Gaskin. In 1978, I personally interviewed Etta. She was extremely sharp, nice, and helpful. She died October 27, 1985, and is buried in Eight Mile Cemetery west of Gaskin, inside Alabama. Etta and Albert Nobles had the following children: Hubbard Otto Nobles (9/23/1915-3/13/1972 / b. Walton County / not married), Della Jewel Nobles (5/17/1918-5/10/1920 / b. Walton County), Cleamon Nobles (11/1/1920-2/1/1921 / b. Walton County), Agnes M. Nobles (8/8/1922-8/18/1922 / b. Walton County), Ermon F. Nobles (4/23/1927-5/12/1983 / b. Walton County / m. Edwina Jackson), and Gladys Nobles ((?-? / b. Walton County).

*Children:*

- 391. i **Hubbard Otto Nobles** #360 b. 23 Sep 1915, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #384. Hubbard died 13 Mar 1972, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1972, Walton County, Florida.
- 392. ii **Della Jewel Nobles** #361 b. 17 May 1918, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #385. Della died 10 May 1920, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1920, Unknown.
- 393. iii **Cleamon W. Nobles** #363 b. 1 Nov 1920, Walton County, Florida, m. **Never Married** #386. Cleamon died 1 Feb 1921, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1921, Walton County, Florida.
- 394. iv **Agnes M. Nobles** #5769 b. 8 Aug 1922, Walton County, Fla., m. **Never Married** #5770. Agnes died 18 Aug 1922, Walton County, Fla.

- + 395. v **Ermon F. Nobles** #364 b. 23 Apr 1927.
- 396. vi **Gladys Nobles** #362 b. Walton County, Florida, m. **Not Married** #387. Gladys died Walton County, Florida.

165. **Milbra L. Alford** #290 (41.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 16 Aug 1901, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Harvey M. Beck** #365, b. 19 Jul 1897, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), d. 12 Apr 1939, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1939, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Milbra died 17 Feb 1990, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1990, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (291) Milbra L. Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, was born on August 16, 1901 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Gaskin and married Harvey M. Beck (7/19/1897-4/12/1939 / b. Walton County) there in about 1923. Harvey, her husband, died in 1939 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery near Darlington. The Beck home is on Beck Road in Gaskin. Milbra lived there all her life. I interviewed Milbra Alford Beck in 1978 in her home. She was also very sharp and helpful. She died February 17, 1990 in Walton County and is buried next to her husband at Limestone Cemetery. Milbra and Harvey Beck had the following children: Henry Beck (3/9/1924-12/27/1994/ b. Walton County), Michael Beck (1/24/1927-9/3/1996 / b. Walton County / m. Eloise Bracewell), Melvina Beck (10/8/1931-alive / b. Walton County / m. Jesse Griffith), and Haven Beck (1936-alive / b. Walton County, Fla. / m. Beth Vandoris).

*Children:*

- 397. i **Henry Beck** #366 b. 9 Mar 1924, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11266. Henry died 27 Dec 1994, Unknown, buried: 1994, Unknown.
- + 398. ii **Michael Beck** #367 b. 24 Jan 1927.
- + 399. iii **Melvina Beck** #368 b. 8 Oct 1931.
- + 400. iv **Haven Beck** #369 b. 1936.

166. **Emma Gay Alford** #291 (41.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 27 Nov 1906, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. **Charley Beck** #370, b. 14 Nov 1904, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), d. 28 Jun 1992, Unknown, buried: 1992, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Emma died 13 Jul 2000, Walton County, Florida, buried: 2000, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (292) Emma Gay Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, was born on November 27, 1905 in Gaskin (Walton County), Florida. She grew up in the Gaskin area and married Charley Beck (11/14/1904-6/28/1992 / b. Walton County) there about 1921. They settled down on Beck Road in Gaskin and lived their entire lives there. I interviewed Emma in 1978 and she was very sharp and helpful. Her husband, Charlie, died in 1992 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Emma died on July 13, 2000 and is buried next to her husband. Emma and Charley Beck had the following children: Eugene Beck (5/7/1922-2/20/1945 / b. Walton County / never married), Burl Beck (1924-alive / b. Walton County / m. Estelle Reddick), Amos Beck (1932-alive / b. Walton County / m. Christina Holley), and Opel Beck (1937-alive / b. Walton County / m. James Allen).

