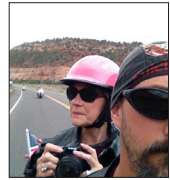


## George Ira

### NEWS

Steve Williams, husband of Katherine Renfrow Williams, went on the Williams family's annual motorcycle



Steve, left, and his mom Harriet.

trip. This year it began in San Diego. They traveled through six National Parks — Zion, Bryce, Capitol Reef, Arches, Natural Bridges and Monument Valley. Steve is the son-in-law of J.G. and Denise Renfrow. (Rachel)

Michael Brooks, son of Ed and Janet Moore Winkler, aka Data-Man, owns



Dataman Computer Works in Culpeper, Va. He repairs and builds computers. (Delanie/Norma)

Grant Stevens, son of Suzanne Stancil, was awarded the American Legion Award for South Ocala (Fla.) Elementary School in 2014. He is the grandson of Hale and Becky Stancil. (Ralph)

## 80TH BIRTHDAY



Al and Jean Eason LaVie at their home in Maryland.

Wyla Jean Eason LaVie, wife of Al, celebrated her 80th birthday with family gathering at Jean and Al's. (Myrtle)

## Henry

### NEWS

Ruthann Stancil Miller, daughter of Peggy Stancil Owens and the late Leo Stancil, was promoted to Child Nutrition Director at Falcon Children's Home in Falcon, N.C. (Walter)

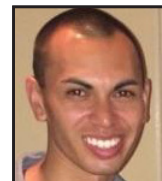


Guy W. Crabtree is one of the 2014 honorees nominated by the magazine Lawyers Weekly for The Top Lawyer of the Year award in North Carolina. Elon University School of Law is a co-sponsor along with North Carolina Lawyers Weekly. They will both host this fourth annual Leaders in Law ceremony. The nominees are the most influential legal minds in the state. The Top Lawyer of the Year award was announced on Sept. 19, 2014. (Oscar/Gurnie)



Arnold "Arnie" Thomas Stancil, general manager of Wellington Farm Park, USA, Grayling, Mich., has been at the Park since 2002. Wellington is a 60-acre interactive museum set in 1932, era of the Great Depression, and has more than 12,000 visitors per year. Among special events are an annual Antique Tractor and Engine Show, folk arts festival, Christmas Show and Farm By Lantern Light. Wellington Farm USA's purpose is to preserve the rural lifestyle for future generations. It gives visitors an opportunity to experience rural life in America during the Depression. (Walter/Tommy)

Kellen Stancil, son of Mark and Cathy Stancil, was the executive producer, director and choreographer for "Coco & the Vanity Vixens," an Off Broadway



Show at the Highline Ballroom, May 12, 2014. Kellen has also been cast to play Guido in the Broadway's "The Land Before Time," that opens April 28, 2015. He is the grandson of Ted Stancil. (Oscar/Guy)

Sidney and Payton Stancil, children of Sara and Steven Stancil, were among the students in A.C.T.S. (Adoration, Community, Theology and Service) at the SS. Peter and Paul Catholic School that received the Presidential Volunteer Service Award (PVSA) at the bronze level on June 18, 2013. They are grandchildren of Arnold Stancil. (Walter/Tommy)

## Henry

### NEWS

Breanna Lynn Devers, daughter of Tara and George Devers, was selected by talent scouts in Austin, Texas, to audition in Los Angeles, for commercials and shows. She is the granddaughter of Treva Marie Stancil Devers. (Leonard)



Maci Elizabeth Tedder, daughter of David and Paige Langston Tedder, was selected as a Carolina Princess at the Miss NC Pageant in Raleigh, N.C., from June 15-21, 2014, for Miss Teen, Catherine White. She is the granddaughter of Jay and Faye Parrish Langston. (Elizabeth/Ruby)

