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The President's Corner



BY
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(1-7-5-4-4-3-1-4)
PRESIDENT

**On August 8, 2015
we will hold the
93rd Enders Reunion.**

We will have special music by Shelby Nestler and the Make Mine Country Band.

And of course delicious food to purchase and a hayride.

Please pass the word, this event is open to the public.

So bring your family and friends for a day of fellowship at the grove.

We are always looking for help with the grove and members to serve as officers.

See you at the reunion.

REUNION ENTERTAINMENT DON'T MISS SHELBY NESTLER AND THE MAKE MINE COUNTRY BAND

Entertainment from 3-7PM

See the website for more information on this popular band.
<http://www.makeminecountryband.com>

VOLUME III, UPDATED GENEALOGY DATA AND MUCH MORE IS NOW ON FLASH DRIVES

A Comprehensive Genealogy of the Enders Family Volume III 1740-2004 contained about 1000 pages. Since then much information has been added to the database. **We are now making available the original book in Word (.doc) and .pdf format** plus genealogy files in a ged-com containing the new data that can be read in a genealogy program. **Also included are Russ Ottens' computerized collection of old portraits, headstone photos, obituaries, and other documents related to the Enders Family (over 4700 files).** A flash drive for computers containing all of this will be available at the reunion for \$7. Russ will donate the proceeds to The Enders Family Association. If you will not be at the reunion the cost is \$10 (includes \$3 for shipping). Send a check to **Russ Ottens, 7021 Camp Falls Court, Winston, GA 30187.** If you have a computer, this is a great way to acquire a treasure trove of Enders genealogy and historic photos. If you don't have a computer, you can share it with a relative who has a computer and is interested in the Enders heritage. Russ Ottens (1-7-5-10-11-3-2 and 1-10-6-4-11-3-2)

IS YOUR INFORMATION CURRENT?

Russ Ottens, one of our historians, updates our genealogy and keeps the memorial list. If you know of **someone who passed away** since the last reunion, please email him at rjottens@hotmail.com or send to him at address above. New genealogy info (such as **births and marriages**) can be sent to him or use the form on the website: www.endersfamily.org. Russ also collects old portraits, headstone photos, obituaries, etc. so please share these things with him. **Thanks Russ for all the hours you have spent preserving our heritage.**



A beautiful day for the reunion!
A fun time for everyone.



A former association secretary Mary Frey with
our new secretary Donald McElheny



Russ and Beth Ottens



Dave Enders, Association President and
Vincent Lamenza, entertainer



Jim Schmick, who presented a Civil War program and
Lou Bobish, Association Treasurer



A beautiful day for a hayride which was enjoyed by many.



Much needed repair work
at the pavilion.
Thank you
Charlie Bechtel,
Peter Ranck,
Lou Bobish,
Donald McElheny,
and Jim Zeigler



Association Officers: Lou Bobish, Marlin McElheny,
Darlean Skaddan, Sara Markel



New sign at the Grove. Thank you Peter Ranck Sr., Historian and
J. Charles Bechtel, Trustee

