

Bradfordsville artist Eula Ray Kirkland was displaying her artwork at Old Mill Day activities in Bradfordsville on Saturday of Memorial Day weekend. More photos from the celebration will be in next week's issue of newspaper.

Photo by CHARLES PEARL



MR. AND MRS. JOHN T. KIRKLAND

Kirklands observe 50th wedding anniversary

John T. and Mary Elizabeth Kirkland of Bradfordsville celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at their home in Bradfordsville Sept. 19, 1993.

The couple was honored by

friends and relatives attending the celebration.

John T. and Mary Elizabeth have three children—Mrs. C.W. "Shirley" Farmer of Jesselown and Carroll and Ronnie of Bradfordsville.



This picture was taken on the bank of the Rolling Fork River, sometime in 1911. The man in the front row sitting was John Thompson Kirkland, who was the father of John T. Kirkland of Bradfordsville. The little girl on his lap is Gladys Kirkland

Kemper of Louisville. Gladys' mother was Susan Belle Rains, who is in the middle looking to her right. When the photo was taken, Susan Belle Rains lived at 220 E. Main Street in Lebanon. This photo was submitted by Gladys Kirkland Kemper.

Mary Elizabeth Kirkland, 84

Mary Elizabeth Coulter Kirkland, 84, Bradfordsville, died Tuesday, Feb. 19, 2008, at her residence.

Born Aug. 20, 1923, in Boyle County, Kirkland was a member of the Bradfordsville Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, John T. Kirkland; and parents, Edward Sheradon and Sarah Elizabeth Mills Coulter.

Survivors include: a daughter, Shirley (C. W.) Farmer of Jessetown; two sons, Carroll (Betty) Kirkland and Ronnie (Karen) Kirkland, all Bradfordsville; a sister, Nancy Coffman of Broadhead; a brother, Vernon (Francis) Coulter of Danville; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Feb. 21 at Bosley Funeral



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Home, Lebanon, with burial in Old Liberty Cemetery, Bradfordsville. Rev. Donovan Burton officiated and Rev. Victor Stansbury assisted.

Memorial donations can be made to Hosparus Care of Central Kentucky or Bradfordsville Baptist Church Building Fund.

Active pallbearers were Brad Farmer, Chad Kirkland, Brandon and Jody Hardin, Justin Caldwell, Tim Bob Thomas and Phillip Gootee.

Honorary pallbearers were grandchildren-Debbie Thomas, Marla, Dallas and Emily Kirkland, Heather Thomas, Karen Gootee, Kaitlyn Farmer, Marcia Hardin and Christie Thomas; and caregivers, Louise and Shirley Orbersen, Teresa Belcher, Tammy Bright and Mary Sue Fisher.

Bosley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

John T. Kirkland, 86

John T. Kirkland, 86, Bradfordsville, died Sept. 7, 2007, at Spring View Hospital, Lebanon, after an illness.

Born June 7, 1921, in Marion County, Kirkland was a farmer and member of Bradfordsville Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, Jim and Dee Bradford Kirkland; and two brothers, Joe and James Kirkland.

Survivors include: his wife, Mary Elizabeth Coulter Kirkland, whom he married Sept. 12, 1943; two sons and daughters-in-law, Carroll and Betty Kirkland and Ronnie and Karen Kirkland, all of Bradfordsville; one daughter and son-in-law, Shirley and C.W. Farmer of Jessietown; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a host



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of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sept. 10 at Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home, Lebanon, with burial in Old Liberty Cemetery, Bradfordsville. Bro.

Donavon Burton officiated.

Pallbearers were Brad Farmer, Chad Kirkland, Justin Caldwell, Brandon and Jodie Hardin, Tim Bob Thomas and Phillip Gootee.

Honorary pallbearers were Debbie and Heather Thomas, Karen Gootee, Marica Hardin, Marla, Emily and Dallas Kirkland, Kaitlyn Farmer, Louise and Shirley Orbersen, Theresa Belcher, Tammy Bright, James Simpson and Mary Fisher.

Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Obituaries

Elizabeth Harmon Kirkland, 90

Elizabeth Harmon Kirkland, 90, Bradfordsville Road, Lebanon, died May 18, 2007, at her residence.

Born in Marion County Nov. 29, 1916, Kirkland was a housewife.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, James A. Kirkland; and her parents, Earl and Pearl Spalding Harmon.

Survivors include: two sons, James R. "Bob" Kirkland of Lebanon and Richard E. "Sonny" Kirkland of Gravel Switch; two daughters, Dorothy "Bo" Elder of Lebanon and Sue Benningfield of Bradfordsville; one brother, Owen Harmon of Lebanon; and one sister, Marie Dever of Versailles; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grand-



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children; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held May 21 at Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home, Lebanon, with burial in Old Liberty Cemetery, Bradfordsville. Bro. Vic Stansbury and Bro.

Donavon Burton officiated.

Memorial donations can be made at the funeral home to the Bradfordsville Baptist Church Building Fund.

Pallbearers were Mike Benningfield, Aaron Bright and Jimmy, Joe, Phillip and Steve Kirkland.

Honorary pallbearers were Charlotte Kirkland and Kim Bright.

Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.





