

# GUEST BOOK

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**Mary**

Wednesday, 4/4/07, 8:20 AM

I accidentally came onto this site and wow....What memories. I have lived in Texas for the past 38 years but Detroit is still home. The fifties and sixties were the greatest. I graduated from St. Ambrose in Grosse Pte. Park. Ambrose had a winning football team and we ate, breathed and lived Football. For the prom...the girls all had to prance in front of the nuns with our prom dresses to make sure "we were well covered up"...LOL The big thing was the yearly operetta on January 28th as this was the feast day? of Fr. Van Antwerp. We all had fun and produced some great shows at Pierce Auditorian. Yes, those were the great years. I have not been back to Michigan in 17 years. That was for Mom's funeral and it is hard to go back when she is not there.

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**Paul Moen**

Monday, 4/2/07, 5:51 PM

Does anybody remember Homestead Lake off of Haggerty Road? I guess it's gone now, but I certainly remember the summer days of 1958-1965 when the whole family would pile into our Uncle Johns 1954 Ford wagon and head out of the city to Homestead. It had the lake, a camping area, as well as a resturant / bar. The building was all white, and made of wood. It was shaped like a hexagon. Anyway, fond memories for sure. Paul Moen

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**jack lorber**

Monday, 4/2/07, 10:36 AM

I remember taking the Fenkell bus from our house on Ward Av(btwn Shaeffer&Meyers) to Tiger Stadium, buying bleacher seats & trying to sneck down to the lower deck gen. admission seats. I had an public speaking instructor in college at D.I.T Tom Dougall, who was the host of Shock Theater Sat nites on WXYZ. A true ham but he lots of interesting local radio stories. In the Jewish late teen/early 20's crowd, if you wanted to know who was dating who, you went to Darby's (7Mi&Wyoming) Sat nites or the beach at Kensington Park on Sundays. Anyone remember Sealtest home delivery milk trucks or Mistle Coal trucks? Keep up the great memories.

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**Don Nicholson**

Sunday, 4/1/07, 12:05 PM

I had reservations at Topinkas the day it burned down. My dad worked for JWT, And I loved going to Farells Ice Cream after Concerts at Livonia Churchill. I am now in charge of restoring the Historic Wayne Theatre and my wife and I run the Livonia Churchill Alumni group. [www.ChurchillAlumni.com](http://www.ChurchillAlumni.com) [www.DonNicholson.net](http://www.DonNicholson.net) and [www.HistoricWayneTheatre.com](http://www.HistoricWayneTheatre.com)

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**Bob Pyzik**

Sunday, 4/1/07, 7:18 AM

Yost and Houghton Elementary, Murphy Jr. High, Redford High; great memories from all of them. Cruising Telegraph in the late 1960s and early 1970s. The best place in the world to grow up- 6 Mile and Telegraph. The BEST place ever in Detroit- Emil's Grocery on 6 Mile and Fenton. I grew up in there. Carl and Butch (God rest his soul) taught me so much about life. I'd love to hear from anyone who grew up in that neighborhood.

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**Ms Buck**

Thursday, 3/29/07, 4:41 PM

I discovered this site by accident. It is wonderful and I look forward to checking it out often.

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**DENNIS M.  
HANEY**

Sunday, 3/25/07, 8:52 AM

AS AN AFTER THOUGHT,I'D TO WISH ALL MY CRONIES WELL AND I HOPE LIFE HAS BEEN KIND TO YOU.I OFTEN TELL STORIES OF OUR ESCAPADES ON WOODWARD TO THE GEARHEADS WHO WEREN'T FORTUATE ENOUGH TO GROW UP IN DETROIT.I'M PROUD TO BE FROM THE EAST SIDE!  
DENNIS

From: AT. BARTHOLOMEW'S PARISH  
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Current City: DUNNELLON,FL

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**DENNIS M.  
HANEY**

Sunday, 3/25/07, 8:31 AM

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES! YOU FORGOT TO MENTION "POLUSKI DAY IN HAMTRAMICK" EVERY SUMMER.

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**Valerie Kelley**

Friday, 3/23/07, 2:58 PM

I love this website I'm sitting here with tears in my eyes from wonderful memories. I tripped in here looking for a picture of the big stove that use to sit at the belle ilse entrance, and a picture of the e. grand blvd. tunnel to belle isle entrance.

