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MOTHER  
REMEMBERS

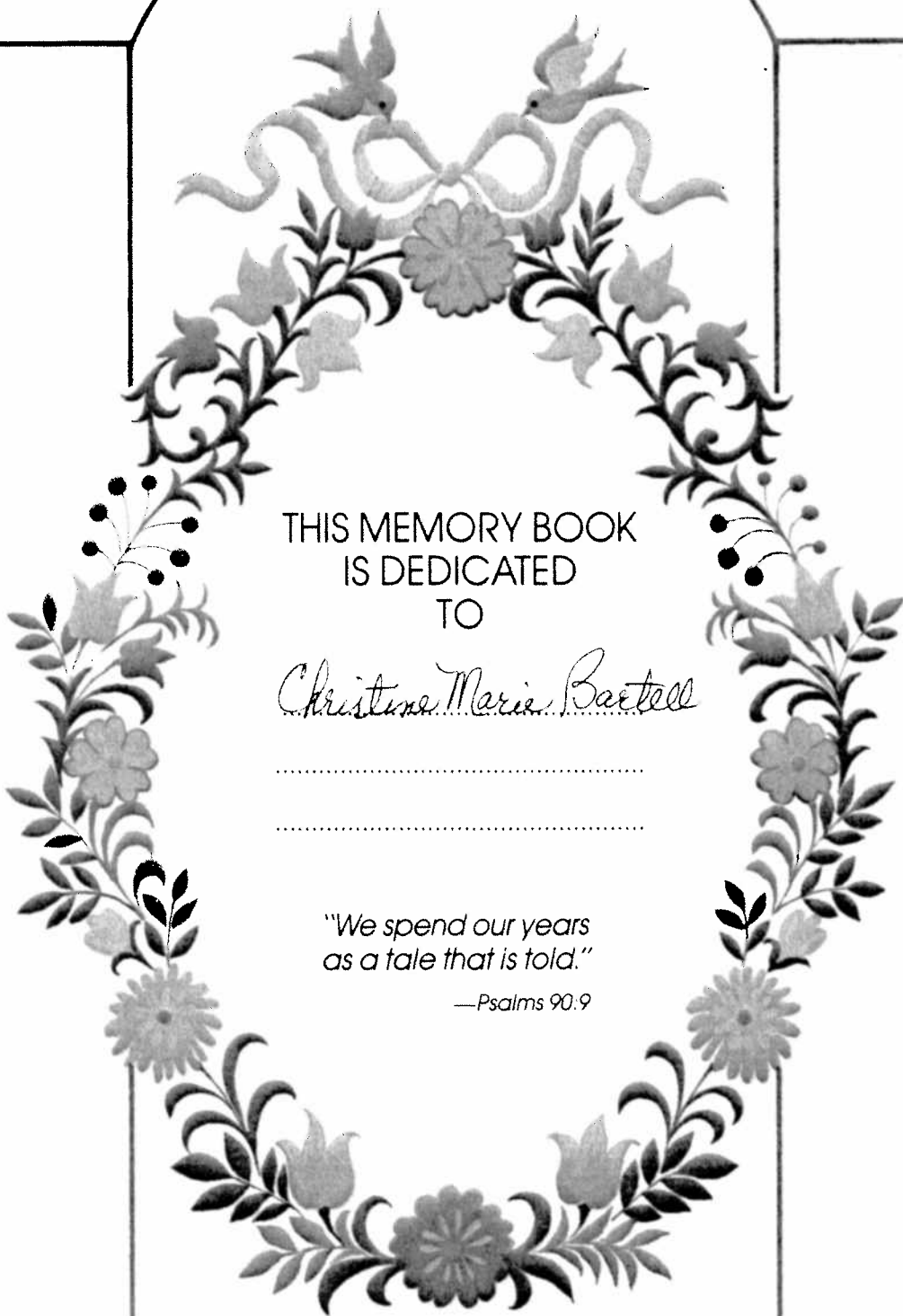
A BOOK OF SPECIAL MEMORIES  
FOR THE FAMILY TO SHARE



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*Drawing Board*  
Greeting Cards

