

*A Note from Lenda*

Happy New Year from the staff and residents at The Glenwood! I hope each and every one of you had a wonderfully blessed holiday season. I love Christmas, but I'm always glad when it's over and things can settle back down into a normal routine. Who makes New Year's resolutions? I make the same resolution every year, and so far, I've been able to keep it. My New Year's resolution is not to make any New Year's resolutions! Can't fail. We have some awesome events coming up in January and February. On Tuesday, January 22nd, at 6:30pm, to combat the post-holiday letdown, we are hosting a free Community BINGO. We will be offering hot dogs and chips to munch on as you cover your cards. Come on out and enjoy an evening of food, fun, and fellowship. On February 14th, we will have our annual Valentine's Day party and the crowning of our Valentine's Day King and Queen. Voting for the king and queen last year was done by monetary donation for each person nominated, and the person with the most money won. The donations last year went to the Macon County Animal Control, and we raised over \$250! I'm sure this year's recipient will be just as deserving. I hope you'll join us for these fun activities and see what life at The Glenwood is all about!

*Employee of the Month - Sherry Hart*

**Tell us about yourself:** I am 52 years young. I was born in Decatur, raised in Mt. Zion, and currently live in Decatur. I have been married for 17 years; although, my husband and I have been together for 22 years. I have five children, Destiny (30), William (30), Anne (26), Glory Autumn Hart (21), and Molly Hannah Kaylene (20). I love my family, friends, and job. I am known to be very patient, kind, and caring when it comes to anybody. I worked at The Glenwood for six years, then left for about a year, and have now worked here for about two years.



**What are your hobbies:** I love spending time with my children and grandson who is three years old. I love decorating, and I buy, sell, or trade antiques.

**What do you like most about working at The Glenwood:** I love the residents and my coworkers.

*Upcoming Events*

- January 1st - New Year's Day
- January 2nd - Paw Print Ministries
- January 22nd - Community BINGO @ 6:30pm
- January 23rd - Zach & Michael @ 2:00pm

*January Birthdays*

- January 15th - Lewis Burcham
- January 23rd - John Troesch
- January 27th - Jazmine Dandridge
- January 28th - Sherry Hart

*"And now, let us believe in a long year that is given to us, new, untouched, full of things that have never been."*

*- Rainer Maria Rilke*

# Residents of the Month

## Betty Geisler



**Tell us about yourself:** I was born in Decatur, but after getting married, I was lucky enough to travel a lot. We had second houses in Hawaii, Palm Springs, and Florida. I was married for 63 years to one of the best husbands in the world. It was love at first sight. I have three children. One is a judge, one is a lawyer, and my daughter who lives in California is a librarian and storyteller. I have six grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

**What are your hobbies:** I did a lot of crafts, and I loved making cigar box purses. It's too bad they disappeared when I left my home.

**What do you like most about living at The Glenwood:** I enjoy all the great people I meet.

## Cecil Barr

**Tell us about yourself:** I was born in 1926 and am from Beecher City. I left home when I was 15 and went to work on a dairy farm where we milked 30 head of cattle five times a day. I graduated from high school in 1944 and joined the Navy in the spring of 1944. I worked as a mine sweeper electrician for two years and was discharged in the spring of 1946. I then went to college for one year and got married in 1950. I was called back to the Navy in 1950 and served two more years. I was promoted to electric superintendent. We normally had 75 electricians and 65 apprentices. I retired in 1987 and started a woodworking shop where I built grandfather clocks, chairs, bookcases, stools, and a lot of other things. My children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren have these items all over the United States. I retired in 2016 because I became too shaky. I have three children, two daughters and one son, who are all retired. I also have seven grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.



**What are your hobbies:** I enjoy gardening, fishing, and building oak furniture. I served on the Mt. Zion School Board, the Mt. Zion Village Board, and the Presbyterian Church Board and enjoyed it all.

**What do you like most about living at The Glenwood:** The Glenwood is a very nice place, and I enjoy talking to all the people. The food is good, and if I don't like it, I will eat what I do like.

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