*Children:*

- 401. i **Eugene Beck** #371 b. 7 May 1922, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Never Married** #375. Eugene died 20 Feb 1945, Unknown, buried: 1945, Unknown.
- + 402. ii **Burl Beck** #372 b. 1924.
- + 403. iii **Amos Beck** #373 b. 1932.
- + 404. iv **Opel Beck** #374 b. 1937.

167. **Mettie Alford** #292 (41.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 16 Mar 1909, Walton County, Florida, m. **John F. McDaniel** #376, b. 24 Dec 1904, Walton County, Florida, d. 19 Mar 1971, Unknown, buried: 1971, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Mettie died 3 Mar 1973, Jackson County, Florida, buried: 1973, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (293) Mettie Alford, daughter of Francis Marion Alford, was born on March 16, 1909 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married John F. McDaniel (12/24/1904-3/19/1971) there about 1930. Mettie died in an automobile

accident in 1973 in Jackson County, Florida. Her, husband, John, had died in 1971. They are buried at Limestone Cemetery. Mettie and John McDaniel had the following children: Paul McDaniel (10/2/1931-6/30/1944 / b. unknown), James McDaniel (9/30/1935- 10/10/1935 / b. Walton County) / m. never), and Vileen McDaniel (?-alive / b. unknown / m. Ray Alderman).

*Children:*

- 405. i **Paul McDaniel** #379 b. 2 Oct 1931, Unknown, m. **Never married** #4374. Paul died 30 Jun 1944, Unknown.
- 406. ii **James McDaniel** #378 b. 30 Sep 1935, Unknown, m. **Never Married** #4375. James died 10 Oct 1935, Unknown.
- + 407. iii **Vileen McDaniel** #377.

168. **Richard Francis Alford** #293 (41.Francis<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 7 Mar 1911, Gaskin (Walton County), Florida, m. **Iris Catherine Ray** #380, b. 4 Apr 1914, Walton County, Florida, d. 3 Mar 2001, Walton County, Florida, buried: 2001, Gaskin Baptist Church Cemetery. Richard died 21 Jul 2001, Unknown, buried: 2001, Gaskin Baptist Church Cemetery. (294) Richard Francis Alford, son of Francis Marion Alford, was born on March 7, 1911 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County in Gaskin and lived entire life there. He married Iris Catherine Ray (4/4/1914-3/3/2001) there and both of them are still living on Alford Road in Gaskin. I met them in 1978 and they have been very helpful in my research. In 1997 Iris had a stroke and lived in a nursing home the last couple years of her life, until her death in 2001. Richard, at age 90, still lived in the house built by his father, Francis Marion Alford. The house is located on Alford Road in Gaskin, Florida. Richard died on July 21, 2001. Both he and his wife are buried at Gaskin Baptist Church in Walton County.

*Children:*

- + 408. i **Bruce Gilbert Alford, Sr.** #381 b. 21 Sep 1943.
- + 409. ii **Ollie Sue Alford** #382 b. 11 Apr 1950.
- + 410. iii **Richard Keith Alford** #383 b. 13 Apr 1954.

169. **Steele Preachers** #302 (42.John<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1889, Gaskin, Florida (Walton County), m. **Ella Brannon** #464, b. Florida, d. Unknown. Steele died Leon County, Florida.

*Children:*

- 411. i **No Children** #465.

