

Children of John and Lillie Penix

Frederick Stevenson Penix

Frederick Stevenson Penix was the last child born to John and Lillie Penix. Frederick was born on February 27, 1928 in Bath County, Kentucky. His early schooling was in Bath County, Kentucky. He left home and attended high school at Berea College.

After his schooling he was drafted into the United States Army at the end of World War II. After his army time, he joined the United States Navy where he spent a good deal of time in Greece during the Greek Civil War. After his military service, which ended during the Korean War, he went to work for the United States Government where he eventually became a Quality Program Manager for the United States Navy.

While working for the Navy he helped design and develop the MK 20 40MM machine gun (grenade launcher). This weapon was first used during the Vietnam War and proved to be very effective. He also developed the final test procedures for

the overhauled 5 inch 38 caliber navy guns.

His first marriage was to **Mary Ann Bell** on February 2, 1951 (Fred made a special point



Mary Ann Bell

of telling me that this was Ground Hog Day, I assume to let me know that the sun wasn't shining on this marriage.). Mary Ann was the daughter of Ralph and Nevada Bell of Bath County, Kentucky. Frederick and Mary Ann had three children in their marriage.

His second marriage on September 30, 1967 was to **Euline Carden** who was the daughter of Jesse and Enola Melson, Russell County, Kentucky. Euline was born on September 22, 1933 in Russell County, Kentucky. Yes, this is the same Euline that at one time was married to Archie.

Frederick and Euline now live in a new home that they had built on five acres of land in Louisville, Kentucky after the airport bought the home that



Fred with one year old Eric Penix

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Staff Photo

County Adult Education Registration Starts

HEADED FOR NIGHT SCHOOL . . . Signing up at Seneca High School last night for the County adult-education program starting September 16 were, from left, Marvin Hill, 4243 Darbrook Drive, and Fred Penix, 2822 Flora. They registered with Mrs. Marcello Gasperini of the Seneca P.T.A. Student registration for the program also was begun last night at Durrett and Valley high schools and Jeffersontown Elementary School. Except for Labor Day, registration will continue at the schools from 7 to 9 p.m. on weekdays through September 6.

Fred signing up for adult education

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Fred and Euline Penix on wedding day.

they had lived in for 28 years. Frederick is now retired and spends his time gardening and



Fred and Euline Penix now.

following thorough-bred horse racing.

Euline spends her time helping with the garden, mowing grass, making quilts and doing extensive volunteer work for Britthaven Nursing Home. Euline is recognized as one of the top



Getting back to the pioneer spirit, Euline Penix is shown with a quilt she made.



The new home for Fred and Euline Penix.

volunteers in the State of Kentucky and has received more than a dozen awards and citations from the Health Care Industry for her meritorious service.

The following four pages are examples on these awards given to Euline.

Children of Fred and Mary Ann Penix are:

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An example of an award given to Euline Penix

Certificate of Appreciation
**LEADERS IN
QUALITY CARE**

This certificate of appreciation is awarded to

Euline Penix

*in recognition of the leadership you have shown in promoting
the highest possible quality of life for our residents.*

*Through your continuing and unselfish efforts,
our residents are reminded daily of the love and support
of families, friends, and the community.*



Jonda L. Riffe

Administrator

American Health Care Association

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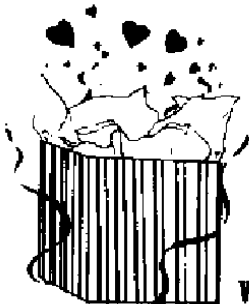
Euline Penix

Recognizing
Outstanding Volunteer Service To

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Making A Difference
With Gifts Of The Heart

John & Lillie

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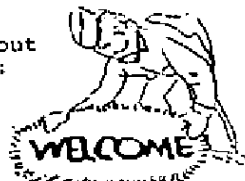


**HATS OFF TO EULINE PENIX,
VOLUNTEER BEYOND COMPARE**

I feel certain that by now everyone has noticed the beautiful wall hangings in the large and small dining rooms. The colorful, intricate quilt patterns are the handiwork of one of our family members and most loyal volunteers, Euline Penix, daughter of Mrs. Enola Spurgeon. In addition to our wall-hangings, Euline is also the artist who creates the beautiful quilts that we raffle at our bazaar as well as many of the other items that we sell to raise money for resident activities. And, her talents also encompass relating well with people as she can nearly always be seen volunteering as a chaperone on our outings. Thank you, Euline, we all love you!!!

