

My sister, Algean, was born on the 29th of July in Churchill, Idaho, exactly twelve years younger than me. She was always more or less her father's daughter, with the strong will of her father and mother. She was always working from the time she was big enough to help out the family. If she thought she was right, she would defy anybody.

At the age of sixteen and a half, she married Virgil Elven Matson. They moved from Stockton, California where they were married to Idaho; first to Burley, then to Rupert and from there to Nampa where they lived until Virgil retired from the sugar factory. They raised two sons; Elven, who went through high school in Nampa, Idaho - took an engineering course at Moscow, Idaho - graduated third in his class of fifty-one students, served two years in the army and came out a captain. He married Denise Yancey and they are the parents of seven children. They are, at the present time, living in Huntsville, Alabama where Elven is working for the government on the space program. Algean's son Jerry was educated in the Nampa schools and graduated from high school. He married twice and is the father of three children - one girl and two boys. He is living in Salt Lake City with his present wife.



A small correction to the page about Algean at

<http://www.angelfire.com/folk/morgan2/Algean.pdf>

Elven Matson served 3 years in the Air Force (he was a pilot) and became a captain later in the reserves.