

# Culpepper Place

## *Senior Living*



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*A Premier Senior Address*

5351 Gretna Road. Branson, MO

417-334-3336



**Pauline Barton**

*Pauline walked 2 1/2 miles one way to get to her Hollister school. The steep stairs are still there.*

Pauline Barton was born just next door in Hollister, Missouri on April 13, 1923 to Rosa and Ben Layton. With her siblings Harold, Lee, Vernon, Mildred and Lucille she spent many hours swimming in the local Turkey Creek.

Pauline attended Hollister High School and was very involved,

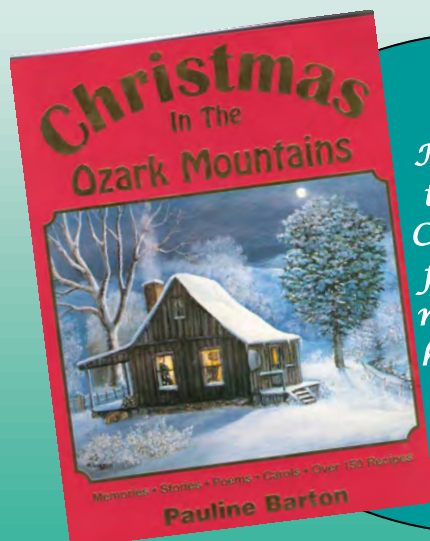
volleyball was her sport and she graduated Valedictorian of her class in 1941. Afterwards she attended Southwest Missouri College and continued her education forward and received her Master's at Drury. Pauline helped produce electric generators for the war in Anderson, Indiana and following the War, returned back home to Hollister.

Pauline had known a gentleman by the name of Ben Barton back in High School and later while attending Southwest Missouri, as he was the Head of the Southwest Missouri Conservation District they grew closer. The two happily married in 1945. Ben served in WWII in the Navy for four years as a medic in the Pacific. He also served two years in the Korean War, mostly in Japan.

Pauline and Ben raised two wonderful boys. Today Ben is a Banker, and Dr. John Paul is a professor at the University of Nebraska.

The family spent much time picnicking and enjoying fishing trips. In fact, they traveled to all of the fifty states!

Pauline made a living as a teacher at Branson High School from 1945-1985. She also taught at the



*Memories and Traditions, The best loved Christmas Literature, familiar carols with music and 150 Ozark holiday recipes with illustrations.*

School of the Ozarks during evenings and summers and even continued being an educator after retirement. After retirement she taught students how to obtain their G. E.

D. It has sort of become a joke because she was a school teacher for forty years that, once she knows your name....she wont forget it!

All of her Grandchildren and most of her Great Grandchildren have a blanket and Christmas stocking, personally made for them by Pauline. Today she enjoys five Grandchildren



and ten Great Grandchildren. Spare time is spent busy knitting, reading, visiting with friends, gardening in the beautiful outdoors and attending Church.

Pauline is very funny and seems to easily bring a smile to all of those that she is around. Her son shared a rather funny story with us to demonstrate her sense of humor:

*“The family of 16 went on a 50th Anniversary cruise in the Carabbean.*

*Our handsome waiter had been very nice but especially to Mom and Dad. On the last night he brought a cake out for their Anniversary and said,*

*“How about a kiss?” Mom proceeded to stand up and give the waiter a kiss!!! I don’t think that is what he meant.*

Living here at Culpepper Place Senior Living Pauline really enjoys the friendly staff and the fact that this place simply “feels like home.”





*Did someone say  
s'mores?  
Oooeeey gooeeey  
goodness brought  
back many  
memories and lots  
of laughs!*



*Four generations of  
Virginia's family*





*Congrats to Eddie and Donna who allowed all of us to be a part of their special day by having their Wedding at Culpepper Place.*



*We had the opportunity to Discover our own talents and share it with others, oh what an afternoon it was!*



*The American Kids entertained us with a performance we won't forget!*

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Let us know how your experience works for you...

Sincerely,  
Wayne and Lisa

# Celebrating September Birthdays!

<i>Reba Tweedle</i>	9-2
<i>Jo Vera McKelvey</i>	9-4
<i>Vyra Hendrickson</i>	9-6
<i>Edna Hale</i>	9-8
<i>Georgia Combs</i>	9-16
<i>Lillian Williams</i>	9-16
<i>Donna Cunningham</i>	9-25

