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## Betty Ann Farris Alford

AAFA #0565s

Charter Member

October 16, 1928 – January 25, 2013

Betty Ann Alford, 84, of Amarillo, TX left us for her Heavenly Home on Friday, Jan. 25th. The graveside burial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 31st at Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo.

Betty was born in St. Louis, MO on October 16, 1928. She lived in Amarillo for 74 years and spent the last 4 years living in Shawnee, OK. She married Neal, the love of her life, on November 27, 1948. They spent 47 wonderful years together and were blessed with 3 children that have continued to grow their loving families. In addition to being the motherly head of her family, she was also a long-time member of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Amarillo.

Betty is survived by her children, Rick Alford and his wife Rhonda of Bakersfield, CA; Nellanne Fisher of Lubbock, TX; Gary Alford and his wife Tonya of Wellston, OK; her wealth of grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Shannon Watson and her husband Gary; Pamela Bogart and her husband Joe and their children Savannah, Ethan and Kholeton; Michelle Van Parys and her husband Chris and their children Wyatt and Aubriana; Tiffany Buck and her husband Joe and their children Jude and Pax; Preston Alford and his wife Jacey; Chelsea Fisher; Joshua Alford and his wife Crystal and their children Makenzie and Izabella.

Memorial donations may be given on her behalf to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church at 6900 Hillside Rd, Amarillo, TX.

Information copied from the [Lehman Funeral Home](#), Wellston, OK.

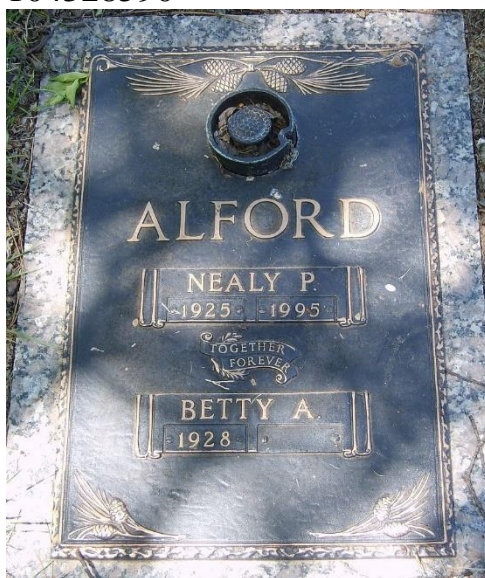
Betty Ann Alford of Shawnee, originally of Amarillo, Texas, died Jan. 25, 2013 at the age of 84.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 29, at Lehman Funeral Home of Wellston.

Burial will be 2 p.m. Thursday Jan. 31 at Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo, Texas.

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Birth: 16 Oct 1928  
Saint Louis, St. Louis County, Missouri, USA  
Death: 25 Jan 2013 (aged 84)  
Shawnee, Pottawatomie County, Oklahoma, USA  
Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery  
Amarillo, Potter County, Texas, USA  
Plot: Hope Section, Block H, Lot 3, Space 2  
Memorial ID: 104328590



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## Family Members

- Parents  
Frank Raymond Farris, Sr., 1896-1970  
Evangeline Mabel Schmidt, 1900-1993
- Spouse  
Nealy Preston Alford, 1925-1995 (m. 1948)
- Siblings  
Frank Raymond Farris, Jr., 1923-1993
- Children  
Rick Alford  
Nellanne Alford Fisher  
Gary Alford

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## AAFA NOTES

- Her husband's Alford lineage: Nealy Preston 1925 AL<sup>1</sup>, Hardman Talmadge 1898 AL<sup>2</sup>, William J. 1861 AL<sup>3</sup>, Jefferson J. 1812 GA/TN<sup>4</sup>, Baldy 1784 NC<sup>5</sup>, Isham 1755 NC<sup>6</sup>.