# DEDICATION



THIS MEMORY BOOK  
IS DEDICATED  
TO

*Christine Marie Bartell*

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*"We spend our years  
as a tale that is told."*

—Psalms 90:9

WRITTEN WITH LOVE

BY *Anna M. Bartell*  
*Grandma Bartell*

DATE *5-9-97*

# MY BEGINNINGS



My given name was

*Anna Rosendick*

and I was named that because

*My Birthday came  
in Aug. which is  
the feast of St. Ann  
so my religious  
mother named me  
Anna (Ann in  
Croatian my nation-  
ality)*

My name means

*Full of Grace*

I had nicknames, too

*Annie  
Annabelle  
Greenie  
Gretchen  
Gracie Jensen*

I was born on *August 7 - 1923*  
at *Sherwood, Clark County*  
*Wisconsin*

I weighed ..... and was ..... long.

I had *blond-curling* hair  
and *Blue* eyes.

"A baby's birth—  
an awakening of life...  
a fresh beginning...  
a dawning of happiness  
and love."  
—M. Reis

The rest of my family included

*Joseph  
Mike  
John  
Steve  
Tom  
Louie  
Paul  
Nick  
Rose — Helene  
Mary — Amanda*

I had special names for some of them

*Paul — Murphy  
Rose — Rosie  
Mary — Mare*

Other relatives who lived in town or nearby were

*Michael Rosendick  
Susan Rosendick  
John Pauer  
Mary Pauer  
Tom Pauer  
Marie Pauer  
Joe Matonick  
Katherine Matonick  
Their Children*

# OUR FAMILY TREE

HER  
MOTHER'S PARENTS

HER  
FATHER'S PARENTS

HIS  
MOTHER'S PARENTS

HIS  
FATHER'S PARENTS

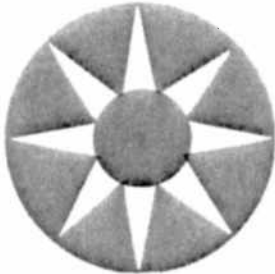
*PHILIP MAZAR*

HER  
PARENTS

*STEVE ROSANDIC  
Katherine Mazar*

HIS  
PARENTS

*Peter Bartell  
Erna Zemlo*



YOUR  
GRANDMOTHER (ME)

*ANNA BARTELL*

YOUR  
GRANDFATHER

*ALVIN BARTELL*

YOUR  
PARENT

*RICHARD PAUL BARTELL*



The earliest ancestor I know of on my mother's side of the family was *Nani Perbovich* <sup>Mazar</sup>

The earliest ancestor I know of on my father's side of the family was *Michael & John George*

My surname comes from ..... and means .....

It used to be spelled *Rosandic*

Certain foods and family traditions come from national and/or religious origins. Some of ours that

do are: *Strubles, Macaroni & Cheese w/ eggs & onions & shortening*

*Sour Kraut w/ Home Smoked Ham, Prune dumplings*

*Molasses Cake, Poppy seed cake, Homemade Bread, raw  
fried potatoes*

# ALL ABOUT ME



I lived in: SHERWOOD TOWN  
(city)

CLARK COUNTY, WI

Hwy. W  
(address)

from BIRTH to AGE 14

I lived in: SHERWOOD  
(city)

CLARK COUNTY

Hwy. W  
(address)

from 1938 to 1942 AGE 18

I lived in: GRANTON  
(city)

GRANTON, WI

CLARK CTY - Hwy. K  
(address)

MILWAUKEE

from 1942 to 1961

I went to school at:

AUDUBON School

SHERWOOD

town:

grades 1 to 8

I went to school at:

GRANTON H.S.H.