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Current City: Detroit

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**dennis  
arterburn**

Monday, 3/5/07, 10:30 AM

Love the site -- my memories Pizza -- Nero's Kitchen , Robertos Harbor house resturant -- used to tend bar ther Bill Kennedy at the movies Big time wrestling The Tigers of course Gordie Thomas Hearn's cruising woodward Kimball high the zoo Redcoat Tavern Ram's Horn Clawson lounge Realtor park Universal mall Oakland mall Starr School Mary Lyons My first love Gail Schultz her 2 daughters Coco and Rachel Jack in the box my first frozen coke faygo vernors and much more

From: royal oak  
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Current City: tulsa

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**Roger Krause**

Friday, 3/2/07, 8:48 PM

Hi you all, grew up on Kentucky.Between Grand River & Cortland. Joined the U.S Marines in 1956. Went to Mackenzie High School. Had a lot of friends in Detroit. Moved to CA in 1962 stayed there till 1988 when moved to Las Vegas. Miss Detroit and read the FreePress daily. Keep looking for friend I miss.If any friend out there email me.Thanks for haveing such a good city.

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Current City: Las Vegas Nevada

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**Doug Lang**

Thursday, 3/1/07, 2:06 AM

Oh, my...when I die and if God would let me choose my version of

eternity in a heaven, it would be 1960-1975 Detroit. 1967 notwithstanding. I have DEEP roots in Northeast Detroit, as my ancestors settled and farmed that area from the early 1800s to the early 1900s. They built the first Roman Catholic Church outside the downtown area, Assumption Grotto, and many of them are buried in the small cemetery in the back of the rebuilt church. (the original burned down) Many streets in that area were named after them as well, such as Salter, Trombley, Wilfred, Laing (misspelled) Celestine, Young, Morang, Rochelle, Rosemary, and Chalmers (originally named Lang Road) Houston-Whittier was originally named Hessian Road. My family also have a picture of my grandmother as a child amongst other schoolchildren in front of a one room schoolhouse from the early 1900s on the land that Denby High School was eventually built, and is the one that I attended from 1971-74.

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**dennis vatsis**

Tuesday, 2/27/07, 8:23 PM

I CAME ACROSS THIS WEBSITE BY CHANCE AND WAS CAPTIVATED BY MANY OF THE MEMORIES. I READ TWO COMMENTS ABOUT THE GOOD PLACES IN THE AREA, BOTH MENTIONING MY FAMILY'S RESTAURANT, STAFFORDS IN OAK PARK. I HAVE GREAT MEMORIES OF ALL THE CUSTOMERS, EMPLOYEES AND FUN TIMES IN THE 60'S, 70'S AND 80'S. I STILL HAVE PEOPLE ASK ABOUT THE SKIRT STEAKS, BANANA CREAM PIES AND FRIED CHICKEN DINNERS. THE NEVER-ENDING LINES OF CUSTOMERS STILL AMAZE ME. THESE WERE THE BEST OF TIMES.

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**dick kadell**

Saturday, 2/24/07, 4:38 PM

From: troy  
Current City: spring hill, fl

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**Frederick  
Ruby**

Wednesday, 2/21/07, 8:42 PM

hello, I taught at the North Junior High School in Allen Park Michigan in the Fall of 1966. I was attending graduate school at Wayne State University and taught English at North for the Fall semester. I often think about this wonderful time in my life, when I would make the left turn off of Allen Road into the parking lot that was located behind the building. Anyone out there who attended North in 1966?

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**Karen Ann  
Grzywacz**

Wednesday, 2/21/07, 7:30 PM

The 50's and 60's were the best...

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**Judith  
Bederka**

Sunday, 2/18/07, 1:09 PM

I love this website. I also remember the Oakwood Blue Jackets and the White Tower Hamburger place near the Fort & Green Police Station on Fort St. in Southwest Detroit. Does anybody remember Sammy's Pizza? Absolutely the best!!!!!!