People Memorialized at 2014 Reunion

<p>Herbert Monroe Boyer, Jr. (1-6-3-1-4-5-1) d. 6 Mar. 2011, husband of Martha Jane (Norbeck) Boyer</p> <p>Eric Bruce Wright (Bruce) d. 2 Dec. 2011 in Nowra NSW, husband of Bev (Enders) Wright (1-2-1-4-5-6-4)</p> <p>Leroy Floyd Hain (1-14-9-1-6-3-1) d. 1 Jan. 2012, widower of Gladys A. (Shaffer) Hain</p> <p>Peter Leonard Forster d. 13 Jun. 2012 in Bendigo Vic, husband of Judith (Robins) Forster (1-2-1-4-3-6-1-1)</p> <p>Arthur Roosevelt Shope Jr. (1-7-5-3-2-10-1) d. 9 Aug. 2012</p> <p>Margaret Anna (Pell) Shoop (1-14-9-2-4-6-1) d. 18 Sep. 2012, widow of Irvin Eugene Shoop</p> <p>Terrie Lea (Swenson) Wiest (1-7-5-3-2-2-3-6-2) d. 10 Oct. 2012, widow of Jeffrey Scott Wiest</p> <p>Thelma Mary (Hendy) Enders d. 13 Nov. 2012, wife of David John Enders (1-2-1-4-2-9-6)</p> <p>Anna E. (Speicher) Poorman d. 22 Nov. 2012, widow of Daniel H. Poorman (1-14-3-3-1-3-3)</p> <p>Gary L. Ebersole d. 23 Nov. 2012, husband of Sandra Louise (Jacobs) Ebersole (1-7-5-3-2-2-3-10)</p> <p>Bernice (Row) Cowan d. 28 Nov. 2012, widow of Edgar George Cowan, Jr. (1-14-2-5-3-3-2)</p> <p>Edith Evelyn Martin Gamble (1-2-1-4-5-1-1) d. 26 Jan. 2013 in Melbourne, Vic</p> <p>Stephen Louis Enders (1-2-1-4-8-1-2) d. 26 Feb 2013, husband of Sandra (Gabaldón) Enders</p>	<p>Beverly Jane (Brookhauser) Hollinger d. 9 Mar. 2013, wife of Robert A. Hollinger (1-14-3-3-1-4-7)</p> <p>Donald James Chaplin d. 31 Mar. 2013 in Deniliquin NSW, husband of Betty (Thompson) Chaplin (1-2-1-4-1-3-1)</p> <p>Ruth Pauline (Enders) Cunningham (1-7-5-13-3-1-2) d. 28 May 2013, wife of Donald Eugene Cunningham</p> <p>Janice M. (Murray) Warfel d. 7 Jul. 2013, widow of Elvin G. Warfel (1-7-2-3-10-2-1)</p> <p>Wendy Dorothea (Murnane) Laing (1-2-1-4-5-5-1) d. 21 Aug. 2013 in Melbourne, Vic</p> <p>Julie Ann Templin (1-14-3-3-1-2-1-1-2) d. 21 Aug. 2013</p> <p>Lila Mae (Martin) Swafford (1-10-4-5-8-3-2) d. 19 Sep. 2013, widow of Herman M. Swafford</p> <p>Kay Louisa Shadel (1-14-6-7-1-7-2) d. 20 Sep. 2013</p> <p>Bruce Alexander Enders (1-2-1-4-2-9-3) d. 30 Oct. 2013 at Wagga Wagga, NSW</p> <p>Doris Jean (Leitzel) Boyer d. 1 Nov. 2013, wife of Robert Leon Boyer, Sr. (1-14-9-1-6-6-1)</p> <p>Bernice Arlene (McDermott) Hall d. 6 Nov. 2013, widow of Richard Francis Hall (1-10-6-2-5-4-4)</p> <p>Eleanor Mae (Miller) Kurzenknabe d. 9 Nov. 2013, widow of John George Kurzenknabe, II (1-14-2-1-1-2-2)</p> <p>Thelma Ruth (Parmer) Umholtz (1-14-7-5-2-2) d. 12 Nov. 2013, widow of Clayton J. Umholtz</p> <p>Joan Charlette (Longabach) Dorsey (1-7-5-10-4-2-1) d. 13 Nov. 2013, wife of John B. Dorsey</p> <p>John Russell Owen d. 24 Nov 2013, widower of Catherine Elizabeth (Kurzenknabe) Owen (1-14-2-1-1-2-1)</p>	<p>Fae Leona (Enders) Stroup (1-14-9-2-4-1-4) d. 15 Dec. 2013, widow of Melvin N. Stroup</p> <p>Jack L. Nichols d. 19 Dec. 2013, widower of Shirley A. (Greene) Nichols (1-14-9-2-2-6-5)</p> <p>Barbara Ann (Bell) Ball (1-2-1-4-3-9-2) d. 15 Jan. 2014 in Adelaide SA.</p> <p>Carley Lorraine (Wiest) Enders d. 16 Jan. 2014, wife of Paul Wilbur Enders (1-7-1-3-7-1-3)</p> <p>Samuel Nathan Bernstein Jr. (1-7-5-9-8-2-2) d. 17 Feb. 2014, husband of Alice Lucille (Collins) Bernstein</p> <p>Mary Rose (Enders) Cerva (1-7-5-14-1-1-1) d. 18 Feb. 2014, widow of Calvin Howard Cerva</p> <p>Eugene William Markel d. 28 Feb 2014, husband of Sara Ellen (Sweigard) Markel (1-14-6-3-11-2-1)</p> <p>Anna Pauline (Meckley) Novinger (1-14-6-3-11-4) d. 9 Mar. 2014, widow of Lee Reigle Novinger</p> <p>Frederick Alvin Williard (1-14-1-2-3-1-2-4) d. 24 Mar. 2014, husband of JoAnne A. (Swartz) Williard</p> <p>Lorraine (Sprunt) Ridoutt (1-2-1-4-5-2-1) died 20 May 2014 in Melbourne, Vic</p> <p>Chester L. "Chet" Gelnett d. 25 May 2014, husband of June Marie (Parmer) Gelnett (1-7-3-6-3-3-2)</p> <p>Paul Warren Enders (1-7-5-3-2-9-2) d. 28 May 2014, widower of Frances M. (Papandrea) Enders</p> <p>Jeffery Allen Wolford (1-7-5-3-2-9-8-1) d. 18 June 2014, husband of Lynn Marie (Gottschall) Wolford</p> <p>Andrew Eugene Lentz (1-7-2-1-4-6-5-2) d. 9 July 2014</p>
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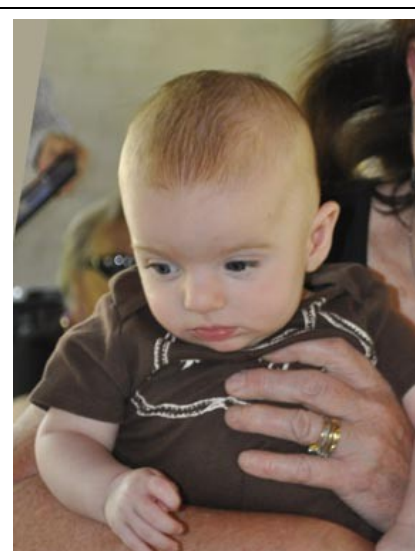
Recognition Awards at 2014 Reunion



