



2017 Emmy Nominees



*This is awesome news and so well deserved!!
Doris Higgins*

*I am SO excited by this news!! Congratulations
and hoping for the best!!!
Katherine Nash
(Emma's granddaughter)*

... AND THE NOMINEES ARE Documentary - Historical [CATEGORY NUMBER 4O2]

HOOSIERS: THE STORY OF INDIANA - Episode 3 (WFYI) Kim Jacobs,
Producer; Kyle Travers, Producer/Editor; James Madison, Host

RESTORING THE LEGACY (Think Media Studios) Brian Glazen, Executive
Producer; Cindi Szymanski, Executive Producer; Geoff Yaw, Director; Keith
Potoczak, Editor; Caleb Crossen, Director of Photography

TRAIL MAGIC, THE GRANDMA GATEWOOD STORY (FilmAffects, LLC)
Peter Huston, Director

AMERICA'S THEATER: CLEVELAND PLAY HOUSE (WVIZ/PBS
ideastream) Lance Shultz, Managing Producer; Mark Rosenberger,
Executive Producer

HOOSIERS: THE STORY OF INDIANA - Episode 1 (WFYI) Kim Jacobs,
Producer; Kyle Travers, Producer/Editor; James Madison, Host

*Congratulations, how exciting.
Ron Abate
Cleveland State University Professor;
Education Department*

*THIS IS SO GREAT!! YOU DESERVE IT, FOR SURE!
Kathy Altman,
Adult Service Coordinator
Conneaut Public Library*

The announcement
Is made!
April 27, 2017



TRAIL MAGIC: THE GRANDMA GATEWOOD STORY

-- nominated for an Emmy!

We are so honored and excited to announce that TRAIL MAGIC: THE GRANDMA GATEWOOD STORY has been nominated for an Emmy!

Thank you to everyone who helped get Emma to the top of THIS mountain!



Grandma Gatewood climbs another mountain!

When Emma Gatewood left Gallipolis, Ohio to hike the 2,050-mile Appalachian Trail by herself in 1955, she probably never expected all the "fuss and hoopla" that came with her accomplishment. When we started our project to document her life in 2009, we never expected that we would come this far!

Director, Peter Huston and writer Kelly Boyer Sagert told her story in a compelling fashion with the help of A LOT of people over the years. It's been our Appalachian Trail!

Bette Lou Higgins

Bette Lou Higgins
Artistic Director

Congratulations on the nomination!!!!
Liz McQuaid
The Person Responsible for introducing us to Emma

Emmy awards ceremony

June 17, 2017



Peter & Amy Huston

CONGRATULATIONS!!!! Job VERY WELL done!!!
Just got the EVE announcement as well. You and all
your hard working cohorts on this project deserve
IT. it is so well deserved!!! WOW!!!!
Patti Thomin

Bette Lou Higgins
Tracy Belcher

That is totally awesome!!!
Margy Huntley

Congratulations!
Margaret Simon





CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU!!
 That's phenomenal, Peter.
 ... Seriously, I hope you're as proud of this as you should be. I just stood where you told me to. And was honored to be a part of it. Just promise me this won't be our last collaboration!
 Sending good luck wishes to you and Bette Lou et al.
 ... I was so grateful to work with both of you...you clearly knew what you were doing.
 BRAVO to all!
 Anne McEvoy (AKA Grandma Gatewood)



***** !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
 Bette Lou: That is SSSSOOOOOOOOOO
 terrific!
 CONGRATS!!!!CONGRATS!!!! CONGRATS!!!!

