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Don't forget - our annual picnic is scheduled for September 15th at the FOP Picnic Grounds. Price you ask; a mere \$11 per person for a great catered meal and fellowship with a bunch of old geezers. (Email will follow on how to make your reservations & where to send your check.)

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Evangeline Baer



Jone Burket



Allen Kennedy



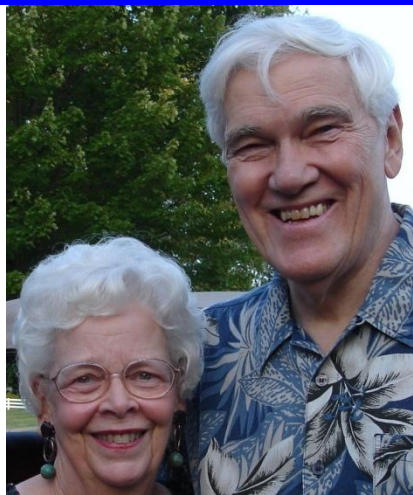
Mary Jean Andrews
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AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Polly Fitz Martin



Jack and Fanny Selser Seville



Jerry & Rose Wolfe Shank



Bob & Gail Sweeney Hess



Dave & Linda Delauder Eden



Jack & Sara Marvin Sites



Mel & Judy Holtzman Chamberlain

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Aubrey & Nancy Minnich Barnes



CLASSMATE ACTIVITIES

Dave Bragunier



The photo is of Mom with a representative of the railroad retirement board, who drove from Baltimore to present her with a certificate to celebrate her 100th birthday. (My dad passed away in 1996)

On June 30 my mother, Elizabeth, turned 100 years old. She was born in Baltimore and at the age of 12, moved to Hagerstown when my grandfather began work as a clerk for the Western Maryland Railway. She and my father Thomas were married in 1937. At the time they both worked at Holland Furnace. My mom expressed a desire to learn how to drive, and as they say, one thing led to the other. My father went on to work for the Western Maryland RR for 40 years.

To celebrate, on her actual birthday, my wife and I performed a musical program at Coffman Nursing Home, where mom lives. My wife is a wonderful flutist and we hired a local Shepherd College student, Nathan Arch, to play the piano. I sang a few old favorites including "Alexander's Ragtime Band", which was written in 1911, the year Mom was born. Afterward we served cake from

the Cookie Jar to all that attended. Then on Sunday, July 3rd, we catered a dinner at Coffman's for 20 of the family. The nursing home was very accommodating to us and Leiter's Fine Catering did a wonderful job.

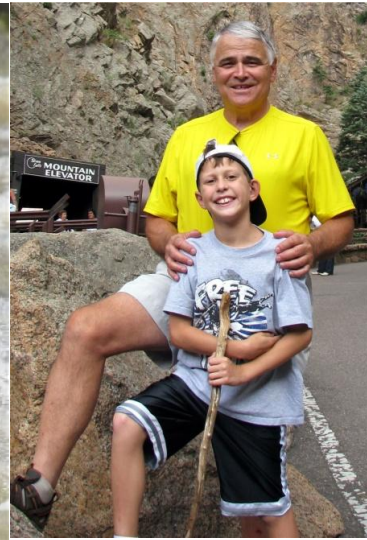
Doris Holsinger

Jim and I along with our daughter Michelle, husband Ty and our 2 grandsons Adam and Aaron Haden will be flying to St Louis on Aug. 9th to see the St. Louis Cardinals play on Aug. 10th. This is a combined Father's Day and birthday gift for Jim by our daughter and family. Jim has been a St Louis Cardinal fan since a young boy.

This is the 3rd year that they have taken us to see a professional baseball game. We all have a wonderful time.

August is a big birthday month for our family. Lily Ann Hilton will be 2 on Aug. 3rd, Aaron Haden will be 13 on Aug. 6th, Our daughter-in-law, Joi Hilton, has a birthday on Aug. 19th and son, Mikes Hilton's birthday is on Aug. 20th and Adam Haden birthday is on Aug. 23rd. and he will be 15.

Phil Brader



Rafting on the Arkansas River and the Grandsons *NOT* finding gold.

[Alice Ann Lindsey](#)

Our thirteen year old grandson, Colton, is here for a visit from Atlanta, GA. Next week, all three of us are going to camp program called "Summer Together." The camp at Sandy Cove in North East, MD has a program for the adults and one for the teens. It's located at the headwaters of the Chesapeake Bay and offers lots of fun things to do -- kayaks, canoes, zip line, paddleboats, swimming, tennis, shuffleboard, waterskiing, rock wall, high trapeze, big swing, soccer and mini golf. As you can see, Colton will think it's heaven!! So will we!!

[Bob & Arlise Weaver Cianelli](#)

We have been busy this summer so far. Our granddaughters Ava & Mia were with us for two weeks this summer and we flew them back to Texas on July 2nd. We came home on July 6th and I caught a plane to California on July 8th and spent 13 days there watching our grandson Colin play in the Little League All Star tournament for Southern CA. Arlise had some medical appointments so she came out a week later. Our daughter-in-law Kelly and our granddaughters Ava and Mia were there from Texas to watch Colin play. As you can see, bubble gum is an important part of his delivery from the mound. Colin's team won the District but lost Sectional Championship.



ENTERTAINMENT SECTION

2011 Mensa Candidates







[Click Here for A link to Some Funnies](#)

THINGS I HAVE LEARNED LIVING IN THE SOUTH...

A possum is a flat animal that sleeps in the middle of the road.

There are 5,000 types of snakes and 4,998 of them live in the South.

There are 10,000 types of spiders. All 10,000 of them live in the South, plus a couple no one's seen before.

If it grows, it'll stick ya. If it crawls, it'll bite cha.

Onced and Twiced are words.

It is not a shopping cart, it is a buggy!

Jawl-P? means Did all of you go to the bathroom?

People actually grow, eat and like okra.

Fixinto is one word. It means I'm getting ready to do that.

There is no such thing as lunch. There is only dinner and then there is supper.

Iced tea is appropriate for all meals and you start drinking it when you're two. We do like a little tea with our sugar. It is referred to as the wine of the South.

The word jeet is actually a phrase meaning 'Did you eat?'

You don't have to wear a watch, because it doesn't matter what time it is, you work until you're done or it's too dark to see.

Ya'll is singular; All ya'll is plural.

You measure distance in minutes.

You switch from heat to A/C in the same day.

All the festivals across the state are named after a fruit, vegetable, grain, insect, or animal.

You carry jumper cables in your car - for your OWN car.

You only own five spices: salt, pepper, mustard, Tabasco and ketchup.

The local papers cover national and international news on one page, but require 6 pages for local high school sports, motor sports and gossip.

You think that the first day of deer season is a national holiday.

You find 100 degrees Fahrenheit a bit warm.

You know what a *hissy fit* is.

Going to Wal-Mart is a favorite pastime known as goin Wal-Martin' or being off to Wally World.

You describe the first cool snap (below 70 degrees) as good beef stew or chili weather.

Fried catfish is the other white meat.

We don't need no dang Driver's Ed. If our mama says we can drive, we can drive!!!