

## BEAULAH ANN WHITE HALL

Beulah Ann White, born May 11, 1955, was the third child of Evelyn White, born February 29, 1936, in Polk County, Tennessee. Evelyn says that 'Doc' John Lillard delivered her third child and named her after his own wife, Beulah Lillard. Evelyn's mother was also named Beulah, and she was the daughter of Charlie and Janie King White, who lived in the Benton Station community for many years. Beulah Mae died after the birth of Evelyn, and is buried in the King Family cemetery in Benton Station. After Charlie White died, Janie married Sid Palmer, and they adopted and raised Evelyn as their own.

Beulah Ann married Selma Hall from Cleveland, Tennessee and they have three children, Olympia, Tiffany and Lee. They also have two beautiful granddaughters, Alexis and Sydney. Selma is employed at Allied Signal (Bendix) and Beulah works at Schering-Plough in Cleveland. Submitted by: Brother, Ellis Raymond Barber  
Information from Polk County Historical Society

## John Neal White

John Neal White, born June 6, 1951 in Polk County, the first child of Evelyn Yovonne White. Evelyn says that she named her son after 'Doc' John Lillard who delivered him, and Neal Higgins, son of a prominent Polk County family. John Neal's great-grandparents were Charlie and Janie King White, well known and respected residents of the Benton Station community.

John Neal attended school at Kings School in Polk County. He married Phyllis White, and they have two children, John Neal and Jacinte. John Neal and his family live in Lake Jackson, Texas, where he is Project Engineer Manager for a major oil company in Houston. Phyllis is a Biomedical Engineering Technician for one of the hospitals in Houston. They are the proud grandparents of a grandson, Jamarin. Submitted by: sister, Beulah Ann White Hall.

## BILLIE JEAN WHITE McDERMOTT

Billie Jean White McDermott, born September 17, 1953, is the second child of Evelyn White, born February 29, 1936 in Polk County. Evelyn was the daughter of Beulah Mae White, born January 7, 1918, died March 3, 1936. Billie's great grandmother, Janie King White, born May 3, 1897, was a very well-known and highly respected citizen of the Benton Station community where she resided for a number of years. Billie attended King School in Polk County. She married Jerry McDermott from Etowah, Tennessee and they have two children, Jeremy and Jessica. Billie and Jerry live in Cleveland, where he works as a truck driver. Billie is the owner/operator of Mane Reflections Hair Stylist on Mouse Creek Road in Cleveland, Tennessee. Billie has a great-aunt, Anna Lou Heard, who will be 82 years old in 1997, still living in Cleveland. Anna Lou is a sister to Billie's grandmother, Beulah Mae.

Other children of Evelyn White Barber are John Neal, Beulah Ann, Joe Charles, Melba Sue "Jackie", Ellis Raymond, Faye Yvonne, Walter James, and Fred Douglas. Faye is the only one deceased. All the other children live with their families in Bradley or McMinn County, not far from the Polk County area where their ancestors were born and raised. Submitted by: brother, Fred Douglas Barber.

## WHITE - WARREN

Melba Sue "Jackie" White Warren, born September 3, 1958 to Evelyn White, who was born and raised in Polk County. Her grand-mother, Beulah Mae White, born January 7, 1918, was also raised in Polk County. Beulah died March 3, 1936 and is buried in the King Family cemetery in the Benton Station community where the family lived.

Jackie married Howard P. Warren from Augusta, Georgia, a retired Sgt. from the U.S. Army, who is now employed at Peyton's Southeastern in Cleveland in Security. They have a son Xavier Lamont, who is a 1996 graduate of Bradley Central High School, and is now a Loan Specialist with Tennessee Financial Service. Jackie is a retired cosmetologist and house-wife, and she and her family presently live in Athens, Tennessee.

## JOE CHARLES WHITE

Joe Charles White, born October 28, 1956 was the fourth child of Evelyn White, who was born and raised in Polk County. Joe's brothers and sisters were: John Neal, Billie Jean, Beulah Ann, Melba Sue, Ellis Raymond, Faye Yvonne, James Barber and Fred Douglas.

Joe Charles' grandmother, Beulah Mae White, born January 7, 1918, was the daughter of Charlie and Janie King White, born May 3, 1897, who owned a farm in the Benton Station community of Polk County.

Joe Charles married Cynthia Stovall from Etowah, and they have one child Nicholas. Joe is a truck driver in Cleveland and Cynthia is employed at McKee Baking in Ooltewah, Tennessee. For more information on this family, see the King-White-Palmer, and White-Warren stories. Submitted by: Joe Charles White, Etowah, TN