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## Frances "Fannie" DuPriest Park Alford

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Founding Member

February 22, 1915 - August 8, 2012





Mrs. Frances DuPriest Park Alford, 97, of Sylvester died Wednesday August 8, 2012 at her residence.

The funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday August 11, 2012 at Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church with interment to follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery with Rev. Mike Davis officiating.

Serving as pallbearers were Ray Banks, Todd Deariso, Clayton Earl Thomas, Jimmy Rouse and John Sutton.

Mrs. Alford was born on February 22, 1915 in Shingler to the late John Jabez and Ada Victoria Patton DuPriest. She is a native Worth Countian and had lived here most of her life. Mrs. Alford has been very active in her community throughout her life. She was the first president of the Green Thumb Garden Club and has served in many offices throughout the organization.

She was also a nationally accredited "Master Flower Show Judge." Mrs. Alford traveled to many places throughout the world including Europe and Asia. On a trip to Japan, Mrs. Alford took classes to increase her knowledge of oriental flower arranging. She was a long time member of the Sylvester Woman's Club and former board member on the Margaret Jones Public Library. Mrs. Alford was a homemaker and a life-long member of Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church where she had served in many capacities.

Survivors include her son John Mack Park (Deborah) of Sylvester; daughter-in-law, Faye W. Park of Sylvester; grandchildren, Deidre Park, Sam Park (Jenn) and Thomas Mack Park; great grandson, Aiden Park.

In addition to her parents Mrs. Alford was preceded in death by her husbands, Mack Park on May 19, 1964 and Captain Lodwick Alford December 19, 2007 and a son, Sammy D. Park on December 30, 1995.

The family will receive friends on Saturday from 12:30 PM until 2:00 PM at Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

For those desiring, memorials may be made to the Margaret Jones Public Library 205 Pope St. Sylvester, Ga., 31791.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of the arrangements.

The obituary published in the Albany Herald, Albany, GA on 8 Aug 2012 and in the Sylvester Local News, in Sylvester, GA on Wednesday, August 15th, 2012.

Birth: 22 Feb 1915  
Shingler, Worth County, Georgia, USA  
Death: 8 Aug 2012  
Sylvester, Worth County, Georgia, USA  
Burial: Hillcrest Cemetery  
Sylvester, Worth County, Georgia, USA  
Memorial ID: 95092736  
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#### Family Members

- Parents  
John Jabez DuPriest, 1873-1943  
Ada Victoria Patton, 1878-
- Spouses  
Mack Park, 1912-1964  
Lodwick Houston Alford, 1914-2007
- Siblings  
Gladys DuPriest, 1898-  
Robert DuPriest, 1899-  
Eyleen DuPriest, 1902-1994  
Mildred DuPriest, 1904-  
Raymond DuPriest, 1906-  
Alda DuPriest, 1909-
- Children  
Samuel DuPriest Park, 1942-1995  
John Mack Park, 1938-2018

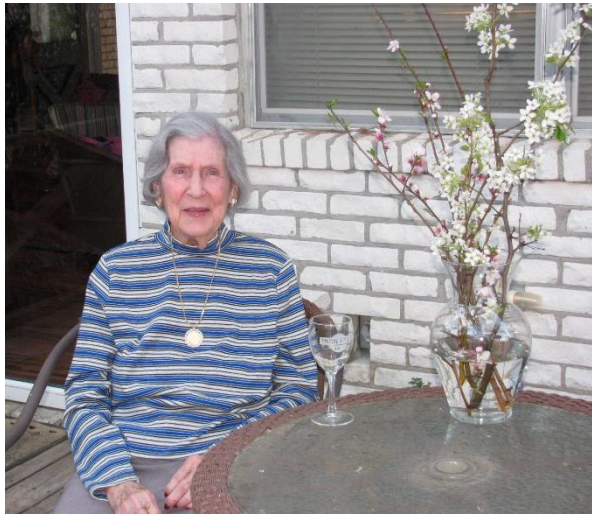
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Painting Lodwick had made of Frannie.



Various online public pictures of Mrs. Alford:



Frannie's Birthday



JJ and Ada DuPriest family in Sylvester, GA