Alexis Finley, daughter of Ricky and Trina Stancil Finley, was cast as Mortormouth Maybelle in the play "Hairspray" at Radford High School. She is a member of the Radford High School Drama Team. She is the granddaughter of Gary Stancil and great-granddaughter of Dorothy and the late Henry "Doc" Rudolph Stancil. (Oscar)

Sara Stancil, wife of Steven Stancil, performed in "Suite Surrender," on May 2-4, 2013, in Ionia, Mich. She is a member of the Ionia Community Theatre. (Walter/Tommy/Arnold)

Philip Stancil, son of Philip and Grace Stancil, and Matthew Warn started Los Angeles-based band Midnight Faces. (Walter/Tommy)



John Chase Gregoles, husband of Jackie Marie Stancil, won the Next 89 WLS Talk Show contest Aug. 20, 2014, in Chicago. He was cast as Barrymore in the Haylofters of Burlington, Wis., production of "I Hate Hamlet" that opened Oct. 3, 2013. (Oscar/Jack Roland)



Charlie and Cindi Crabtree enjoyed 10 days in the Dominican Republic in April. (Oscar/Gurnie)

Stephanie O'Brien, daughter of Jane Crabtree O'Brien, is teaching at Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College and UNC-Greensboro while working on her master's degree in fine arts. Stephanie's photo appeared among the mosaic on the Aug. 11, 2014, cover of Sports Illustrated. She is standing with former University of North Carolina basketball coach Dean Smith about 10 rows up and three pictures over from the left. (Oscar/Gurnie)

Kean Stancil, son of Mark and Cathy Stancil, was voted a team captain on the Chapman (Calif.) University football team. Kean plays running back, kick returner and quarterback for the team. He is the grandson of Ted Stancil. (Oscar/Guy)

Megan Leffler, daughter of Karen and Brian Leffler, was a member of Culpeper's team that competed in the F.I.R.S.T. Robotic Competition held in Richmond, Va. Megan is the granddaughter of Dale and Marie Creech Leffler. (Lillian/J.M.)

Jennifer Ann Parks, daughter of Gary and Marcia Creech Parks, granddaughter of Grover and Ruby Stancil Creech, participated in the Ironman South Africa competition on April 6, 2014. Her first one was in 2004 at the Ironman Hawaii World. Jennifer is a high school math teacher. (Oscar)

Faye Parrish Langston earned an expense paid trip for two to the Dominican Republic in March selling Initials-Inc. Daughter Paige Langston Tedder went with her. Faye is now a leader at Initials-Inc. (Elizabeth/Ruby)

# Henry

Annabelle Bichler, daughter of Deanne and Geoff Bichler, is a member of the Winter Park (Fla.) High School's crew team that won the state championship in Sarasota. This was their 33rd state championship. The team participated in the Stotesbury Cup Regatta in Philadelphia and the SRAA national championship regatta in Mercer County, N.J. (Walter/Tommy/Anemari)

Linda Godwin was a member of the Why Nots, Alamance, Burlington, softball team, the 2013 North Carolina State Senior Games Platinum Division champs. The team was fourth in the National Senior Games in Cleveland in July 2013. (Bessie/Cleon)

"Izzy" Esta Elizabeth Bichler, daughter of Deanna and Geoff Bichler, is on the Winter Park (Fla.) AAU basketball team that placed second in Florida. Izzy, a sophomore, has been a member of the Winter Park (Fla.) High School varsity team since she was a freshman. (Walter/Tommy/Anemari)

Bob Stancil, son of Peggy Stancil Owen, retired from Linger Longer in Montgomery, Texas, and is now residing at Emerald Isle, N.C. (Walter/Walter Leo)

## 80TH BIRTHDAY



From left, Cynthia, Buddy, Avery Philemon, Esther and Delbridge Narron.