172. **Homer Sherman Alford** #298 (42.John<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 18 Mar 1903, Walton County, Florida, m. **Tinie Estelle Clark** #454, b. 19 Sep 1906, Unknown, d. 21 Apr 1969, Unknown, buried: 1969, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co. Homer died 27 Jan 1986, Indian River County, Florida, buried: 1986, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Co. (296) Homer Sherman Alford, son of John Turner "Bully" Alford, was born on March 18, 1903 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married Tinie Estelle Clark (9/19/1906-4/21/1969) in 1923 in Walton County. In 1925 he bought land from his dying father, "Bully" Alford. That same year he became the guardian of his minor siblings, when his father died. The 1930 federal census shows Homer living in the Upper Alaqua area (Pleasant Ridge) of Walton County. His younger brother John Lee was living with him. In 1945 he still lived in the Pleasant Ridge area, west of De Funiak Springs, Florida. The Florida State Census of 1945 shows him at Pleasant Ridge, with his family. At one time Homer ran for Tax Collector for Walton County. In later years he lived in Indian River County, Florida, where he died on January 27, 1986. His wife had preceded him in death in 1969. Both are buried at Pleasant Valley Cemetery, 5 miles west of De Funiak Springs, Florida.

*Children:*

- 412. i **Wendell Alford** #456 b. 1924, Alaqua (Walton County), Florida, m. **Odileen ?** #458, b. 1922, Unknown, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. Wendell died Alive in 1995, buried: Unknown. (654) Wendell Alford, son of Homer Sherman Alford, was born in 1924 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in the Pleasant Ridge area of Walton County, just west

of De Funiak Springs and married Odileen ? (1922-unknown) there about 1944. Nothing else is known about him.

+ 413. ii **Glynn Herman Alford** #455 b. 14 Jan 1926.

174. **John Lee Alford** #300 (42.John<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 4 Sep 1919, Alaquia (Walton County), Florida, m. **Virginia Perry** #459, b. 1921, Live Oak (Suwannee County), Florida, d. 8 Oct 2003, Cross City, Florida, buried: 2003, Live Oak Cemetery. John died JUL 1981, Live Oak (Suwannee County), Florida, buried: 1981, Live Oak Cemetery. (298) John Lee Alford, son of "Bully" Alford, was born on September 4, 1919 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, and married Virginia Perry (1921-10/8/2003) around 1946 in Walton County. In 1930 he lived with his older brother, Homer Sherman and his wife. In 1940, John Lee joined the U.S. Navy. He was serving on the battleship USS Maryland at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese attacked in 1942. In 1945 John Lee was living as a single man in the Pleasant Ridge area of Walton County, just west of De Funiak Springs, Florida. After marriage, John Lee and his wife, soon moved back to Virginia's home town of Live Oak, Florida (probably in the late 1940s). There they both taught school and lived the rest of their lives. John Lee died in July 1981 in Suwannee County, Florida (Live Oak). Virginia died on October 8, 2003 in Cross City, Florida after a long illness. She had been a Sunday School teacher and a teacher in The Suwannee County School System for 45 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Live Oak. They are both buried at Live Oak Cemetery.

*Children:*

414. i **John Perry Alford** #460 b. 9 Nov 1947, Live Oak (Suwannee County), Florida, m. **Not Married** #462. John died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (655) John Perry Alford, son of John Lee Alford, on November 9, 1947 in Walton County, Florida. In 1980, John Perry was a veterinarian in Gorham, Maine. He is not married and lives in Live Oak, Florida today (2003).

415. ii **Donita Roseanne Alford** #461 b. 12 Apr 1953, Live Oak (Suwannee County), Florida, m. **Douglas Tannenbaum** #463, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. Donita died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (656) Donita Roseanne Alford, daughter of John Lee Alford, was born on April 12, 1953 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up there and married a Douglas Tannenbaum (?-alive 2003)(date and location unknown). Today (2003) they live in Lake City, Florida.