Mary Haskins

Excellent news!
 Brian Magee



Kelly & Don
Sagert

AWESOME!!!!!!
Priscilla Kaczuk

CONGRATS!!!!
Dave Cotton

Bette Lou... Wow! Brava! Congrats! Hoorah! Mrrp! You go
Girl! Yikes! Neato! Yowzer! Fantastic! Euge! Kudos! and couldn't
happen to a more deserving gal
Glenn Blair
Oh, WOW!!! Congratulations.
Barb Knight

Sandra Hirst
Schoonmaker &
Kelly Sagert



CONGRATULATIONS!!
Nancy Martier

What great news! ... All your hard
work has paid off!
Congratulations!
Dr. Connie Evans
Baldwin Wallace University

Congratulations! You go, girl.
Sue Butts



Congratulations to Peter,
Kelly and you for your
perseverance, and belief
in a great story!!
YAHOO!!!!!!
Bill O'Brien

CONGRATULATIONS!
Lee Monroe

Your hard work and dedication to the
project have paid off. Congrats to you
and your team!
John Lionti
Designer TRAIL MAGIC dvd materials

Wow, sooo proud!! It was truly wonderful!!
Suzy Weinbarger

This is such fabulous
news!!!!
All the best....
Vera Hurst





Peter Huston
Kaleb Grimes

Congratulations on the Emmy award. It is so great that all your hard work is recognized in such an awesome way!!!!
Carolyn Beears

Totally exciting news! Congratulations on the nomination.
Carola Bamberger

Wow! Nominated for an Emmy? That's great ...
Ohio History Fund Grant Coordinator
Andy Verhoff

Congratulations!!!
Genny Dangerfield

Whoohoo!
Congratulations!
Judy MacKeigan
Historian/Archivist
Cleveland
Metroparks
(AKA "Hiking"
Grandma Gatewood)

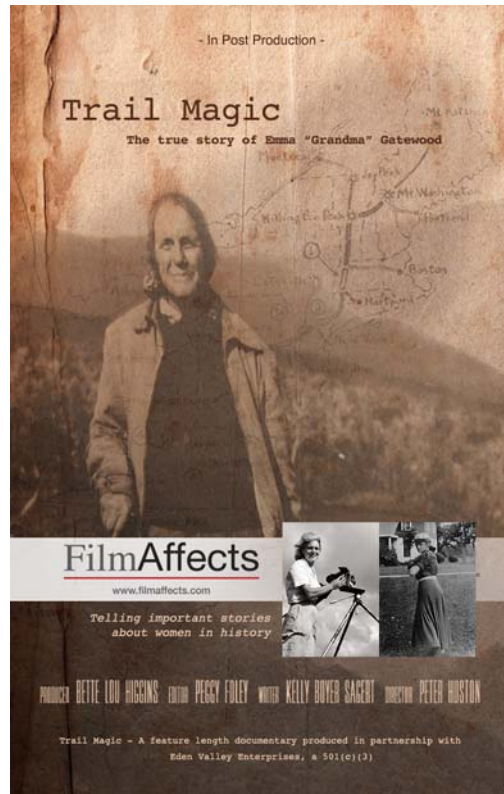


Wow...that is AWESOME !!!!!!!!!!!
 A Well deserved nomination!!!!!!!!!! You put a lot of blood
 sweat and tears into it.
 ... Just to think, I remember when you mentioned the
 research as a twinkle in your eye around 2009 and of
 course...I had never heard of Gramma Gatewood at that
 time. Then you invited me to do a fundraising
 presentation in 2014 for the PBS documentary. Now look
 at where you have taken it.
 ...Wow. My fingers and toes are crossed for the big
 day.
 Take care,
 Betty Zak

Congratulations. That is wonderful
 news.
 Good luck on the voting. I hope
 you get the Emmy.
 Dick Feldmann

Congratulation Bette Lou!
 Wow! Bravo!
 I so enjoyed seeing the
 documentary and facilitating
 the presentation at the
 Billings Farm & Museum last
 fall. Well done!
 Marie Hanson
 Green Mountain Club

Nominated for an Emmy??!!!!
 That's wonderful!!!! How
 rewarding is that for all
 your hard work!
 Brenda Wallover



Congrats!!
 Carl Casavecchia
 Special Project Manager
 Cleveland Metroparks

... AND THE winner is

HOOSIERS: THE STORY OF INDIANA - Episode 3



But really we're all winners!