The "Welcome Mat" is out for our new residents:

Margie Stovall
Robert Morris
Leroy Clay
Blanche Jeffries
George Williams



We hope that your stay with us is a pleasant one. We're glad you're here!



**SPECIAL
APRIL
EVENTS**

APRIL 1: Easter Party with Resident Easter Egg Hunt (featuring the music of Dale Grider, a professional musician from Karen's Restaurant)

April 12: Trip to the Kentucky Derby Museum

April 15: Student/Resident Art Show

RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS



April 16: Jennie Fletcher
19: Bessie Feinberg
30: Lula Bennett

Much good health and happiness in the coming year!!!

"SPECIAL THANKS"

To the family of Mary Gravitt for their kind donation of an additional porch swing for our patio area.

To Mrs. Marie Linch for her donation of clocks for resident rooms.



Our sincere sympathy is extended to the family of:
RAYMOND NALLY

He will be missed by the residents and staff.

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To Whom It May Concern:

Usually when you think of the word Volunteer, you think of someone coming from the outside. Not so in the case of our 1993 nomination for KAHCF Adult Volunteer of the Year.

Mrs. Euline Penix is the daughter of one of our residents, but her contributions go beyond the usual family involvement, and they benefit all of our residents and the facility.

When ever there is an activity, Euline is there, giving a helping hand even if her mother is not able to attend or participate. She also has contributed over 6 handmade quilts to be raffled off to benefit our Resident's Fund. She donated another 3 quilt tops for our residents to hand tack when we had our quilting bees.

She has donated 9 hand quilted wall hangings that are displayed throughout our facility. One Mother's Day, she came in with a wall hanging with flower appliques and stated, "I wanted to give each Mother here a flower and this was the only way I could do it".

She is supportive and loyal. Whether it is a Family Night or a planned activity, you can rely on Euline to be there to give a hand. Whether it is sweeping the floors or escorting residents to the function, she's there!

In 1989 we presented Euline with our own Brittany award for outstanding Family Volunteer. This year we would like to present Mrs. Penix the KAHCF Adult Volunteer of the Year for the service and the affection she has given Britthaven of Prospect through the past eight years.

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Riffe

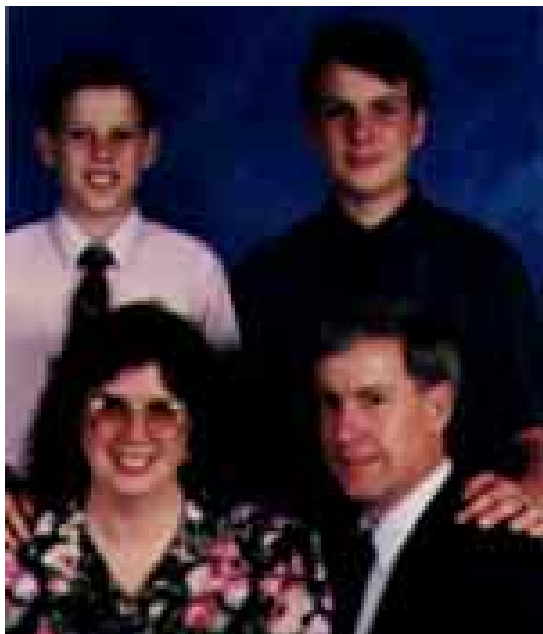
Linda Riffe
Administrator

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◇ **Tina Lynn Penix** was the first born of Frederick and Mary Ann Penix. Tina was born on February 1, 1952 in Louisville, Kentucky. Tina married **Douglas Lynn Bays** on December 16, 1972 at the Baptist Chapel, Morehead State University, Morehead, Kentucky.