176. **Jeremiah William Alford** #304 (43.William<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 17 Sep 1899, Darlington in Walton County, Florida., m. **Addie Rae Peacock** #467, b. 13 Sep 1902, Geneva County, Alabama, d. 26 Dec 1993, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1993, Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Fla. Jeremiah died 21 Jan 1993, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1993, Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Fla. . (300) Jeremiah William Alford, son of "Shug" Alford, was born on September 17, 1899 in Walton County, Florida in the town of Darlington. Jeremiah grew up in the Gaskin/Darlington area of Walton County. During childhood his family moved back and forth from Walton County, Florida to Geneva County, Alabama. On September 12, 1918, Jeremiah registered for the military draft in Samson, Alabama. Around this time in his life, Jeremiah was employed by the Douglas Cotton Oil Company in Samson, Alabama. In about 1926 Jeremiah married Addie Rae Peacock (9/13/1902-12/26/1993 / b. Geneva County, Al.). Jeremiah and Addie settled down and built a house on the Oak Grove Road almost next door to Limestone Cemetery. In 1935, Jeremiah moved his family to Houston, Texas (Harris County) to take a job with Peeden Iron Company. They returned to Walton County, however, in November of 1939. In 1945 Jeremiah moved to Arkansas, settling 10 miles south of Texarkana, to try to set up a business. He, once again, returned to Walton County in 1949. Here he stayed and farmed the rest of his life. I met Jeremiah and his wife in 1978 and they were extremely nice and helpful in my research. They, along with their oldest son, William, had also done quite a bit of research on the family, including making a trip to Robeson County, North Carolina. Jeremiah's mind was extremely sharp right up until his death on

January 21, 1993 at the age of 92. Much of my oral family history came from Jeremiah and his wife. Addie died less than a year after her husband. I'm not sure of their death location, but I believe it was Geneva County, Alabama. They are buried at Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery on Oak Grove Road near Gaskin, Florida.

*Children:*

- + 416. i **William Alexander Alford** #468 b. 12 Jan 1927.
- + 417. ii **Joel Turner Alford, Sr.** #469 b. 2 May 1929.
- + 418. iii **Jeremiah Acey Alford** #470 b. 14 Jan 1931.
- + 419. iv **John Gary Alford** #471 b. 10 Dec 1933.
- + 420. v **Hattie Elzadie Alford** #472 b. 13 Mar 1936.
- + 421. vi **Douglas Dannelly Alford, Sr.** #473 b. 24 Jul 1938.
- 422. vii **Jordan Washington Alford** #474 b. 10 Feb 1941, Walton Co., Fla., m. **Jackie Windham** #5018, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. Jordan died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (663) Jordan Washington Alford, son of Jeremiah Alford, was born on February 10, 1941 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County, Florida and married Jackie Windham (?-?) in Walton County on February 9, 1971. Nothing else is known of him.
- + 423. viii **Nina Rea Alford** #475 b. 6 Jun 1943.
- + 424. ix **Katherine Gail Alford** #476 b. 15 Jul 1945.
- + 425. x **Steven Fletcher Alford** #477 b. 11 Sep 1947.

178. **Dwar Alford** #306 (43.William<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 25 Oct 1903, Darlington (Walton County), Florida, m. **Ola Estelle McDaniel** #530, b. 3 Oct 1902, Walton County, Florida, d. 5 Dec 1973, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1973, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Dwar died 6 Jan 1987, Pensacola (Escambia County), Florida, buried: 1987, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (302) Dwar Alford, son of "Shug" Alford, was born on October 25, 1903 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married Ola Estelle McDaniel (10/3/1902-12/5/1973 / b. Walton County) about 1925 in Walton County. Dwar lived his entire life in the Darlington, Florida area of Walton County. The 1930 federal census has Dwar and Ola living four houses away from his father, William David Alford. He died on January 6, 1987 in Pensacola, Florida, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. His wife had died in 1973 in Geneva County, Alabama and is buried next to him. He later married Pansy McDougald, who he divorced on February 13, 1976.

*Children:*

- 426. i **Jewel Alford** #531 b. 23 Aug 1926, Walton County, Florida, d. Alive in 1995, buried: Unknown. (667) Jewel Alford, daughter of Dwar Alford, was born on August 23, 1926 in Walton County (Darlington). She grew up there and married Amos Gainey, Jr. (12/22/1896-6/1966) in Walton County (date unknown). Amos died in 1966 in Miami, Florida. Nothing else is known of her. She had no children.
- + 427. ii **Vonnie B. Alford** #532 b. 1931.
- + 428. iii **Zaddie Lou Alford** #533 b. 1937.
- 429. iv **Norma Alford** #534 b. 1943, Walton County, Florida, m. **Paul Davis** #545, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. Norma died Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. (670) Norma Alford, daughter of Dwar Alford, was born in 1947 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up there and married Paul Davis (?-?) (location unknown). Nothing else is known of her.

