

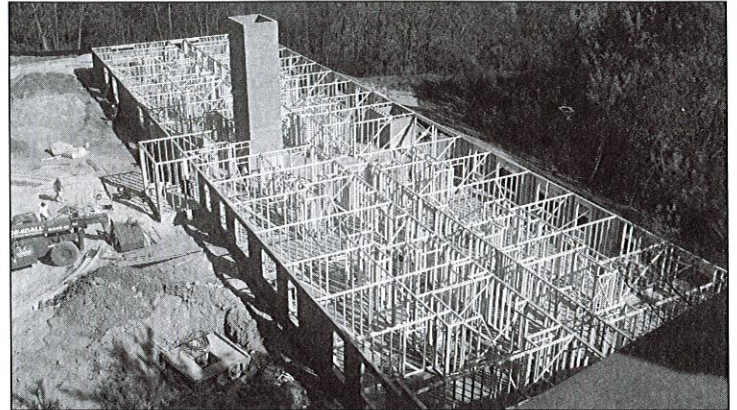
Construction Begins on New Affordable Housing Units



Artist's rendering of new apartments to open in 2009.

In the beginning, fifteen men met to formulate a program devoted to the area of benevolence. Sensitive to the fact that there was not a single Christian Home for the aged in the Central Kentucky area, these men began an organization named Christian Benevolent Outreach in 1973. Their dream was the development of a non-profit retirement village that provided continuous care in a Christian atmosphere.

The dream began to materialize in 1975 with the donation of land to Broadway Christian Church from the old,



Construction is under way at new apartment building.

distinguished Lexington family of Miss Appolonia Sayre. Broadway Christian Church subsequently conveyed the land to Christian Benevolent Outreach.

Sayre Christian Village broke ground in 1980 on a 98-unit apartment building on Camelot Drive known as Baunta apartments. The first resident moved in during February 1983 and by August of that year all apartments were filled and a waiting list was developing.

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Residents Reflect on Living at Sayre Christian Village

"We've come along way baby!" Beatrice Curd stated as she commented on the newest addition to the Sayre Christian Village campus. Beatrice moved into Baunta Apartments in May 1983, where she was the only resident on the entire second floor. "I didn't sleep but thirty minutes that first night!" Beatrice's hallway was quickly filled with neighbors, one whom lived three blocks away from her in Louisville. Although Beatrice and Marge Cromwell were strangers in Louisville they became quick friends at Sayre Christian Village. "All our memories are special. We've had big times," Marge stated of her and Beatrice's friendship with other Baunta Apartment residents.

Lorine Holderman, a Baunta Apartment resident for over 25 years, feels she was brought to Sayre Christian Village to be of some benefit to others. She has done so by keeping the flower garden blooming for her neighbors to enjoy every Spring! "People stepped out on faith to put this village here – we are trying to do the Lord's work."

Beatrice, Marge, and Lorine are all anxious for the newest building to be completed and for other individuals to join them in the memories they cherish living at Sayre Christian Village.



Marge Cromwell, Lorine Holderman, and Beatrice Curd share thoughts on the past twenty-five years at Baunta Apartments.

Outstanding Rehabilitation Services



The Kentucky Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, Inc. (KAHSA) announced award winners for 2008. Nancy Bailey received the Outstanding Service Award for Rehabilitation Services at the KAHSA Awards Luncheon in Louisville.

Nancy, a physical therapist for Aegis Therapies has worked at Sayre Christian Village for 12 years. The management team at Sayre Christian Village says that during Nancy's tenure at Sayre she has been an integral part of the care team and received much recognition from the nursing staff for her dedication. Although Nancy has been a therapist for 39 years, she is still the first one in, and turns on the lights in the rehab office. Her manager says of Nancy, "She has been around the block and can still run circles around any therapist I know."

Sayre Christian Village is proud to honor Nancy for her hard work and dedication, and her commitment to help older adults and their loved ones live their lives to their fullest potential.

Award winner Nancy Bailey is pictured here with Jeff Stidam, Nursing Home Administrator of Moberly Manor.