GRANTON

town:

1938-1942

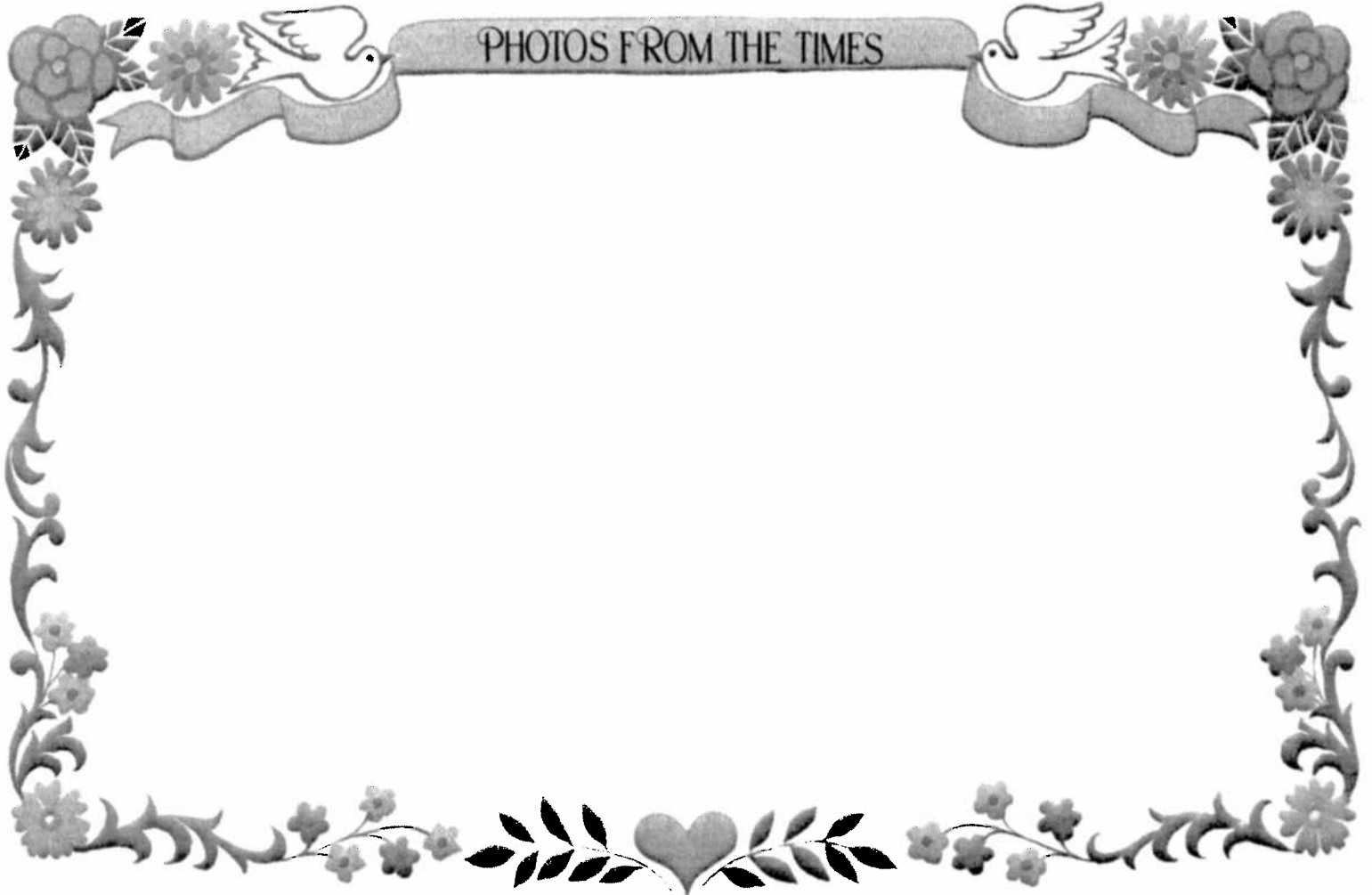
grades Freshman to Senior

I went to school at:

town:

grades to

## PHOTOS FROM THE TIMES



# MY PARENTS



## MY MOTHER

Her full name  
*Katherine Mary Mazza*  
 I called her  
*Mama*  
 She was born in  
*Austria-Hungary*  
 (date)  
*Sept. 27, 1892*  
 When I was a child,  
 she was  
*5* feet *6* inches tall  
 and weighed about  
*140* pounds.  
 She had *Brown* hair  
 and *Brown* eyes.