Making a scene!

Filming at Lake County Historical Society, September 15, 2013



Emma Gatewood:

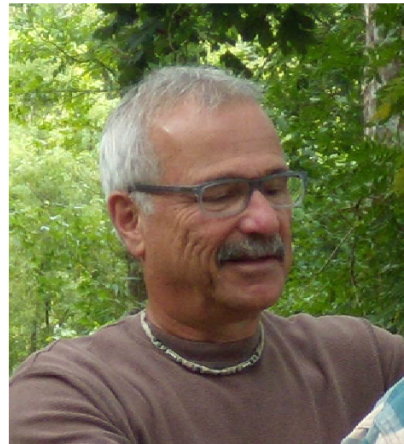
An Appalachian Tale

Anne McEvoy: Emma

Peter Huston, FilmAffects: Director

Thomas Whaley, Green Door

Mediaworks: Cameraman



WOW! Congratulations, Bette Lou! It really has been your "Katahdin" hasn't it! I'm very happy your work should be professionally recognized in this way. Awesome!
Kelly Lawrence

Oh my! Congratulations well-deserved.
Bravo, bravo!!
Judy Ryder & Bruce Frumker

Congratulations!! I'll be rooting for you.
Mary Kay Bean

Congratulations!
Nannette Shepardson

And I am SPEECHLESS.
Rod Knight

Still acting up!

Filming at Lyme Village

July 29, 2014



I am tickled pink to hear this! I hope it wins!
Andrea Ranta



Congratulations!!!
Karen Raymore
Executive Director
Hocking Hills Tourism Association

Curtain up!



TRAIL MAGIC: The Grandma Gatewood Story



TrueNorth Cultural Arts; May 28—29, 2015



Rick Fortney, TrueNorth Director; Bette Lou Higgins, Eden Valley Director; Kelly Boyer Sagert, writer and researcher; Peter Huston, FilmAffects Director and Andy Verhoff from the Ohio History Connection.

Dear Bette Lou,
My dear friend Deb Cahill ... just sent me the information about your nomination for an Emmy—how very exciting and what a distinct honor! I'm so proud to know you and to have worked with you (with the Alta Weiss story so long ago!) Congratulations! "You've come a long way, baby!" Good for you!
Sue Stauffer

- very cool! Congrats!
See you on the Red Carpet
Mary Ann Bound

Roll credits...

Presented by WOUB Public Television

Darren LaShelle

Executive Producer

Bette Lou Higgins

Producer

Peter Huston

Director

Kelly Boyer Sagert

Writer/Researcher

Peggy Foley

Co-producer

Editor, Motion Graphics

Bruce Lundeen

Director of Photography

Tom Whaley

Videographer

Historical Re-enactments

Peter Huston

Cameraman

Kaleb Grime

Assistant Editor

Michael J. Higgins

Music Recording Engineer

Amy Huston

Location Coordinator (Ohio)

Foster Brown

Narrator

Adapted Musical Arrangements

Michael Petee

Historical Music Research

Composer

Bert Fall

Narration Recording, WPCR

Shirley Wolfe

Production Assistant

FEATURING

Lucy Gatewood Seeds

Youngest daughter of Emma Gatewood

Marjorie Gilliam Wood

Great-granddaughter

Anne McEvoy

as Emma Gatewood

Judy MacKiegan

as Emma Gatewood (hiking)

Robert Proudman

Director of Conservation Operations

Appalachian Trail Conservancy

Such great news - thanks for sharing!
Sincerely,
Todd Kleismit
Director of Community & Government Relations
Ohio History Connection

Congratulations! Wonderful news!!
Susan Phillips

So all your hard work paid off...how exciting!! I
told my boss...and she said that was the best
thing she has heard all week!!! She was so
excited and she hasn't even seen it! Lol
Rosemary Versaci

