

Interviews

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1. How far back do you remember the family tree? To my grandparents, which would be your great, great grandparents
2. Does any of our family that you know of live outside of the country? Not now, but my father's sister & family lived in the Philippines & Ethiopia while raising their family. He was an engineer and transferred to those countries for work.
3. When are your parents birthdays? My mom's birthday was 05/18/1921 and my dad was born in 1911--don't know day or month. He died when I was 3.
4. When were you born? 10/27/1948
5. Where were you born? Hoven, South Dakota
6. Do you have favorite family members? Yes, all my grandkids!!
7. Do any illnesses run in the family? Heart disease--grandma died at age 62, 1 uncle died age 45, 1 uncle died of it at 55, and my dad at 40 and my mom died at age 64--all of heart attacks.
8. Are you related to any famous people? Not that I know of!
9. Have you ever lived out of the country? No
10. How many pets have you had? Lots--my horse, Sally, which your mom rode at age 2. Many dogs and cats on the farm, but mainly remember "Blacky" who was killed by my horse. He got too close to nipping my horse's ankles and my horse kicked and hit him in the head--instant death:(When your mom was little we had a German shepherd named Skipper and then we got Dexter, black lab, and now we have Buddy, German Shorthair, and 2 golden labs, Sunny and Taos.
11. What is your favorite subject? Math
12. When did you learn to drive? At age 10 on the farm- drove all kinds of tractors, a combine and many trucks. Learned, of course, on a stick shift.
13. What is your favorite food? Lobster tails
14. Where was your best vacation? In Mexico with my grandkids
15. How many times have you been out of the country? 6-Jamaica, Puerto Rico, Venezuela, and 3 times to Mexico
16. Who were your childhood hero's? My aunt Angie and the Beatles
17. Where is our family heritage? Germany and Russia
18. Who is your mom? Gretchen Iverne Lemke Huft
19. How old was your mom when she died. Age 64

20. How old was your dad when he died?

Age 40

My Granny

1. Back to my grandfather.
2. Not that I know of.
3. MY Dad January 1, 1916, I do not know the month & day of my mother but the year was 1921.
4. October 23 1945.
5. Dupree, South Dakota.
6. NO.
7. Arthritis, Heart, Cancer.
8. Not that I know of.
9. Yes, Germany.
10. 4.
11. Politics
12. About 9 or 10.
13. Steak.
14. My best times re when I am at the Cabin/Lake.
15. Besides when I lived out of the country 11 other times for a total of 12 times.
16. John Wayne.
17. German/Russian.
18. Her maiden name was Betty Brummett.
19. 72.
20. 55