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SILVER SPRING, MD -Mary Alford Intellini, of Silver Spring, MD. Beloved wife of the late William Richard

Intellini, died October 1, 2002, at Holy Cross Hospital, Silver Spring, MD. Daughter of the late Benjamin Smith Alford Sr. and Lula Stallings Alford, She was born April 24, 1924, in Bunn, North Carolina.

She is survived by her son, Richard Anthony Intellini, Woodbridge, VA; daughter, Linda Marie Intellini Figert and husband, Karl of Silver Spring, MD; grandmother of Lynley Kristen, and Lauren Intellini; Lynmarie and William Figert. Great grandmother of Kaylee Ann Intellini Villagomez. Sister of LaRue A. King and Marjorie A. Mathias of Bunn, NC, Sallie A. Pappas, Newport News, VA, Freddie L. Alford, Youngsville, NC. Sister-in-law of Elizabeth W. and Pauline B. Alford of Bunn, NC. Also survived by many loving and caring nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by brothers, Benjamin R., James M., John "Buck" D. and Benjamin S., Jr., Alford; and her sister, Frances Ophelia; brothers-in-law, Robert King, John Pappas, and Harold Mathias; sister-in-law, Sudie M. Alford.

Mary graduated from Bunn High School and Hardbargers Business School, in Raleigh, North Carolina. She began her career with the Naval Department in Washington, DC in 1943 and later worked for the Department of Labor, in Washington, DC. She retired in 1985.

Mary came late to AAFA and our Alford work by some standards. She and sister Larue Alford King came to the Richmond, VA meeting in 1994. It was obvious that she had been working on her Alford genealogy a long time - probably longer than many of us. When most folks write they send a letter of a couple of pages and maybe a few pages of enclosures. When Mary would write, it would come in a box. We have a large segment of one shelf dedicated to her input. When most folks call they talk for just a few minutes, when Mary called you dropped whatever you were doing because you were going to be on the phone for an hour or more. That lady exuded

Great Great Grandparents

Alford information. Several of us got to know Mary and Larue quite well at the last Raleigh, NC meeting as they made all of the tours with us. For one day they were two of a hand-full of us cooped up in an SUV piloted by Ramona Alford Darden. On the larger tour when we did the state capitol, Mary will always be remembered as the one who fell down the capitol stairs. She and Larue had plans and arrangements made to attend the 2002 meeting in Salt Lake City. In fact Mary had already knitted a couple of items that she sent ahead to be used as special gifts or prizes. Notice that she died just two weeks before the meeting. She will be missed.

Alford Ancestors of Mary Green Alford Intellini

1. **Mary Green Alford** born Apr. 24, 1924, Bum, Franklin Co., NC, married Feb. 28, 1952, in Raleigh, Wake Co., NC, **William Richard Intellini**, born Aug. 6, 1923, Washington, DC, died Feb. 1, 1993, Silver Spring, Montgomery Co., MD. Mary died Oct. 1, 2002, Silver Spring, Montgomery Co., MD.

Parents

2. **Benjamin Smith Alford, Sr.** born May 17, 1888, Mapleville, Franklin Co., NC, married Oct. 21, 1915, in Louisburg, Franklin Co., NC, 3. **Lula Ford Stallings**, born Jan. 25, 1894, Mapleville, Franklin Co., NC, died Feb. 15, 1971, Louisburg, Franklin Co., NC. Benjamin died Jan. 31, 1968, Louisburg, Franklin Co., NC.

Grandparents

4. **James Oliver Bennett Alford** born Mar. 21, 1855, Franklin Co., NC, married Feb. 12, 1878, in Franklin Co., NC, 5. **Nancy Green Hayes**, born Mar. 7, 1859, Oxford, Granville Co., NC, died Feb. 25, 1928, Franklin Co., NC, buried: Alford Family Cemetery, Franklin Co. NC. James died Sep. 1, 1895, Franklin Co., NC, buried: Shiloh Church Cemetery, Franklin Co., NC.

Great Grandparents

8. **Bennett Henry Alford** born Feb. 23, 1818, Franklin Co., NC, married Dec. 19, 1843, in Louisburg, Franklin Co., NC, 9. **Mary Bell**, born Nov. 4, 1826, Franklin Co., North Carolina, died Aug. 16, 1903, Franklin Co., NC, buried: Alford Family Cemetery, Franklin Co., NC. Bennett died Jan. 22, 1857, Franklin Co., NC.

16. **Lockhard H. Alford** born 1790, Franklin Co., NC, married Dec. 21, 1811, in Louisburg, Franklin Co., NC, 17. **Tabitha Cook**, born 1790, Franklin County, N.C., died 1850, Franklin County, N.C. Lockhard died Aug. 2, 1844, Franklin Co., NC.

[Note: The above data was extracted from a file created by Mary in which she showed Lockhard to be the son of Kinchen Alford. Kinchen's will makes no mention of such a son, nor has AAFA seen any other evidence to support such an idea. Such a connection could not be published in good faith by AAFA even though it was the work of a member. Those who are interested in following the Kinchen line on back can find him above in Elisabeth McLane's table.]