

**Ahnentafel of
Gilbert K. Alford, Sr., AAFA #0047**

1. **Gilbert Kendric Alford, Sr.** b. Nov 09 1901, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish, LA, occupation Agri. Extension Agent, m. May 26 1924, in Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish, LA, **Mattie Inez Newsom**, b. May 20 1903, Pointe Coupee Parish, LA, occupation Housewife, d. Apr 23 1993, Gonzales, Ascension Parish, LA. Gilbert died Jul 15 1997, Gonzales, Ascension Parish, LA.

Parents

2. **Jeptha Martin Alford** b. Jul 22 1862, Washington Parish, LA, occupation Farmer, m. (1) about 1885, Fannie Ophelia Purvis, b. Oct 1869, Mississippi, occupation Housewife, d. Oct 3 1896, Washington Parish, LA, m. (2) May 12 1897, in Washington Parish, LA, **3. Laura Jane Warner**, b. Mar 8 1871, Washington Parish, LA, occupation Housewife, d. Mar 31 1939, Washington Parish, LA. Jeptha died May 26 1948, Washington Parish, LA. Gilbert K. Alford, Jr., the compiler of this work, was his grandson and knew him personally. His family during the 1930's and early 1940's visited with him every year. About 1943 Jep busse to Ferriday, LA where he visited a while with his son's family. He purchased 39 acres located in section 17, township 1S, range 10E, from the New Orleans federal land office July 11, 1889. Cause of death was Bronchial Pneumonia due to hypertensive heart disease and he was senile. AAFA has a copy of his death certificate, which erroneously shows his birth as Georgia. Uncle Iddo just did not know. For more on Jeptha see AAFA ACTION December 1992, p43 March 1993, p 37-42

Grand Parents

4. **John Seaborn Alford** b. Oct 11 1807, Washington Parish, LA, occupation Farmer, m. 1834, **5. Margaret Brumfield**, b. Feb 9 1819, Pike Co., MS, d. Sep 8 1885, Washington Parish, LA. John died Nov 15 1891, Washington Parish, LA. John Seaborn Alford is buried on property that was his farm. It was later known as the Iddo Alford Farm and in the 1990's was owned by Nolan David Alford- AAFA Member #0425. Data taken from their gravestones there. He was enumerated in 1840 Washington Parish with two sons and a daughter. 200001-10001 In 1850 Washington Parish he was enumerated as John Olford 40 LA with wife M. 35 LA. Children were: Madison 13, Marshall 12 and Jane 11 who were probably those in 1840. Other children were Emily 10, Sarah 9, Seaborn 8, S. (f) 7, Willis 5, Isaac 4 and John 1. He was a farmer with \$1500 property. In the 1850 agricultural census John Alford was listed with 40 acres improved land and 600 unimproved- \$300 cash value of the farm. His farming implements and machinery were worth \$100. He had 3 horses, 4 working oxen, 30 other cattle, 50 swine with total value of livestock being \$450. He had 250 bushels of Indian corn, 50 bushels of oats, 800 pounds of rice, 3 bales of ginned cotton weighing 400 pounds each, and 100 bushels of sweet potatoes. June 1, 1858 he purchased 118 acres, section 7, township 1S, range 7E, from the federal land office in Greensburg. On June 6 of that year he purchased 57 acres section 17, township 1S, range 10E and 37 acres section 18, township 1S, range 10E. May 10 1861 he purchased 22 more acres in section 17. December 20, 1884 he purchased 81 acres, from the New Orleans land office, in sections 18 & 19, township 1S, range 10E.

Great Grand Parents

8. **Jacob Alford** b. Aug 15 1761, Franklin Co., NC, occupation farmer, m. (1) about 1784, in North Carolina, Elizabeth Bryant, b. Jun 20 1765, d. 1789-92, Cumberland Co., NC, m. (2) about 1792, in

Cumberland Co., NC, **9. Frankie Seaborn**, b. about 1763, Virginia, d. about 1859, Washington Parish, LA. Jacob died Jul 16 1824, Washington Parish, LA.

Great Great Grand Parents

16. **Julius Alford** b. Sep 1717, St. Peter's Parish, New Kent Co., VA, occupation farmer, m. **17. Lucy _____**, d. after 1790, Franklin Co., NC. Julius died 1771, Bute Co., NC.

3rd Great Grand Parents

32. **James Alford** b. about 1687, Probably New Kent Co., VA, died about 1730, New Kent Co., VA. Birth and death dates are estimates based on other recorded events in New Kent County, VA in the St. Peter's Parish Register. PLEASE NOTE: It is not proven that he was the son of John Alford but there is some circumstantial evidence indicating that he is..

4th Great Grand Parents

64. **John Alford** b. about 1645, Probably Virginia, died Mar 14 1710, New Kent Co., VA.