2016 Domestic Violence Candle Light Vigil

Event Details

Monday, August 4, 2025 | 4:43pm-4:43pm EDT

Come join us downtown Prestonsburg, KY during the Jenny Wiley Festival on Thursday, October 6th at 6:00 p.m. for the 2016 Domestic Violence Awareness Candle Light Vigil.

Speak My Name 2016

Thirty-two victims killed by male intimate partners have been identified in Kentucky (January 1, 2015 – August 31, 2016). The list was compiled by Kentucky Coalition Against Domestic Violence through newspapers and various domestic violence programs.



* The deaths of these women occurred before January 1, 2015, but the cases were pending when the previous list was published. Since then, the perpetrator has been charged in each case.

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