180. **Noah Alford** #308 (43.William<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Aug 1908, Elba (Coffee County), Alabama, m. **Pearlie Barker** #316, b. 24 May 1906, Unknown, d. 19 Nov 1988, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1988, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Noah died 23 Jan 1998, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, buried: 1998, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (304) Noah Alford, son of "Shug" Alford", was born on August 8, 1908 in Elba, Alabama (Coffee County). He grew up in Geneva County and Walton County, Florida. Noah served in the US Army during World War II. He lived most of his life as a

bachelor in Walton County, with his father until 1950, but finally married Pearlie Barker (5/24/1906-11/19/1988) on August 7, 1968. Noah never had any children. Noah died on January 23, 1998 at home in Darlington, Florida, and is buried with his wife at Limestone Cemetery near Darlington. His nephew, Harold J. Alford was his administrator.

*Children:*

430. i **No Children** #11281.

181. **Plexter Alford** #309 (43.William<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 10 Sep 1910, Geneva County, Alabama, m. (1) **Leola Evans** #13007, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown, m. (2) **Thelma Johnson** #527, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1995, buried: UAlive in 1998. Plexter died 12 Jun 1982, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1982, Unknown. (305) Plexter Alford, son of William David "Shug" Alford, was born on September 10, 1910 in Geneva County, Alabama. He grew up in Walton County, Florida and married Thelma Johnson (no information). "Pleck", as he was known lived in the Darlington, Florida area his entire life. He died in Walton County on June 12, 1982. His wife is still living there at the time of this writing.

*Children by Thelma Johnson:*

431. i **Harold Alford** #528 b. 1 Sep 1953, Geneva (Geneva County), AL, m. **Jean Marie ?** #11282, b. Unknown, d. Unknown, buried: Unknown. Harold died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A.

432. ii **Henry Alford** #529 b. 8 Oct 1957, Geneva (Geneva County), AL, m. **Unknown** #11283. Henry died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (672) Henry Alford, son of Plexter Alford, was born on October 8, 1957 in Geneva County, Alabama. Nothing else is known of him.

182. **Lonie Mae Alford** #310 (43.William<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 30 Mar 1912, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Earnest Lester** #523, b. Walton County, Florida, d. Unknown, buried: Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Lonie died 27 Sep 1989, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1989, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (306) Lonie Mae Alford, daughter of William David Alford, was born on March 30, 1912 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married Earnest Lester there (date unknown). The couple lived there entire life in Walton County. Lonie died on September 27, 1989 in Walton County. Her husband's dates are not known. Lonie and Earnest Lester had one child: Earnest Floyd Lester (1943-alive / b. Walton County / m. Sheryl Parker = son, Billy Scott Lester / b. 1964).

*Children:*

+ 433. i **Earnest Floyd Lester** #524 b. 1943.

183. **Nettie Virginia Alford** #313 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 3 Jan 1901, Walton County, Florida, m. (1) **George Jefferson Padgett** #11284, b. Unknown, d. 1918, Unknown, buried: UAlive in 1998, m. (2) **Jesse Tomlin** #546, b. 22 Jun 1896, Walton County, Florida, d. 21 Apr 1941, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1941, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Nettie died 4 Jun 1991, St. Petersburg (Pinellas Co), Florida, buried: 1991, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (307) Nettie Victoria Alford, daughter of Charles Union Alford, was born on January 3, 1901 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married her first husband, George Jefferson Padgett in 1917. He died soon after marriage, prior to 1920, and Nettie then married Jesse Tomlin (6/22/1896-4/21/1941 / b. Walton County) in Walton County in 1921. Her husband died in 1941 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. Nettie was living in De Funiak Springs, Florida in 1978 as a widow. Nettie moved to St. Petersburg, Florida in 1983, where she died on June 4, 1991. She is buried next to her husband at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. Nettie and Jesse Tomlin had the following children: Grady Hulon Tomlin (1/11/1922-7/16/1999), Millage Louis Tomlin (1925-alive / b.Walton County / m. Myrdie Wilkes), Sexton Roy Tomlin (1927-1928 / b. Walton County), Sidney Lois Tomlin (1929-alive 1991 in St. Petersburg / b. Walton County), James Earl Tomlin (1929-unknown / b. Walton County), Roy Henry Tomlin (1932-alive / b. Walton County / m. Nalda Cox), and Hubert Lee Tomlin (1937-alive / b. Walton County / m. Jean Owens).

