

# 2007 New Jersey State Jefferson Awards



## SALUTE YOUR 2007 AWARDS HONOREE, KATHLEEN CULLEN

NOMINATED BY JAMES CULLEN



From left: Nominator James Cullen and honoree Kathleen Cullen



From left: George Arwady, Publisher of the Star-Ledger, honoree Kathleen Cullen and Sam Beard, co-founder of the Jefferson Awards

### Do you know someone who makes a difference in your community?

If you do, then nominate them for the prestigious Jefferson Award by visiting [www.nj.com/jeffersonawards](http://www.nj.com/jeffersonawards)

Jefferson Awards honor ordinary people who, through public service, do extraordinary things for other people, their community, their nation, or the environment.

Kathy Cullen has served New Jersey as a volunteer for many years. She is now a volunteer as a member of the Jefferson Township Council's Senior Citizens Advisory Board, advocating for the senior citizens. She also voluntarily writes a monthly health & safety tips column for the local newspaper, to improve the quality of life. Kathy's primary volunteer service has been to the American Red Cross. For ten years she has served there as a volunteer Instructor. She has taught lifesaving skills to 1200 people, including public safety personnel such as police, firefighters, EMTs, doctors, lifeguards, schoolteachers, athletic coaches, and the US Coast Guard. She never hesitates to take the extra step to purchase healthcare equipment on her own expense to give to her patients, and she will readily volunteer to shop, contact family, change bedding, arrange for social services, or whatever else she can do to make life easier for her patients and ease their suffering.