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Current City: Mesa, Az

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**Judith  
Bederka**

Sunday, 2/18/07, 1:05 PM

I read the of these memories about the man on a horse drawn cart that wanted old rags and scrap metal. He was called the "sheeny man" and he would blow a horn to announce his presence. Also, remember the Wayne Creamery milkman always came down the alleyways in Southwest Detroit in a horse drawn cart also.

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**ANDREW**

Friday, 2/16/07, 9:34 PM

FOOT OF WOODWARD VERNOR'S & BOB-LO DOCK, GAETY THEATER BIJOU THEATER, FAMILY THEATER, CADILLAC SQUARE, BUS TO CANADA BY HAMILTON BLDG. RADIO DJ."JACK THE BELLBOY" PALM STATE THEATRE, ADAMS THEATER, ROUGE PARK, WATER FOUNTAINS ON MAJOR STREETS, LOVERS LANE AT BELLE ISLE. BOWERY NIGHTCLUB IN HAMTRAMCK, DETROIT TIMES NEWSPAPER. etc.

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**Paul Buszek**

Tuesday, 2/13/07, 12:07 PM

This is a great site & indeed brings back many memories. I do wish to state that you are the only information site -- including newspapers -- that has said anything about the passing of an icon in the Polish-American & musical community of Detroit. I am referring to Stan Wisniach who, in his time of the 50's, was THE Polka King of Detroit. When I saw his name in the obituaries, I was sure there would be at least a paragraph or two detailing his importance to the bygone city. The Free Press had nothing!! Thanks for your dedication to this virtuoso & I shall revisit this great site about the fun times we had here.

From: Detroit  
Current City: Fraser, MI

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**Brent  
Bachman**

Tuesday, 2/13/07, 11:25 AM

Got a new e-mail address. Great memories for this awesome website. Olympia Stadium, R & B shows at the Fox Theatre, Robin Seymour first in W. Dbn then E. Dbn. Wife Annette (Gervais) worked at WKMH with Robin, Van Patrick and Lee Allen. Hung out at the old Sweet Shop on Michigan Ave and the Sip 'n' Nip on Telegraph, cruised Telegraph, Woodward, Downriver in my '40 Ford droptop. Did Edgewater, parked at Ford Field!. Grad of EFHS June '57. Did the Air Force thing 7-57 ~ 2-61 in Hawaii. Married in 11-61. Raised our 4 daughters in Dbn Hts. Back into cars late 90's. Brings back a lot of great memories. Today's kids have no idea what a great time they missed !!!!!

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Current City: Adrian

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**Corrine  
Lerner (Nee'  
Mooney)**

Sunday, 2/11/07, 12:40 PM

I remember the tragedy when the huge elm trees on our block on Woodmont in Detroit caught Dutch Elm disease and had to be cut down (at our parent's expense) - maybe in '67 or '68. Almost every tree on the block was tagged and brutally cut down, with stumps left intact. It felt like some of the neighborliness was killed then too. We moved out shortly after that to the 'burbs'. Thanks for the great memories revisited.

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**Malcolm Price**

Sunday, 2/11/07, 12:38 PM

I loved growing up in Detroit. I danced on a show in the 60's called club 1270 and am wondering why I don't see anything in the archives on it.

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**Charles**

Sunday, 2/4/07, 10:49 AM

Just adding my name to to list of people who enjoy this site. Great job Eileen.

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**joe sliman**

Saturday, 2/3/07, 6:06 PM

EVEN AFTER ALL THE TIME I HAVE LIVED OUT WEST IM STILL PROUD OF SAYING IM FROM DETROIT. I STILL COME HOME 3 OR 4 TIMES A YEAR JUST FOR THE PEOPLE AND THE FOOD BACK HOME...I WAS HOME FOR THE WORLD SEIRES GAMES AND FROZE MY ASS OFF, BUT I WAS THEIR AND CANT WAIT FOR THE NEXT TIME THE TIGERS ARE IN IT AGAIN... I LOVE IT BACK HOME JUST CANT STAND THE WEATHER..

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Current City: las vegas nv.