*Children by Jesse Tomlin:*

434. i **Grady Hulon Tomlin** #547 b. 11 Jan 1922, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #8186. Grady died 6 Jul 1999, St. Petersburg (Pinellas Co), Florida, buried: 1999, Unknown.
- + 435. ii **Millage Louis Tomlin** #548 b. 1925.
436. iii **Sexton Roy Tomlin** #549 b. 1927, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #564. Sexton died 1928, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, buried: 1928, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida.
437. iv **Sidney Lois Tomlin** #550 b. 1929, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #8187. Sidney died AFT. 1945, Unknown, buried: UAlive in 1998.
438. v **James Earl Tomlin** #551 b. 1929, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #8185. James died AFT. 1945, Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 439. vi **Roy Henry Tomlin** #552 b. 1932.
- + 440. vii **Hubert Lee Tomlin** #553 b. 1937.
184. **Millage Deal Alford** #314 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 7 Oct 1903, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Lillie Mae Purvis** #624, b. 4 Sep 1909, Walton County, Florida, d. 5 Aug 2000, Bonifay (Holmes County), Florida, buried: 2000, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. Millage died OCT 1989, Niceville (Okaloosa County), Fla., buried: 1989, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. (307) Nettie Victoria Alford, daughter of Charles Union Alford, was born on January 3, 1901 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married her first husband, George Jefferson Padgett in 1917. He died soon after marriage, prior to 1920, and Nettie then married Jesse Tomlin (6/22/1896-4/21/1941 / b. Walton County) in Walton County in 1921. Her husband died in 1941 and is buried at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. Nettie was living in De Funiak Springs, Florida in 1978 as a widow. Nettie moved to St. Petersburg, Florida in 1983, where she died on June 4, 1991. She is buried next to her husband at Limestone Cemetery in Walton County. Nettie and Jesse Tomlin had the following children: Grady Hulon Tomlin (1/11/1922-7/16/1999), Millage Louis Tomlin (1925-alive / b. Walton County / m. Myrlie Wilkes), Sexton Roy Tomlin (1927-1928 / b. Walton County), Sidney Lois Tomlin (1929-alive 1991 in St. Petersburg / b. Walton County), James Earl Tomlin (1929-unknown / b. Walton County), Roy Henry Tomlin (1932-alive / b. Walton County / m. Nalda Cox), and Hubert Lee Tomlin (1937-alive / b. Walton County / m. Jean Owens).
- Children:*
- + 441. i **Lola Carlita Alford** #625 b. 3 Mar 1930.
442. ii **Lowell Eugene Alford** #626 b. 13 Mar 1932, Niceville (Okaloosa County), Fla., m. **Doris Stevens** #8213, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1999, buried: Unknown. Lowell died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A.
443. iii **Michael Deal Alford, Jr.** #627 b. 19 Jun 1943, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. **Dorothy ?** #8214, b. Unknown, d. Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. Michael died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A.
185. **Henry Clayton Alford** #315 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 8 Mar 1907, Walton County, Fla., m. **Beulah Collingsworth** #2742, b. 31 Jul 1910, Walton County, Fla., d. 27 Oct 1997, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, buried: 1997, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. Henry died 6 Oct 2000, Niceville (Okaloosa County), Fla., buried: 2000, Darlington Methodist Church, Fla. (309) Henry Clayton Alford, son of Charles Union Alford, was born on March 3, 1907 in Mossy Head (Walton County), Florida. He grew up in Walton County (Gaskin) and married Beulah Collingsworth (7/31/1910-10/27/1997 / b. Walton County) there about 1931. In 1978 they were living on Collingsworth Road in Gaskin. Clayton Alford was a retired Florida Department of Transportation employee. Mr. Alford lived in De Funiak Springs, Fla. in 1999. His wife is buried at Darlington Methodist Church in Darlington, Florida. Henry Clayton died on October 6, 2000 in Niceville, Florida at a nursing home, and is buried next to his wife in

Darlington.