"In the heart's memory  
 there's a special place  
 for mothers."  
 —M. Reis

## MY FATHER

His full name  
*Stephen Pasandic*  
 I called him  
*Dad*  
 He was born in  
*Austria-Hungary*  
 (date)  
*Jan. 1, 1895*  
 When I was a child,  
 he was  
*5* feet *5* inches tall  
 and weighed about  
*145* pounds.  
 He had *Brown* hair  
 and *Blue* eyes.

"A father...  
 gentleness with strength,  
 wisdom with love."  
 —C. L. Furman

### WHAT I REMEMBER MOST ABOUT HER

*Her faith in God - the love she gave us - her prayers and religious teachings, her warmth & kindness, her labor she did, her sewing, cooking, teaching me to bake bread at age 11. Her beautiful dark brown wavy hair & her braid she pinned each morning & her neat gray dress.*



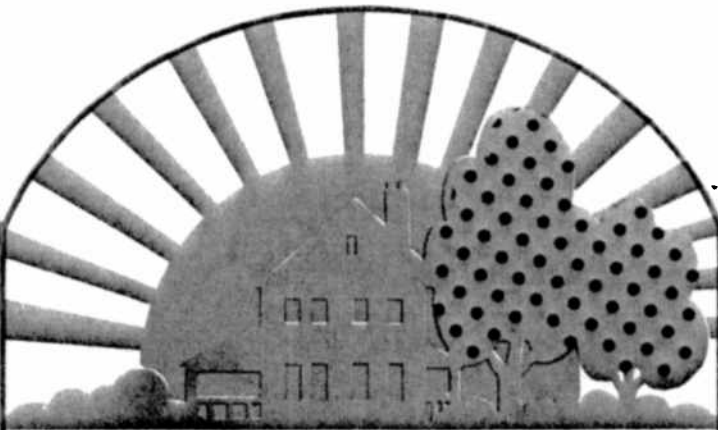
### WHAT I REMEMBER MOST ABOUT HIM

*His hard work, his authority. His bib overalls, blue shirt & straw hat, his kindness & seeing him with folded hands, lips moving with prayer going to the barn to do the milking of the cows. That a beautiful sight. I remember him behind the plow, with his team of horses. Dick & Dan. Later on a tractor, a picture you never forget.*



[Photo]

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My pets

Just Kutz the dog



My best friend



My days at school

Were fun. I learned how to read, write do arithmetic, play games, draw - color, paste - cut & share with my classmates.



The things I liked to do

Climb trees Pick Wild Berries Slide down the hills in the snow Play House - make mud pies, whistle sing, play games, read, play with my sisters, cousins

My childhood home

Was a 3 room structure which my father made as a temporary structure. It was small, hard to heat in the winter, we had 3 stoves - 1 in each room & my mother kept them burning to keep us warm. In the summer it was hot with no fans, no air conditioning, no electricity. It had a cook stove which used wood to heat the kitchen & to cook on. It was home and we were happy to have a home.

My brothers and sisters

Joseph Casandick Michael "Case" Mary John Steve Thomas Louis Felix Paul Amanda Nicholas A baby still born on Dec 23 1930 - A girl

Responsibilities I had

Carry wood in for the cook stove. Clean the lamps & fill them with kerosene. Carry water from the well to the house. Fill the reservoir on the stove with water.

My special place

"Seen through a child's eye... each shining pebble's a jewel beyond worth; each rock, a fortress grand!"