James Hodges
Appalachian Trail Thru-hiker, 1973

"Racewalker"
AT Thru-hiker

Joseph Harold
Manager, Appalachian Trail Museum

*FABULOUS!!! BRAVA!!!
David Bamberger*

"Cactus"
AT Thru-hiker

Ron Tipton
CEO, Appalachian Trail Conservancy

"Trip"
AT Thru-hiker

Bruce Grant
President, Maine Appalachian Trail Club

*Fantastic - the work you guys
did was long and hard, a
mission of love - great to hear
you have been so recognized!
Mike Petee*

"Frankenstein"
AT Thru-hiker

Laurie Potteiger
Information Services Manager
Appalachian Trail Conservancy

*Composer, "An Old Woman's
Grace" written for our film*

"Last Out"
AT Thru-hiker

PRODUCTION FACILITIES

Brian King
Historian, Appalachian Trail Conservancy

Location Production Equipment
provided by WGTE Public Media

Connie Evans, PhD
Historian Baldwin Wallace University

*Congratulations I bet you
that makes you happy and
very proud.
Patty Higgins*

Bruce Lundeen
Light-Raves

"Just Terry"
AT Thru-hiker

Greg Peiffer
Ottawa Broadcasting

"Dirty D"
AT Thru-hiker

Tom Whaley
TW Teleproductions

"Neon"
AT Thru-hiker

DEVELOPMENT

Estelle Brown
Sydney Palermo

"Off My Meds"
AT Thru-hiker

Andrea Ranta
Holly J. Tomasch

"Mason"
AT Thru-hiker

*Just saw the thing about the Emmy
nomination. Way to go! That is just
great. You certainly deserve it. The
film was a huge undertaking and you
did a wonderful job.
Marty Perry*

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Lucy Seeds

Marjorie Wood

Lillian Gatewood Sullivan

Appalachian Trail Museum

Appalachian Trail Conservancy

Gallia County Historical Society

Oregon Historical Society

"You Bet Your Life"(Emma Gatewood Episode)

Produced by John Guedel Productions

in association with NBC

Presented by Groucho Marx

Directed by Robert Dwan, Bernie Smith, 1960

MUSIC

"Down to the River to Pray"

Traditional Spiritual

Performed by Grace, Shauna, and Valerie Laxon

"Grandma Gatewood (With an old woman's grace)"

(instrumental and lyrics)

Written and performed by Michael Petee

"Whiskey Before Breakfast"

Traditional

Performed by Foster Brown

"Jaw Harp"

Traditional

Performed by Foster Brown

Congratulations!
Rick Fortney
Director, TrueNorth Cultural Arts

Congratulations!!!
Jeannine Vegh

Congratulations! We had the
opportunity to view it in
Harrisonburg; it is quite a
story.
Karen Waterman

"Fiddle Tune"

Traditional Appalachian Tune

Performed by

James Hodges

"Old Lady and the Devil" (Recorded
1928)

Anthology of American Folk Music

Edited by Harry Smith

Performed by Belle and Bill Reed

"King Kong Kitchie Kitchie" (Recorded 1928)

Anthology of American Folk Music

Traditional English Folk Song

Performed by Chubby Parker

"Down on (Penny's) Perry's Farm"

Folk song adapted by the Bently Boys

Performed by Foster Brown

"Sunny Side of Life"

Written by the Carter Family

Performed by Foster Brown, Alethea and
Jordan Wilhelm

"How Many Biscuits Can I Eat?"

