

Pray for Us



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Unalakleet (population 784), incorporated in 1974, lies on the shores of Norton Sound, 165 miles SE of Nome. The three square mile village is an annual checkpoint for the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race every March. The name Unalakleet means “south end”, or south side as the original site for the village was on the south side of the river. It is the southernmost Inupiat community on the Seward Peninsula.. The average temperatures for summer are 47-62 and 4-11 in the winter. Archeologists have dated house pits along the beach ridge at 200 B.C. to 300 A.D.