Douglas is the son of Frank Thomas Bays Sr. and Ethel Marie Miller Bays. Douglas was born on March 27, 1953 in Kansas



Shown are Derek and Sean at the top and Tina and Douglas Bays at the bottom.

City, Kansas. Ethel Marie died on September 26, 1992 and Frank was remarried on July 17, 1993.

Douglas and Tina resided in the Nashville/ Murfreesboro, Tennessee area from January 1973 to November 1979. In 1979 they moved to Doug's home town of Lacygne, Kansas. While in Lacygne, Kansas, Doug continued

his diesel mechanic trade and Tina worked several different jobs but finally settled down to an at home mom position. The family purchased 5 acres and built their own home with the two sons helping and a little outside help.

In May, 1994 the home was sold and the family moved to South Carolina so Doug could attend Bible College in preparation for the preaching ministry since he felt the calling.

Doug is a mechanic by trade and enjoys hunting, fishing, camping, gardening and is active in the church. Tina prefers the job of being a full time wife and mother. She likes to cook, sew, craft and work in the church.

Doug and Tina have two sons who are:

- **Sean Douglas Bays** who was born on March 16, 1978 at Rutherford County Hospital in Murfreesboro, Tennessee. Sean enjoys the out-of-doors and in line street skating. He is restoring a 1974 VW bug. He does well in school and like most young people is unsure of what college to attend after high school.

- **Derek Brent Bays** was born on November 26, 1982 at Shawnee Mission Hospital in Kansas City, Kansas. Derek is extremely active. He enjoys soccer, baseball, skating, biking and fishing.

Both sons sing in the church choir and enjoy helping their dad with various projects.

◇ **Eric S. Penix** was the second born of Frederick and

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Mary Ann Penix. Eric was born on February 15, 1957 in Louisville, Kentucky. Eric Married **Hellene Trommler** on January 1976 in Louisville, Kentucky. Helene was the daughter of Lloyd C. and Mary Alene Trommler of Louisville, Kentucky.

Eric divorced Hellene in March 1979. Eric then married **Leslie Jean Reddix** on February 4, 1984 in Louisville, Kentucky. Leslie was born on November 13, 1958 in Louisville, Kentucky. Her parents are William Carter Reddix born on May 27, 1930 in Louisville, Kentucky and Laura Faye Presson born on September 24, 1936 in Loyall, Kentucky.

Eric and Leslie have two children who are:

- **Zachary Steven Penix.**

Zachary was born on March 31, 1986 in Louisville, Kentucky.

- **Hayley Lauren Penix.**

Hayley was born on September 29, 1987 in Louisville,

Kentucky.

Eric is an electrician for the Jefferson County Public Schools and Leslie who at one time worked for the First National Bank of Louisville is now a homemaker. Eric and Leslie along with the children are very active in children and adult groups at Dover Baptist Church in Lagrange, Kentucky where they now reside.

◊ **Douglas Keith Penix** was the third child born to Frederick and Mary Ann Penix. Douglas was born on November 20, 1959 in Louisville, Kentucky. Douglas married **Tammy Harrison** on June 10, 1978 in Louisville, Kentucky. Tammy was born on March 8, 1959 in Louisville, Kentucky and is the daughter of Jesse Morris and Shelby Jean Harrison.

Douglas and Tammy have two



Left to right are Zachary, Hayley, Leslie and Eric Penix.



Tammy, Shannon in back and Douglas and Wayne Penix in front.

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children who are:

- **Shannon Marie Penix** born on October 16, 1978 in Louisville, Kentucky.

- **Wayne Douglas Penix** born on September 23, 1981 in Louisville, Kentucky. Wayne is involved in little league baseball.

Douglas attended Seneca High School in Louisville, Kentucky. After high school he learned the printing trade and became a printer for the Masonic Lodge of Kentucky. After several years of working for the Masonic Lodge printing the Masonic Home Journal, Douglas accepted a position with Toyota Motors in Georgetown, Kentucky where he remains at this time.

Douglas and Tammy now reside in Frankfort, Kentucky where Tammy is working as a legal secretary.