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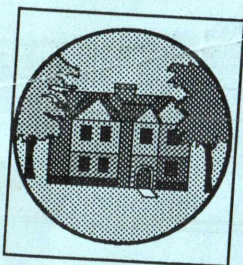


Bob Kirkland

Avritt Home
Bradfordsville

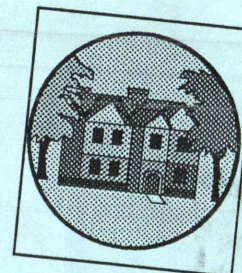
This is one of the homes Florence Amelia Edmonds wrote about in her series on old homes. There is nothing that I can add as history about the home. I can point out that it is one of the few remaining homes in the county with the double front door. Each door is slightly narrower than a regular door but together the space occupied is larger than a single door. Notice the dental work over the door. This feature is also displayed under the front eave. The home contains original door knobs and locks. This "L" shaped home has 6 rooms and a stone lined cellar. It did have two stairways but one has been taken out. The front hallway has a graceful curving stairs with a walnut bannister. The two front rooms downstairs have a fireplace on their outer walls. The wooden mantels have been painted to resemble marble. On either side of the fireplace are built in linen closets. The doors are beveled so that they will only close one way. Original knobs are still on these closets. This home has been remodeled a several times. The fireplaces were converted to grates, with the outer portion of the grate of solid brass.

Gene & Joe Avritt
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FACT SHEET

HOMES BEFORE 1915 MARION COUNTY, KENTUCKY BY MARION COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY



OWNERS Bob & Patsy Kirkland

PAST OWNERS Arui +

ADDRESS/DIRECTIONS Bradfordsville

BUILDER _____ YEAR _____

NUMBER OF:

ROOMS 6

HALLWAYS 2

PORCHES _____

FIREPLACES 2
Stair way (original 2)

CONTAINS:

PANEL DOORS _____

CROWN MOLDING _____

WAINSCOTTING _____

RAIL RAIL _____

LEAD GLASS WINDOWS _____

GLASS WINDOWS _____

SCREEN DOORS _____

Original door latches

7-1993

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TYPE OF ORIGINAL EXTERIOR:

CLAPBOARD ☒

BRICK _____

MASONITE _____

STONE _____

LOG _____

ALUMINUM _____

VINYL _____

COMBINATION _____

NEWSPAPER ARTICLES:

FLORENCE A. EDMONDS ☒

MONTAGE _____

OTHER _____

TYPE OF CURRENT EXTERIOR:

CLAPBOARD ☒

BRICK _____

MASONITE _____

STONE _____

LOG _____

ALUMINUM _____

VINYL _____

COMBINATION _____

Mantels painted to
look like marble

each fireplace has built
in cupboards on each side
doors of cupboard beveled
so that they close
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Christmas 1975

This is one of the first Sunday Schools
of the L.D.S. Church held on Jones Fork a
Goner near Bradfordville, Ky. I know it
was before 1910. Approx 1908. The man
with the beard on the extreme left is
Mark Stallace Mullins (Paw) and his wife
(Maw) right beside him. Sarah Irene
Paul Mullins - my great grandparents.

his right of ~~follow~~ in and to the land & premises conveyed by this
Indenture which is directed to be returned to the County Court
of Nelson in the State of Kentucky where the land lies, for record.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& affixed my seal of Office this 31st day of March
County Seal. 1840
in the City of Louisville One thousand Eight Hundred
and Ten J. W. Stephens J. W. Stephens

Nelson County Ky, I Benjamin Granger Clerk of this County
Court of said County do, certify that on the 11th day of Novem^r
1840 this instrument of writing was delivered to me at my
Office and that I have ^{the not properly authenticated} recorded the same with the Clerk of the
County Court. As required by Law Benjamin Granger

6-18-1810
This Indenture made the Eighteenth day of June Eighteen
Hundred and Ten Between Gregory Glapcocks of Fauquier County
and State of Virginia by John Glapcocks his attorney in fact of the
One part and Robert Black of Nelson County and State of Kentucky
of the Other part testifies that the said Gregory Glapcocks by his
fact attorney John Glapcocks for and in consideration of the sum of
One hundred Dollars the receipt whereof he has acknowledged both
bargained and sold and by these presents doth bargain and sell to
the said Black a certain tract or parcel of land containing two
hundred acres lying in the said County of Nelson on the N. E. corner
of the rolling fork being part of said Gregory Glapcocks large survey
on said Nelson and bounded as follows (W^{est}) Beginning at a beech tree
near large spring known to James Barnetts 1287 and survey
running thence North 12 1/2 poles to a large beech & small sugar
tree standing on the side of a small drain thence South 75th East
233 poles to a large hickory and two beeches on the South
West side of a large knob thence South 12 1/2 poles to a white

two small Luger trees on the South West side of
up the Church St. 75. bel. 253 p. to the Beginning to the Head
and to Hold the aforesaid tract of land with its appurtenances to the
said black and his heirs to the only proper use & behoof of him the
said black and the said Gregory Glaspcock by John Glaspcock his
attorney in fact doth further covenant and agree with the said
black that they will defend and forever defend the aforesaid tract
of land with its appurtenances to the said black against the
said Gregory Glaspcock and his heirs and against the claims of
every other person whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Gregory
Glaspcock by his said attorney in fact John Glaspcock hath hereunto
set his hand & seal the day and Year above written

Gregory Glaspcock
by John Glaspcock his
attorney in fact

Albion County, Ky, I Benjamin Grayson Clerk of the County Court
of said County do certify that on the 18th day of June 1840 the
within Indenture was acknowledged by John Glaspcock attorney
in fact for Gregory Glaspcock as his voluntary act & deed
and that I have recorded the same as required by Law. Witness
my hand

Benjamin Grayson

62 This Indenture made this 19th day of May in the third year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and two between Henry Russell
husb of the County of Fairfax and State of Virginia of the one part
and Thomas Weigand of Albion County State of Kentucky of the other
part witnesseth that the said Henry Russell paid unto him
in consideration of the just and full sum of forty four Dollars to him
in hand paid by the said Thomas Weigand the receipt whereof hereby
acknowledges both bargained and sold aliened and confirmed unto
the said Thomas Weigand his heirs and assigns all that tract or