C.L. Furman



# GROWING UP



The dances they were dancing

*Waltz*  
*2-Step*  
*Charleston*  
*Jug*

What people were talking about

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The music they were playing

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The movies we were watching

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Some of my most memorable days

*First Day of School*  
*Christmas*  
*School Picnic*  
*A relative's visit from the city*  
*Threshing time*  
*Berry picking*  
*A soap at the County Fair*  
*A visit to relatives*

The books we were reading

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 .....

The fads that were popular

*Button-high shoes*  
*Singhman dresses*  
*Shingled hair*

## COSTS WAY BACK THEN

licorice	1 ¢	comics	¢
ice cream	5 ¢	soda pop	¢
gum	1 ¢	stamps	1 ¢
candy	¢	movies	¢
bread	¢	bus rides	¢
sugar	¢	newspapers	¢
milk	¢	gasoline	¢
bicycles \$		new cars \$	

The people who were famous

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 .....

What I wanted to be when I grew up.

*A teacher*  
 .....  
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GRANDPA



I met him

On Nov. 21st, 1945. It was Thanksgiving Eve. My friends introduced us to one another and it was love at first sight. Grandpa was a handsome courteous kind man. He just got out of the Army Infantry after WWII.

Some special people who shared our day

My relatives & Grandpa's relatives. We had a small reception at his parents home after the church ceremony. Many friends came and brought gifts as well as our relatives.

### OUR WEDDING

We were married on

September 27, 1947

at

Fr. Oscar Wimmerhoff

by

I was 24 years old; Grandpa was 25

I remember

when he asked me if I would accept a diamond engagement ring from him & I said yes. On Christmas Eve that year we were engaged to be married & I never regretted it.

In the years that followed

we had 8 children: Alain, Peter, John, Steven, Mary, Dick, Anna Maria, & Jay. Six in-law daughters-in-law, 15 grand-children. We were a happy couple.

The Wedding Ceremony

At 11 o'clock A.M. Mass at St. Aloysius Catholic Church, So. 92nd St. in West Allis, Wis.

Grandpa stood on the train of my dress & his father came up to the altar & tapped Grandpa on the shoulder & pointed to his foot. He moved his foot & Grandpa Bartell was released.

Here is a picture of Grandpa when I first knew him.

(Photo)

Here is a picture of me when I first knew Grandpa.

(Photo)



# GRANDPA'S PARENTS



HIS MOTHER

Her full name

*Erna Alta Zenda*

She was born in

*Sept. 1 - 1900*  
*Randolph, Wis.*  
Date

She was .... feet ..... inches tall and weighed

about ..... pounds.

She had *brown* hair and *brown* eyes.

He called her

*mother*

Some of her favorite things to do were

*Bake Pies*  
*Read the daily paper*  
*Fishing*  
*Camping*  
*visiting relatives*

A memory Grandpa shared with me about her is

*Her grandmother's kindness & love*  
*Her father's horse trading*  
*Her brother's auto repair garage*  
*Her 1 sister & 3 brothers*



HIS FATHER

His full name

He was born in

Date

He was .... feet ..... inches tall and weighed

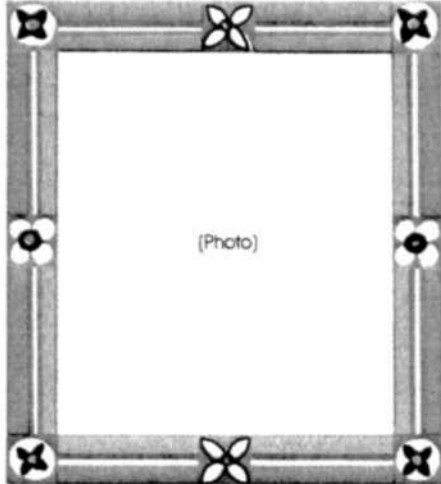
about ..... pounds.

He had ..... hair and ..... eyes.

He called him

Some of his favorite things to do were

A memory Grandpa shared with me about him is



(Photo)

Grandpa's Mother was about ..... years old when this was taken.

"Memories... mellowed with time, colored with love."

—M. Reis