*Children:*

- + 444. i **Mary O. Cleatus Alford** #2743 b. 1932.
- + 445. ii **Amon Lewis Alford** #2744 b. 1933.
- + 446. iii **Essie Lee Alford** #2745 b. 1936.
- + 447. iv **Angus Wilford Alford** #2746 b. 1938.
- + 448. v **Grady Wesley Alford** #2747 b. 14 Nov 1941.

186. **Burler Louvester Alford** #317 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 26 Nov 1910, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Arvin Arvil Mitchem** #318, b. 14 Mar 1910, Ponce de Leon (Holmes County), Fla., (son of William Thomas Mitchem #2714 and Ella Nola Davis #2715) d. 8 Jul 1981, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1981, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. Burler died Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. (310) Burler Louvester Alford, daughter of Charles Union Alford, was born on November 26,1910 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in the Gaskin, Florida area of Walton County, where she married Arvin Arvil Mitchem (3/14/1910-7/8/1981 / b. Ponce de Leon, Florida) in about 1934. Burler and Arvin were living in Darlington when I met them in 1978. Burler, a morman, provided me with much information in this research narrative. Burler still lives in Darligton, Florida today (2000). Arvin died in 1981, and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. Burler and Arvin had the following children: Carl Thomas Mitchem (1935-alive / b. Walton County/ m. Jewel Cossans), Othella Mitchem (12/19/1937-12/19/1937 / b. Walton County), Ella Catherine Mitchem (1939-alive / b. Walton County / m. Dee Smith), Jeremiah Lewis Mitchem (1942-unknown b. Walton County), Charles Union Mitchem (1944-alive / b. Walton County / m. Bernice Adkisson), and Wendel Arvin Mitchem (1949-alive / b. Walton County / m. Debbie Kennington).

*Children:*

- + 449. i **Carl Thomas Mitchem** #565 b. 1935.
- 450. ii **Othela Mitchem** #2716 b. 19 Dec 1937, Walton County, Fla., m. **Never Married** #11292. Othela died 19 Dec 1937, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1937, Unknown.
- + 451. iii **Ella Catherine Mitchem** #566 b. 1939.
- 452. iv **Jeremiah Lewis Mitchem** #567 b. 1942, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11293. Jeremiah died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 453. v **Charles Union Mitchem** #568 b. 1944.
- + 454. vi **Wendel Arvin Mitchem** #569 b. 1949.

188. **Damascus Walon Alford** #320 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 20 Apr 1915, De Funiak Springs (Walton Co), Florida, m. **Thelma Burkett** #321, b. 8 Oct 1925, Holmes County, Florida, d. Alive in 1995, buried: N/A. Damascus died 25 Apr 1985, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1985, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (312) Damascus Walon Alford, son of Charles Union Alford, was born on April 20, 1915 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in the Darlington area of Walton County, and married Thelma Ophelia Burkette (10/8/1925-alive / b. Holmes County) there in about 1942. The family lived in Darlington all their lives. Walon Alford died April 25, 1985 at Valley Springs Hospital in De Funiak Springs, Florida and is buried at Limestone Cemetery. His wife is still alive

*Children:*

- 455. i **Cliston Alford** #11294 b. 14 Jul 1942, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. **Never Married** #11295. Cliston died 14 Jul 1942, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, buried: 1942, Unknown.
- + 456. ii **Eunice Paulette Alford** #600 b. 1944.
- + 457. iii **Steele Monroe Alford** #601 b. 1947.
- + 458. iv **Donnis B. Alford** #602 b. 1949.
- + 459. v **Leritha Elizabeth Alford** #603 b. 1952.
- 460. vi **Dwight Walon Alford** #604 b. 7 Jun 1954, Walton County, Florida, m. **Paula Diane Wamble** #8183, b. Unknown, d. Alive 2005, buried: N/A. Dwight died Alive in 1999, buried: N/A. (686) Dwight Walon Alford, son of Damascus Walon Alford, was born in 1954



in Walton County, Florida. Nothing else is known of him.