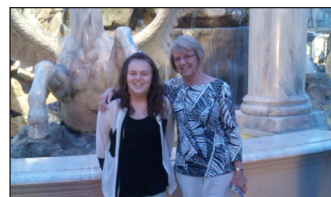
Esther Marie Godwin Narron turned 80 on May 7. Two receptions were held in her honor. One at her home church, Pleasant Plains Baptist Church in Matthews, N.C., and the other at Frank Price Memorial Presbyterian Church in Black Creek, N.C. Esther's parents, James Marvin and Bessie Lee Stancil Godwin, helped start this church when Esther was a young girl. They met in their tobacco pack house. Sunday school classes were held in the kitchen, dining room, porch and any vacant corner. The annual Godwin reunion is held in the Fellowship Hall. (Bessie)



Roger Bynum, husband of Jane Cayton Bynum, retired from the North Carolina Trapshooter's board of directors following 10 years. During this time, he was vice president, president and ran shooting events. He is looking forward to devoting more time to shooting and furniture making. His latest project was a solid walnut armoire. (Bessie/Emma Lee)



Treva Devers and Penny Matter in Maui.



Breanna Devers with grandmother Treva in Las Vegas.

Treva Stancil Devers and Penny Matter visited Maui. They toured the aquarium, took the dangerous Road to Hana and attended a luau. She took a cross-country trip with Judy Snyder.

Highlights included visiting son George, Tara, Britni and Breanna in Austin. She visited grandson Ken, a senior airman at Nellis Air Force Base, in Las Vegas. (Leonard)

*In honor of Esther Marie Godwin Narron*

*Who taught us  
the meaning of  
sacrificial love.*

*Your family, Delbridge,  
Cynthia, Buddy & Avery*



**Military**

**Harold Lloyd Stancil died 70 years ago this year**

Harold Lloyd Stancil, son of Eva Mercer and George Ira Stancil, saw "Wings of Gold," a Navy recruitment film made in 1938, with cousin, Glenn Stancil, son of Alvin. He told Glenn he was going to join the Navy. When he enlisted July 15, 1941, he was 17. Harold's last visit home was in 1943. He always referred to nephew Bill Batts, son of sister Vazelle, as the "Annapolis

Kid."

"Make me a dive bomber," begged Billy.

Harold was killed aboard the USS Franklin on Oct. 13, 1944. His job was to make sure the catching cable was ready for the next plane to land. It was a U.S. Hellcat which was followed by a Japanese Torpedo Bomber. The Air Boss yelled, "Hit the deck. They are coming." The torpedo missed the ship, but the

plane hit the deck and debris killed Harold instantly. Harold was the first sailor killed on the USS Franklin. He was wrapped in an American Flag and buried at sea. His mother was sent his purple heart. A memorial to Harold is in the Stancil Cemetery.

Bill graduated in 1959 from the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md. He retired as a Naval Commander in 1980.



Harold Lloyd Stancil, left, with brother G.I. Stancil. Both were in the Navy.

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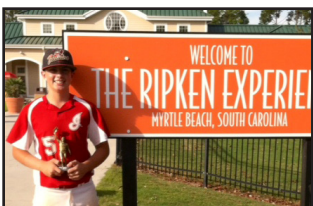
See more about family members in the military at [stancilreunion.com/military\\_2013.html](http://stancilreunion.com/military_2013.html)

**Family photos**

**TEMPY ANN BRANCH**



Carson Rebecca Price



Ty Galloway, who plays catcher and first base, visited Myrtle Beach, S.C., in October 2013.

**GEORGE/JOHN ARCHER BRANCH**



In October 2013, Marty Sellers and Pat Devine visited Florida cousins, Glenn, Ted, Jean, Sarah, Eva, Grace, Georgeanne Stancil Schore, Ty, Coree, Bobby & Renn Stancil Hinton. Becky & Hale Stancil, Harold Stancil & Kim Brown in Ocala. From left, Kim, Harold, Marty, Bobby, Renn, Ty and Pat.

**ALVIN BRANCH**



Wanda Stancil holds granddaughter Avery McCall.



**JOSIAH BRANCH**

Maeva, Cathy, Margaux and James Stancil took a vacation to Reunion Island in the Indian Ocean.