

**Ahnentafel of
Stephen Ray Alford, AAFA #0569**

1. **Stephen Ray Alford #7058** b. private, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA, m. **Hollie Dianne Baugh #7060**.

Parents

2. **Almon Christopher Alford #7056** b. private, Richland Parish, LA, occupation telephone company, m. private, 3. **Juandine Wilson #7057**, b. private, Richland Parish, LA, occupation secretary - retired.

Grand Parents

4. **Almon Bryant Alford #7053** b. Apr 20 1886, Louisiana, occupation farmer, m. **Bertha Avis Charboneaux #7055**, b. Aug 10 1905, d. Nov 14 1931, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA. Almon died Apr 11 1967, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA.

Probably him who e/w brother William Sam in 1920 as Alain Alford. He and Bertha enumerated in 1930 Franklin Parish, LA.

According to the Sec of state death records Bertha C. Alford d. Nov 14 1931 at age 21. Vol 35, p. 14793. Cemetery record shows her b. Aug 10 1905 which would make her age 26 at death.

Find-a-grave has only a death date as A.B. Alford.

5. **Bertha Avis Charboneaux #7055** b. Aug 10 1905, d. Nov 14 1931, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA. Had her name as Sharbono.

6. **Alvin Wilson #7061** m. **Maggie Cordelia Adams #7062**.

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Great Grand Parents

8. **William James Alford #7033** b. Jan 22 1841, Alabama, m. Dec 1869, in Claiborne Parish, LA, **Mary Ann Obanon #7049**, b. Aug 21 1849, d. Jan 8 1915, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA. William died 1921, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA.

This family appears in census as follows: They were enumerated with Mary Obannon's parents in 1870 Claiborne Parish, LA. 1880 Claiborne Parish, 1900 Caldwell Parish, and 1910 Franklin Parish.

Patricia Alford says he was born 1848 while census says 1841. The cemetery record (find a grave) has him as W.J. b. Jan 22 1841 and died at age 80. He was in 19th LA Infantry, C.O.C, CSA

9. **Mary Ann Obanon** #7049 b. Aug 21 1849, d. Jan 8 1915, Franklin Parish, LA, buried: Old Winnsboro Cem., Franklin Parish LA.

Great Great Grand Parents

16. **Almon B. Alford** #4724 b. Dec 17 1810, Hancock Co., GA, m. (1) Aug 13 1835, in Hancock Co., GA, **Harriett C. Eubanks** #4734, b. Nov 30 1815, Georgia, d. May 5 1855, m. (2) Nov 18 1856/8, in Montgomery, Montgomery Co., AL, **Sarah Ann Woods** #4735, m. (3) Jul 16 1868, in Claiborne Parish, LA, **Harriett C. Alexander** #4736, b. Oct 2 1840, d. Mar 4 1916, buried: White Hall Methodist Church Cemetery. Almon died Oct 6 1891, Claiborne Parish, LA, buried: Summerfield, Claiborne Parish, LA. Enumerated in Pike Co. AL in 1850 Buried in Summerfield cemetery in Summerfield, LA where he has a broken Masonic marker.

17. **Harriett C. Eubanks** #4734 b. Nov 30 1815, Georgia, d. May 5 1855.

18. **B. Obanon** #21895 m. **Nancy** _____ #21896.

19. **Nancy** _____ #21896.

3rd Great Grand Parents

32. **Owen Wilkins Alford** #4681 b. 1780, m. **Tabitha Grace** #4720, b. about 1783, Maryland, d. after 1857, Pike Co., AL. Owen died about 1847. It is seems almost certain to the compiler that the folks we once thought were two persons - Owen Alford and Wilkins Alford - were one and the same.

Owen Alford was mentioned in the will of his father William. Census records for the the 1820-1840 period show he might have had as many as 5 sons and 9 daughters. (Some males and females listed in those census years were not necessary sons and daughters) As early as 1982 Dave Price Jr. identified Owen's wife as Tabitha and listed most of the children now shown as theirs by AAFA. In 1989 Ron Head reported that Tabitha Grace was the wife of a Wilkens Alford and the children shown as Owen's were really those of Wilkens. Ron has land and estate records from Alabama to support Wilkens, Tabitha and most of the children. Note that Wilkens is not known to have ever appeared as such in Georgia records- especially the census. An Owen Alford of Butler Co. AL is another person -possibly even named Halford. Ron has no information on the probable parents of Wilkens Alford. There is no known information that proves conclusively that Owen Alford of Hancock Co. GA did not move to Alabama and use a different name. It's been done more than once. While some feel that Owen and Wilkens were the same person Ron believes they were different. Until, there is sufficient evidence to prove two separate families AAFA will show them as one.

Dave Price showed a son named Green Alford but there seems to be absolutely no data to support such a person. data to support such a person.

33. **Tabitha Grace** #4720 b. about 1783, Maryland, d. after 1857, Pike Co., AL.

Tabitha: will of homas Grace, Hancock Co., GA 1803-06 names several daughters including Tabitha Alford.

4th Great Grand Parents

64. **William Alford** #4642 b. about 1741, Virginia, m. **Martha** _____ #4643. William died Apr 21 1825, Hancock Co., GA.

His death, as 84 year old RW soldier, was reported in a Georgia newspaper.

Some of the children's year of birth were estimated based on erroneous assumption that William was b. 1734. Sons Owens Wilkins may have been two sons: Owens and Wilkins.

65. **Martha** _____ #4643.