Traditional

Performed by Split Lip Rayfield

"4 Places on A.T. III. Sages Ravine"

Composed by Rick Sowash

Performed by Kostraba & friends

"America (My Country, 'Tis of Thee)"

Written by Samuel Francis Smith

Performed by Foster Brown

"I'll Fly Away"

Written by Albert E. Brumley

Performed by Foster Brown

TRAIL MAGIC RECORDING SESSION

Foster Brown

Vocal, Guitar, Mandolin, Banjo

"Nobody Like I Do"

Traditional

Performed by Bill Miller

*Congrats....you deserve it....
Jack Winget*

Alethea Wilhelm

Vocals

"Virtutes Instrumenti"

Jordan Wilhelm

Written and Performed by Kevin MacLeod
(incompetech.com)

Vocals

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Producer

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FILMED ON LOCATION AT

"Constancy Part Three"

Written and Performed by Kevin MacLeod
(incompetech.com)

Baxter State Park

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Appalachian National Scenic Trail

National Park Service

Harpers Ferry, WV

"I am a Man of Constant Sorrow
(Instrumental)"

Traditional

Performed by Foster Brown

South Mountain Recreation Area

State of Maryland

"America the Beautiful"

Cleveland Metroparks

Written by Katharine Lee Bates

Rocky River, Ohio

Composed by Samuel A. Ward

Performed by Foster Brown

Historic Lyme Village

Bellevue, Ohio

*Congratulations!!!
Happy Trails,
Sara Haxby
Appalachian Trail Conservancy*

Lake County Historical Society

Painesville, Ohio

Gallia County, Ohio

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Nelson Gatewood

Louise LaMott

Lucy Long, PhD

Appalachian Music Studies

Larry Luxenberg

President Appalachian Trail Museum

Liz McQuaid

Ben Montgomery

Author "Grandma Gatewood's Walk"

Ray Parker

Director of Historic Lyme Village

Greg Peiffer

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Hilda Smith, PhD

Women's Studies, University of Cincinnati

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Marjorie Wood

Dedicated to Michael J. Higgins

And by

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Maine Appalachian Trail Club

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Park Manager South Mountain Recreation
Area, Maryland

*Congratulations!! How exciting!!
Brenda Yost*

*Congratulations!! Thank you for sharing.
Suzanne Ortiz
Program Manager - Corporate College,
Cuyahoga Community College*

Wow!

What an incredible honor- and vindication of all your hard work.

Even if you don't win (fingers-crossed!), hopefully this will help her story reach a wider audience.

Kyle and I are both proud of your accomplishment and your dedication for spreading the stories of amazing women.

Every time Kyle and I tell someone we hiked the Appalachian Trail and they say "I want to, but I think that ship has sailed", I tell them about GG- (especially about going back after getting lost!)

Honestly, sometimes when I'm struggling, I think of her and think to myself "If a 65 year old woman can get up and hike the AT (several times), Oregon Trail AND help establish the Buckeye Trail, what the hell am I complaining about?"

Congratulations!

Benjamin Rexroad

Managing Artistic Director, Wandering Aesthetics

Steve Johnson
Marion Hahn

Bethany Hobbs

Appause! Appause!
Patty Hennis

Edith
John

Side Bight
Ron Goun

Mark Andrus

Gailwood

Mary Manning

Lan Pine Jones

Congrats!

Amant Marahan

Ron Goun

Adam Fears
Cook

Bravo
congratulations.

Enjoy your special day!

Liz Hanks

Angie Chasing

Camille Allen
Linda Holmes

Bette Lou - I couldn't be
happier for you! This
is awesome recognition
for all your hard
work! @Marilyn
Cunningham

May, 2017

Dear Bette Lou,

Congratulations and all good wishes go to you and your colleagues at Eden Valley Enterprises upon receiving an Emmy award nomination for "Trail Magic: The Grandma Gatewood Story." Such a wonderful honor is a testament to the years of vision, creativity, determination, collaboration and enthusiasm you have put into this project --- as well as a tribute to the amazing Grandma Gatewood herself! We are happy and proud of all of you --- applause, applause from your friends at the Oberlin Heritage Center.



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www.filmaffects.com

