

Julie Says Pat Nixon Still Feels Effects of Stroke

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Julie Nixon Eisenhower says she is concerned that her mother may not recover fully from the stroke she suffered last July.

"She has a little difficulty walking and can't use her left hand completely," said Eisenhower, the younger daughter of former President Richard Nixon.

"I know she's in pain most of the time," Eisenhower said. "She's one of the millions of Americans who suffers from arthritis which she got as a result from the shock of the stroke.

"I'll ask her how she feels, and she'll say, 'Oh, I'm so sick of myself. I'm not going to complain.' But I know that it bothers her."

Eisenhower, here to promote her book, "Special People," said that her father, who suffered from a severe phlebitis attack two months after he resigned the presidency, is now in good health.

Eisenhower's book is a series of six profiles she wrote about famous people she has met.

She said she wanted the book to have seven profiles so it wouldn't be compared with her father's book, "Six Crises." But she couldn't get an interview with the seventh

person, Nobel prize-winning author Alexander Solzhenitsyn, she said.

Her profiles are of former Israeli Prime Minister Golda Meir; Ruth Graham, wife of the Rev. Billy Graham; Prince Charles; author Anne Morrow Lindbergh; Mao Tse-tung, and Mamie Eisenhower.

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