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**Kay  
(Rutherford)  
Sikora**

Saturday, 2/3/07, 7:48 AM

Great site. Grew up in Harper Woods (when it was Gratiot Township) Went to Eastwood (2 room schoolhouse) & Beacon, then moved in 1951 (still in Harper Woods-but in Grosse Pointe School District), where I went to Parcels Jr High (they had Jr. Highs then...not middle schools)and graduated from Grosse Pointe High (there was only one then ("the high") in 1957. Remember Gratiot Township in the 40's. It was all woods where Eastland is now. We used to get "soakers" crossing the "county ditch" on our way to and from Beacon. Used to fish for tadpoles in it. Went "begging" all the way from Kelly to Harper, down Kenosha (where I lived) and back either Elkhart or Washtenaw on Halloween. If we got any pennies we would stop at "The Three Bears" and get an ice cream. Went to the library on the corner of Washtenaw and Harper, next to the barber shop. Mrs. Cribbs was the librarian. My girlfriend Molly and I used to giggle in the library and Mrs. Cribbs would yell at us. One time we got a book out and we were reading it in my backyard. It had the word "pregnant" in it and we could not believe it. I guess we thought we were in a porn (although we didn't even know what porn was) book, because we had never seen the word pregnant written down. We went into gales of laughter and quickly closed the book when my mother came out. We

used to go ringing doorbells, and other "bad" stuff. Walked up to the bakery on Kelly and I would get a brownie and Molly an apple jack. Checks Department Store, and the grocery store with the sawdust on the floor. My mother sent me up to get a loaf of bread and "make sure you get Silvercup". So I said "Silvercup, Silvercup, Silvercup," all the way (4 or 5 blocks) to the store and came home with Wonder bread, still saying "Silvercup Silvercup Silvercup". Those were the days. And I remember every one of my teachers. Kindergarden Mrs. Price, 1st Mrs. Hall, 2nd Mrs. Van Nest, 3rd Mrs Shauls, 4th Mrs. Kober (she was my favorite), 5th Mrs. Ribant, and 6th Mrs. Malpass. I may get back to when we moved and my Junior Hi memories later. Love to hear from anyone in this era.

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**Miriam  
Badgero  
( Miller)**

Thursday, 2/1/07, 9:49 PM

I Graduated from Denby High School 1959, so I remember well. I've visited this site a few times, I enjoy it. I'm sure many others do to, keep up the good work.

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**Michael  
Keizer**

Tuesday, 1/30/07, 9:43 PM

Wow. Just, wow! I love your site! Many of the "You know your from Detroit..." entries are too old for me to remember, but a number of them were quite familiar. As a kid growing up in the 1980s, my grandfather (who retired from both Chrysler AND General Motors) would take my younger brother and I on "tours" of Detroit. We'd go to Eastern Market, Better-Maid potato chips, and to the different museums around town. (The Detroit Historical being my personal favorite.) Grandpa also took us through the underground tunnel that connects the old GM building to the Fisher Building. Not too many Detroiters know about this tunnel, and I noticed it wasn't on your list. Anyway, just wanted to take the time to let you know how much I really enjoyed perusing your site. My mouth is now watering for a slice of Buddy's pizza and a bottle of Faygo Rock 'N Rye! Great site, and way to represent Detroit!

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**Bob Zander**

Wednesday, 1/24/07, 8:37 PM



I was born at Henry Ford Hospital in 1948. We moved to Lathrup Village (in the middle of Southfield) in 1963. I came to Florida in 1968. I Still love to get back to Detroit when I can.

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**Cathy  
Westlake**

Monday, 1/22/07, 8:29 AM

Went to Holcomb elementary, Emerson Jr High and Redford High School. One thing very few people knew about me is that because I loved to dance more than anything and would dress as a "frat" when I went to Catholic Central High's dances. I had so much fun as a teenager in the 60's, I wish all teenagers today could have that kind of fun. No drugs, no guns just fun!

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**ardis (auer)  
pietz**

Friday, 1/19/07, 11:30 PM

I grew up in that era,, married and had children and have fond memories of the past. thank you for letting me enjoy the memories. I walked across the ambassador bridge when I was a girl scout, fished in the detroit river, and got out of the way of the boblo boats because they gave such big waves, enjoyed boblo island too. rode a screetcar to shop at hudsons, bangs pans together when the war was over at fort and outer drive.etc, thanks again

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**David  
Marquis**

Thursday, 1/18/07, 1:45 PM

Edgewater Park, Soupy Sales( Pooky!), Milky The Clown (Please & Thank You!), Poopdeck Paul & Capt. Jolly, Sgt. Sackto, Sir Graves Ghastly, The Ghoul, Morning Movie with Rita (she called my mom!), Double scoop Ice Cream cones for a dime, Olympia Stadium, Hines Park, lots more.

