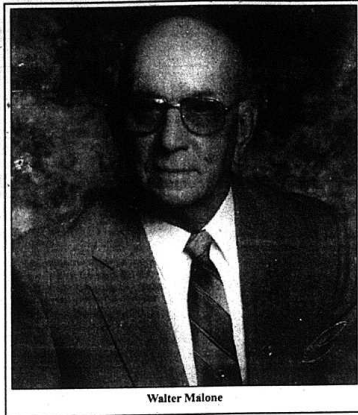


### Albright - Owens

Desiring God's will for their lives and believing that includes each other, Natalie Lynne Albright and Jesse Life Owens, together with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Albright of Brodhead and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Owens of Mt. Vernon, invite you to share their joy as they are united in the Lord Jesus Christ on Saturday, September 23, 2000 at 3:30 p.m. at Ottawa Baptist Church in Brodhead. A reception will be held at Cedar Rapids Country Club following the ceremony. Natalie and Jesse would love for all family and friends to come and share in their happiness.



Walter Malone

## Walter Malone named Fraternalist of the Year

Walter Malone, of Mt. Vernon and President of Woodmen Lodge 888 in Berea, has been named as the Woodmen Kentucky State Fraternalist of the Year for 2000. Woodmen's highest national award is presented to 28 members, nationwide.

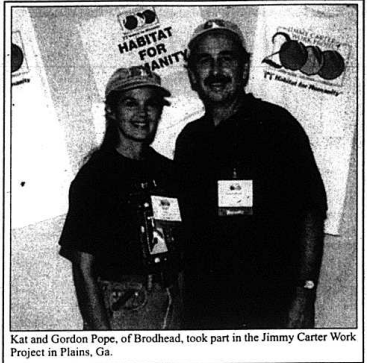
Woodmen is a fraternal benefit society built on volunteerism, community involvement, and community service. Walter is no exception. Walter is always there to help his fellow Woodmen members as well as giving a helping hand to his fellow man. He has given vegetables from

his garden to the needy; he has made several flag presentations in his lodge's behalf; been a caretaker for his lodge; and numerous volunteer hours at the Bluegrass Woodmen Youth Camp in Lexington with his carpentry skills. The past three years he has helped with Woodmen Habitat for Humanity houses in South Carolina and Arkansas.

Walter is a World War II United States Marine Veteran with tours overseas to include two Jima. He is a very patriotic person.

The Fraternalist of the Year award is Woodmen's way to recognize and show appreciation for leadership, civic involvement, and for an ever-present spirit of helpfulness, faithfulness, and dependability...A way of saying thank you to a person judged to have truly exemplified the designation of Kentucky's "Fraternalist of the Year."

Walter and his lovely wife Margie live in Mt. Vernon.



Kat and Gordon Pope, of Brodhead, took part in the Jimmy Carter Work Project in Plains, Ga.

## Popes participate in Habitat for Humanity project

Volunteers from across the country and from other nations traveled to Sumter County, Georgia to participate in Habitat for Humanity International's Jimmy Carter Work Project (JCWP). Kat and Gordon Pope, residents from the Brodhead community, were among those volunteers working on the 25-house blitz build September 9-15. Former U.S. President Jimmy Carter led the volunteers in the building in partnership with families in need.

At Sumter County, the home of FHH's headquarters and President Carter himself, Habitat declared victory over poverty housing after 24 years of laboring with God's people in need. "At the end of JCWP week," Fuller said, "no longer will anyone in Americas or Plains be trapped in deplorable conditions where they live. Everyone will have access to safe, clean, affordable shelter."

Rosalyn and I are proud to work one week each year side-by-side with other volunteers and the families who will realize their dreams of home ownership," said President

Carter, Habitat for Humanity's best-known volunteer.

President and Mrs. Carter will join the struggle to resolve New York City's housing crisis by working in a restored apartment building in Harlem. In the Brooklyn neighborhood of Bedford-Stuyvesant, volunteers and partner families will be finishing a new apartment building. In Jacksonville, Florida, the Carters and Habitat for Humanity families will bring new life to the site of a previously vacant housing project.

"We are moving the obstacles that stand between hard working families and simple, decent, affordable homes," said Millard Fuller, founder and president of Habitat for Humanity International. Dedicated to eliminating poverty housing, Habitat for Humanity International is an ecumenical Christian ministry founded by Millard Fuller along with his wife, Linda. FHH and its 1,987 affiliates in 67 nations have built and sold almost 100,000 homes to partner families at no profit with zero-interest mortgages.

Miss Carley Raye Childress competed in The Sunburst International Pageant held at The Marriott Resort in Atlanta, Ga. Miss Carley Raye represented the state of Kentucky and placed second overall. She competed with 0-12 months girls all over the United States. Carley Raye was named Miss Photogenic Queen, in which she received a beautiful crown and trophy. Carley Raye also was the overall winner of best attire, first runner-up in swimsuit, fitness wear and sportswear. Carley Raye is the daughter of Roger Brian and Crystal Hope Childress of Mt. Vernon. She is the granddaughter of James Wayne and Louise Mink of Mt. Vernon and Cecil and Patricia Childress of Mt. Vernon. Carley Raye is the great granddaughter of Homer and Bromth Mink of Somerset, the late Rollie B. and Betty Mullins of Mt. Vernon, Billy and Janice Lovell of Mt. Vernon and the late Pete and Tessie Childress of Mt. Vernon. Carley Raye also has one aunt, Ashley LaCole Mink of Mt. Vernon.



Two-year-old Tara Shyann Northem, right, and 21-month-old Madison Michelle Stewart, left, were contestants in the Livingston Pretty Baby Contest. Even though they were not winners, their mommys would like to take this opportunity to say, we love you guys! Tara is the daughter of Melissa and Marty Northem and Madison is the daughter of Catherine Lamb.

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### Upcoming Reunions

#### Cowden

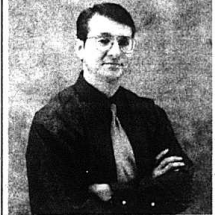
Cowden Reunion will be held Saturday, Sept. 30th at Eubank Park. Please come and bring a covered dish and enjoy the reunion.

#### Barnes (Barron) - McFarron

Reunion, Sun., Oct. 1st at Quail Park. Everyone bring a covered dish and enjoy the fun.

#### Robinson

Heirs of Julius and Susan Ellen Thomas Robinson will hold a reunion Sept. 23rd at 12:00 at Family Life Center at Renfro Valley. All friends and family welcome. Bring a covered dish and enjoy the day.



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