5th Great Grand Parents

128. **Salvator Alford** #16789 b. about 1716, Virginia, m. **Elizabeth Reynolds** #16790, b. about 1717, Goochland Co., VA. Salvator died before Nov 1777, Bedford Co., VA.

[The Alford Forum on the www shows him born before 1720 in Goochland Co., VA and died about 1776 in Stokes Co. NC. Some of the data on the Vest descendants is from that source.]

From Virginia Land Patent Book 16 as published in MAGAZINE OF VIRGINIA GENEALOGY, Vol, 24 No. 3, August 1986:

"William Rennolds, ELIZABETH ALFORD, the wife of SALVATOR ALFORD and Mary Rennolds, Spinster, 300a, in Goochland Co., on S. side of John's Cr. falling into James R., by Little Cr. (p 153 & 154) 18 August 1735."

From a published version of Goochland Co. V A Deed Book 4, pages 7 and 49:

"Page 36. Jul 20, 1742 from James Goss and Mary Anne, his wife, of the Parish of St. James and G, to William Bauton [Banton?] of same, for 16 pounds, a certain tract of land in G on the south side of James River containing 200 acres and being part of 400 acres granted to said Mary Anne by patent, and bounded by [trees]. Signed -James Goss, Mary Ann Goss. Wit - Robt Wallon, James Robinson, SILVATOR ALFORD. Recorded Jul 20, 1742."

"Page 373. Jun 19, 1744 from William REYNOLDS, SALVATA ALFORD & Elizabeth, his wife, and Daniel Wilmore, and Mary, his wife, of G, to John Spurlock of G, for 4 pounds, one dividend of land on the south side of James River in G and on the west side of Johns Cr, and bounded by Stephen Hughes and Charles Railey, and to contain 30 acres, being part of 300 acres granted unto William REYNOLDS, ELIZABETH ALFORD, and Mary REYNOLDS by patent. ..."

From Bedford Co. VA DEED BOOK A-11754-62: Deed from William Dooley to SILVATOR ALFORD -paid 31pounds for 200 acres lying on north side of Stanton River on south side between Green Springs Creek and Zachariah Denny line. Witt: Paul Chiles, John Beasley. Ann Chiles Rec. Jan 1,1761.

Page 10 Deed from William Dudley to SILVATOR ALFORD -paid 25 pounds for 200 acres lying on

north side of Stanton River on lower side of said tract between Green Spring Creek and Zachariah Denny line. Land originally granted to John Johnson by patent Witt. Paul Chiles, John Beasley, Ann Chiles. Rec. March 23, 1761.

In the deeds in Pittsylvania Co., VA (split from Bedford Co. in 1767) was a WILLIAM ALFORD buying land on the Stanton River, 22 Mar. 1773, and selling this land, 12 June 1776. He also bought land on Nixes Creek, 20 Aug. 1777, and he and his wife, Marthy, sold this land, 12 Mar. 1787. No record was found for the disposal of the property which WILLIAM ALFORD inherited from his father SALVATOR ALFORD.

WILL OF SILVATOR ALLFORD

In the name of God Amen the fifteenth Day of October in the [year] of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred & Seventy Six. I Silvator Allford of the parish of Russel in the County of Bedford: being sick and Weak in Body but of a perfect mind and Memory thanks be given unto God for the same. and calling to mind the Mortality of my body and Knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die. Do make & Ordain this my Last Will and Testament, that is to say Principally & first of all-- I give & recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it. and for my Body I recommend it to the Earth: to be Buried in a Christian like and Decent Manner, at the discretion of my Executor, nothing Doubting but at the general Resurrection I shal receive the same again by the mighty power of god and touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless in this life, I give devise and Dispose of the same in Manner & form following

Itam I give unto my living son William Allford all my Land whare I now live to him and his Heirs or assigns forever

Itam I give to my aforesaid son William Allford one Negro Woman Named Nancy and all her futer Increases,

Itam I give to my aforesaid Son Wm Allford five Negro Children To Wit Tom Jimmy & Beck & Will and Harry, to him his Heirs or assigns forever.

Item I give to my Daughter Judith Vest Twenty Shillings

Itam I give my Daughter Lorry(?) Vest Twenty Shillings

Itam I give to my two Daughters Mary Mulins and Melicent Brown Twenty Shillings a piece.

Itam I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Edds two Cows & Calfs.

Itam I give to my well beloved son William Allford whom I likewise Constitute make and ordain my only & Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament all my Stock of Cattle Together with all the remainder part of my Estate; I do hereby utterly revoke all former Wills heretofore made by me In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the day & year above Written.

Silvator x Allford (his mark) S S

Teste

William Dudley James Martin George Willcox Armistead Dudley

At a Court held for Bedford County the 24th day of November 1777

The above last Will and Testament of Silvator Allford Deceased was proved by the oaths of William Dudley James Martin and Armistead Dudley Witnesses thereto Subscribed and Ordered to be recorded and on the Motion of William Allford the Executor therein named who made Oath thereto Certificate is granted him for Obtaining probate thereof in due form giving security whereupon Together with John Ward and William Dudley his securities entered into and acknowledged their Bond in the _____ of one Thousand Pounds for the said Executors due and faithfull administration of the said Decedents Estate and performance of his Will.

Teste J. Steptoe Cl

129. **Elizabeth Reynolds** #16790 b. about 1717, Goochland Co., VA.

6th Great Grand Parents

258. **William Reynolds** #28592 m. _____ #28593.

259. _____ #28593.