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**Paul J**

Thursday, 1/18/07, 10:06 AM

WOW!!! I was born in '52. Older siblings are really enjoying this site. I

went to Pelham Jr. HS from '66 to '68; transferred from Cass Tech in '68 to Murray-Wright; where I joined Carl Carlton in English class; then to Western HS on Scotten, grad in '70. What memories this site sparks. I'm teary eyed just reading. All who contributed, thank you, thank you, thank you! God Bless! PJM

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**Terry** Wednesday, 1/10/07, 9:42 PM

Very nice site! Lots of good ol' stuff. I grew up in Detroit, and have lived in Florida and Utah, and those places are really nice, but here I am, back in Southeastern Michigan. The weather is lousy, and the economy isn't much better, but I must say that the lakes are great in the summer. In fact, I don't think that there is a better place to be than the west side of the state in the summer. And Lake St. Clair ain't too shabby, either. And believe it or not, Michigan is in the top five for golf courses. I think Florida is number one, followed by California, and then Arizona, and then North Carolina, and then Michigan. Not bad for a Northern state, where the good weather is so short. And Detroit did put the world on wheels, and, like Arnold, "We'll be back"!

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**Tom Ellis** Wednesday, 1/10/07, 11:00 AM

great site - lots of good topics

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**Jeanne** Saturday, 1/6/07, 11:51 AM

Great site!!! Brought back so many memories!! Went to Wayne Elementary. Shows at the Civic Theatre. Buying comic books and candy at Mullhollands. Hearing the side door open and the words "gas man". Buying 45's at Grinnells. Eastland. Sam the Hudson delivery man! Help the poor and having to wear a snowsuit under my costume. Great neighbors! Ice skating at the park on Rossiter. Going downtown to shop. I really enjoyed reading everyones memories.

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Current City: florida

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**David Silverman** Saturday, 12/30/06, 12:34 PM

What a fun site! One thing I'd like to suggest, it may be worthwhile to expand the interest to those of us who identify more with the 80s and 90s. I know living in Chicago that there are a good many ex-patriated Detroiters (or Detroit refugees if you prefer) living here who grew up in the 80s and 90s. You only need to go to the United Center for a Wings game and realize that many of those Winged Wheel sweaters are donned by current Michiganders, more are donned by ex-Michiganders and Detroiters living in Chicago. We remain loyal Detroiters. My favorite Detroit memory from recent time is one that occurred in Chicago when the Wings won the Stanley Cup in 97. There is a bar on Lincoln Avenue in the city called The Gin Mill. It is owned and operated by two MSU grads who are avid hockey and Wings fans. The night of Game 4, and for that matter the previous three games, The Gin Mill was packed to capacity with Wings fans. As time ticked off in game 4 and the Wings secured their first Cup in like forever, we streamed out of the bar onto Lincoln Avenue in a communal moment of Detroit glory. It was a wonderful moment of solidarity that really made you proud to be a Detroiters (as well as a Wings fan!). I have many many more memories from home, but that one stands out because it actually occurred outside of Detroit and Michigan.

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**Bill Klykylo**

Friday, 12/29/06, 9:06 PM

So many happy memories of visiting in Detroit as a kid in the 50s and 60s: the trolleys, the Belle Isle Zoo, Hudson's. What a glorious city! So sad now, when I see all the empty spaces. Did someone save the Hudson's Christmas display?