- + 461. vii **Carlene Alford** #605 b. 1956.
- + 462. viii **Roger Dale Alford** #606 b. 1957.

189. **Roy Cecil Alford** #322 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 14 Nov 1918, Walton County, Fla., m. **Joanna H. Neitsch** #323, b. 17 Feb 1921, Unknown, d. Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. Roy died 3 Oct 1974, Pensacola (Escambia County), Florida, buried: 1974, Unknown. (313) Roy Cecil Alford, son of Charles Union Alford, was born on November 14, 1918 in Walton County, Florida. He grew up in Walton County and married Johanna Nietsch (2/17/1921-alive) there on April 26, 1945. Roy had joined the U.S. Army on October 22, 1941 in Florida. Roy died on October 3, 1974 in Pensacola, Florida. His wife, Johanna still lives in Ponce de Leon, Florida (2000) in Holmes County.

*Children:*

- + 463. i **Cathy Faye Alford** #2722 b. 1945.
- + 464. ii **Roy Cecil Alford, Jr.** #2723 b. 1946.
- + 465. iii **Charles Oswald Alford** #2724 b. 1949.
- + 466. iv **Carolyn Ann Alford** #2725 b. 1950.
- + 467. v **William Ray Alford** #2726 b. 1952.
- + 468. vi **Phillip Eugene Alford** #2727 b. 1954.

190. **Bernice Lunette Alford** #324 (45.Charles<sup>3</sup>, 8.John<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 14 Jun 1924, Darlington (Walton Co.), Florida, m. (1) **Grover Collingsworth** #590, b. 28 May 1915, Walton County, Florida, d. 6 May 1988, Walton County, Fla., buried: 1988, Unknown, m. (2) **Carl Allen** #594, b. 4 Aug 1924, Unknown, d. Alive in 2005, buried: N/A. Bernice died 30 Nov 1990, Walton County, Florida, buried: 1990, Limestone Cemetery in Walton Co, Florida. (314) Bernice Alford, daughter of Charles Union Alford, was born on June 14, 1924 in Walton County, Florida. She grew up in Walton County and married Grover Collingsworth (5/28/1915-5/6/1988) there (date unknown). In 1944 she was divorced from Grover and married Carl Allen (8/4/1924-alive 2004). In 1978 Bernice and Carl Allen were living in Blair, Oklahoma. On November 30, 1990, Bernice died and is buried at Limestone Cemetery near Darlington, Florida. Carl Allen is still alive (2004). Bernice and Grover Collingsworth had the following children: Burris Collingsworth (unknown-unknown), Harold Collingsworth (1943-alive / b. Walton County / m. Margene Redmon), and Zettie Collingsworth (unknown-unknown). Bernice and Carl Allen had the following children: David Allen (?-?) and Kevin Allen (?-?).

*Children by Grover Collingsworth:*

- 469. i **Burris Collingsworth** #591 b. 1941, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11304. Burris died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- 470. ii **Zettie Collingsworth** #593 b. 1942, Walton County, Florida, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Unknown** #11305. Zettie died Unknown, buried: Unknown.
- + 471. iii **Harold Collingsworth** #592 b. 1943.

*Children by Carl Allen:)*

- 472. iv **David Allen** #595.
- 473. v **Kevin Allen** #596.

193. **Cora Ethel Tadlock** #6277 (48.James<sup>3</sup>, 9.Jane<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 27 Dec 1892, Holmes County, Fla, m. **William Hamilton Stafford** #6289, b. 29 Jul 1885, Holmes County, Florida, d. 9 Oct 1970, Hurricane Creek (Holmes County), Florida, buried: 1970, Hurricane Creek Cemetery in, Florida. Cora died 11 Oct 1974, Panama City (Bay County), Florida, buried: 1974, Hurricane Creek (Holmes County), Florida.

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- + 474. i **Annie Ruth Stafford** #14189 b. 24 Nov 1919.

204. **William Roy Jones** #16006 (52.Sarah<sup>3</sup>, 9.Jane<sup>2</sup>, 1.John<sup>1</sup>) b. 1901, Unknown, m. **Gladys A. Gardner**

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+ 475. i **William Roy Jones, Jr.** #16008 b. 1928.

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