OLDEST MAN
Kenneth Enders 89 years old



OLDEST WOMAN
Evelyn Yanich 93 years old



YOUNGEST CHILD
Allen Matthew Zeigler 15 weeks



MOST RECENTLY MARRIED Julie and Ken Miller



LONGEST MARRIED Gloria and Jack Nice 65 years



MOST DESCENDANTS PRESENT Marlin McElheny (center) with
Left to Right: Donald McElheny, Jayne McElheny, Linda McElheny, Jesse Krensel



LONGEST DISTANCE TRAVELED
Faye Scannell, north of Seattle, WA

<http://www.endersfamily.org>

Help us save postage by reading your Connection on the web. Email Marilyn at harlech@epix.net. She will notify you when it's online.

Contributions are greatly appreciated to help us maintain the grove grounds, kitchen and pavilion. Send to Louis Bobish, Treasurer at the address below.

**Please let us know
when you change
your email or
snail mail address.**

HELP

Can you help us the day of the reunion? We need volunteers for the sign-in table and to put tables and chairs away at the end of the day.

Contact Dave Enders.

Do you have a story you would like to see published in our newsletter? It can be an article about an ancestor, your memories of an ancestor or perhaps reunions, or interesting facts of days gone by, etc. We could also use photos of interest.

ARE YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN A MEMBER OF THE ENDERS FAMILY ASSOCIATION?

The cost is \$10 for a lifetime membership. Make check payable to the Enders Family Association and mail to Donald McElheny, 3006 George St Harrisburg, PA 17109

Shelley Walck has designed a beautiful ring featuring our Enders Crest. It is available for purchase. She will donate a portion of the proceeds to the Family Association. She also has pendants. Items will be on display at the reunion or you can contact her SSWalck@aol.com or 410-905-0608

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR
AUGUST 13, 2016
Our 94th Reunion**

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