Note to the editor from Bill Crowl on the Occasion of his 90th Birthday!

August 9, 2022

Howdy Bill,

  Whew, I made it !  Today I turned **90** !  Sometimes it was touch & go, but I made it.  I’m the longest-lived person of my ancestral clan since they came to British America in the 1600’s.

   Yeah, I have a few infirmities, due to the aging process, but my mind and hands are still in good order.  I’m the proverbial ‘old Boy Scout’.  The Promise that I made around 80 years ago, has become my mantra – I will do my Best; keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight. ( Most of the time, it works.)

   I’ve probably experienced more than my share of highs and lows, but I survived .  I’ve loved a few and been loved by many.  I’ve had exciting, successful careers.  I’ve learned, produced and taught.  A few stumbles along the way, but overall, a happy life with good family and good friends. (Thank y’all.)

   So now, I’ve set a new goal -  shoot for 95.  Why not?  I would like to watch as my grandchildren mature into good, productive, Citizens and my great-grandson starts his education .

   We’ll see how that works out.  ‘See you around’

                                                                        Bill

                                                            Charles William Crowl

Also, Bill’s words on the passing of Gene & Audrey Taylor:

Gene and I became friends after Audrey volunteered him to run the popcorn machine at one of our events.  He was very organized and sorted out the FOH finances for me.  He was a very honest and dedicated guy.  We shared many laughs.