

Alaska

- Flag has a blue background that represents the sky, the sea, the mountain lakes and the Forget Me Not (the state flower.
- The flag is decorated with eight stars: the seven stars
 of the Big Dipper constellation and the large North Star.
 Adopted in 1926, it was designed by a 13 year old Native
 American boy who received a \$1,000 scholarship for his
 winning design.