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**MaryAnn  
Chiesa Long**

Thursday, 12/28/06, 6:19 AM

I just found this site and after exploring it and reading some of the comments, it brought tears to my eyes. I thought I was the only one who has kept Detroit in my heart. When you tell people that you are from Detroit they look at you like you poor thing... This website makes it all so real and keeps the memories alive...the memories that I have always had are now back to life through all of you. I grew up in Parkside on Conner and Warren...went to Southeastern and transferred to Servite High where I graduated in 1961. Chandler Park, Belle Isle, Boblo, Jefferson Beach, Metropolitan Beach, J.L. Hudsons downtown Detroit at Christmas time..gosh...you could go on and on and on. Thank you everyone for keeping the memories alive. MaryAnn

From: Detroit East Side  
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**Larry Yurek**

Monday, 12/18/06, 7:12 PM

I lived in Detroit at 7 Mile and Conant, went to Pershing High, belonged to the Romans road club, the Road Gents and the 7C's (7 mile and conant gang) hung around Eldes accross from Pershing High, my senior year was 1958, over 900 graduated in June. My car was a 1950 Ford, lowered with bubble skirts. Flat head V8 with TRI-power. I am one of the original sponsors of the Woodward cruise. Thanks for the Detroit memories.

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**Donna  
Vandermark**

Sunday, 12/17/06, 5:43 PM

When I happened upon this site by accident, I almost cried, it made me feel so homesick, even though I just got back from a trip to Detroit a few hours ago. Really wish I had known about the 2006 Reunion. So many memories. Like the song says, 'precious and few are the moments we two can share...'

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**Joan  
LaFountain**

Saturday, 12/16/06, 12:14 PM

Love the Website, all of the wonderful memories, seems like it must have been a dream. I grad.RHS, lived in Detroit for 55 yrs. both sides of town. Would like to hear from all who care to correspond.

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**Jeanine**

Tuesday, 12/5/06, 10:42 PM

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Current City: Loganville GA

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**Kathy Boles  
Candler**

Monday, 12/4/06, 7:10 AM

I remember the Grande Ballroom, Easttowne, The Hideout, Plum street, crusing Gratiot to Jupitor's Drive in, Belle Isle Love in, going to Sander's to eat downtown, riding the cable cars, drinking out of the

horse fountains-thinking it was for people, milk delivery by horse and neighbors fighting over the manure for the rose gardens. I remember playing in multiple bands. I now have my group: FLUTELOOPS and play jazz. I used to play rock and played with a lot of the greats back when, when they started.

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**Cheryl  
(Waivada)  
Thorne**

Saturday, 12/2/06, 1:36 AM

I loved this web site. I am going to send it to my children and grandchildren.. I'm always telling them special things about my childhood or my life growing up although we moved to Union Lake when I was about 8 yrs old we visited detroit at my grandmas house all the time. I enjoyed things like trick or treating at the wonderbread factory and getting those little loaves of bread. Or my teen years dancing at the Walled Lake Casino. One place that wasn't mentioned is the Globe Theater on Grand River near Trumble. When I would visit my grandma my and Detroit friends and I would go there. My first sorta date was there I call it sorta because all of my cousins and some of my friends were also there. We would sit in the balcony. Going to the Tiger Stadium on Firemens day. The ice cream bikes and so many other things are great wonderful memories of a wonderful childhood. thanks you very much for the memories...

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**Ted Cutcher**

Thursday, 11/30/06, 9:00 AM

I know Trombleys from down the street Revere, but like I wrote before, This is one great site. Thank You

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**Craig**

Wednesday, 11/29/06, 11:57 AM

I just saw a posting of where we shopped!! My dad owned Jacks Fifth Ave Menswear his name was Harry and I can't tell you how much fun we had working and owning that store. The customers were Great and Very Loyal..thanks for the memories!!!

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**Dora**

Sunday, 11/26/06, 7:49 PM

I will always be a Detroiter at heart. I lived on Springle (East-side). The Bastas lived next door, the Fiore's down the street, Pritchetts across the street. I remember the milkman, Eddies store on the corner. My grandma would take me to Hudsons on the bus and I would always get the scoop of vanilla ice cream that was made into a mouse, with oreos for ears and a cherry for the nose and chocolate chips for the eyes. My favorite things though, were sitting out on the front porch, everybody had a front porch, and the huge elm trees that lined the block. It was a great street, a great neighborhood, and a great city, I miss it alot.

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**Kim  
Chapman**

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Moved to Detroit from Memphis I grew up in Detroit 196?-1974 I went to Pershing,AeroMech High School,Northern

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**Greg Wagnitz**

Friday, 11/17/06, 9:22 AM

This site is so interesting and personally moving to me since it brought back so many great memories of a simpler time!

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