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Joe Hills

Saturday, 4/1/06, 11:14 AM

Great site injoyed everyting including the links. Such as food links.

From: Ferndale,Whitelake

Current City: Branson , Mo.

Ron Mays

Friday, 3/31/06, 11:47 AM

Boy, did this bring back some memories!

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**Randy
Saunders**

Thursday, 3/30/06, 11:17 AM

I absolutely love the website and all the memories it provides. I remember stopping on the middle of the Ambassador Bridge when the ship was on it's side under it in the summer of 1961 we were on our way back from Niagra Falls, Canada on vacation. I've discovered pictures of myself with Jerry Booth dressed as Jingles (I'm holding his guitar) at Boothland in Ohio somewheres.

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**Annette
Storbinsky**

Wednesday, 3/29/06, 2:48 PM

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Marion

Sunday, 3/26/06, 9:05 PM

The "Hollywood" theater on Fort street.

From: Detroit

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john dainus

Sunday, 3/26/06, 5:18 PM

went to grade school at st scholastica before southfield became a freeway..graduated from redford high and remember the powers hamburger joint across from the high school...our biggest football rival was cooley high and remember playing the game with white footballs at night..remember the drag races at the intersection of james cousens hwy and 6 mile road on friday nights..i was there with my first car a 55 ford fairlane with glasspack mufflers and bubble skirts and buick roadmaster flippers on the front wheels..those were less complicated days!! i wish todays kids could experience them

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**Audrey
Friend Trinity**

Saturday, 3/25/06, 5:53 PM

I forgot to add that I went to Gesu Catholic school, and Immaculata, also St Benedicts, all schools in Detroit. Many years ago. Starting in 1948 at Gesu.

From: San Diego
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Ron May

Friday, 3/24/06, 8:42 PM

I just keep coming back to this site and remembering more great stuff:
1. The vegetable truck that came by on Tuesday mornings with the scale hanging from the back corner; 2. The Good Humor Man and his truck; 3. The wax on the floors of Vernor Elementary in the winter to keep us from slipping; 4. The air raid drills that would bring us down into the deepest, darkest reaches of the school; 5. The once-yearly trip to the Vernor's bottling plant for our free taste of ginger ale (that still makes me sneeze at first gulp); 6. The empty lot at the corner of Stoepel and Thatcher that I believe it still there; 7. The bowling alley around the corner on Livernois and the manager Jesse Lollo who ran it; 8. Abba Jay Drug Store on (I think) Greenlawn where we'd buy mosquito chasers on hot summer nights to keep those damn mosquitos away; 9. Our bus trip to Expo 67. ...and more... Detroit: the greatest city in the world! Ron

From: Stoepel
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**Audrey
Friend Trinity**

Friday, 3/24/06, 7:11 AM

This looks like it could be fun and finding old friends would be very nice. I also went to shcool in La Jolla and in Detroit, MI.

From: San Diego
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Current City: La Mesa, CA

**Richard J.
Friend**

Wednesday, 3/22/06, 4:07 PM

There was a girl in grade School that I liked and have over many years wonderd about her, 8th grade Gesu,1949. Deloris Hayden, beleive she went to Immaculatta High. So many nice memories of Michigan.

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Ron May

Tuesday, 3/21/06, 6:25 PM

What a great web site! What great memories!!! Thank you, thank you, thank you. I've been away for almost 40 years and have ALWAYS felt like a native son longing to return home. My fondest memories will always be those of growing up in Detroit... once, and again one day, the greatest city in the world! Ron May

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Current City: San Francisco

**Lois
Pilchowski
Wilson**

Tuesday, 3/21/06, 5:22 PM

This is a very nice web site. Brings back a lot of forgotten memories. Yes, those were the "good old days". I lived on San Juan off Outer Drive and had a University 42153 phone number. Milk chute on side of the house with milkman delivery. Haven't thought about this in YEARS! Remembered most of the things you had on site. I was born in 1942, went to Gesu grade school, Immaculata High School. Graduated 1960. School has been closed a long time. Would welcome a Class Reunion.

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Tuesday, 3/21/06, 1:34 PM

What a neat site! Certainly a fun and informative place to come to for historical research of the greater Detroit area. Many thanks for your creation! Does anyone remember Edison Lake? I believe it was in/near Belleville. Not a very big recreation spot, the playground had an old airplane for kids to play on (gutted cargo, prop-style). It also had an old locomotive for kids to climb on and in. By today's standards, both

would be roped off for fear someone would get hurt...! If anyone remembers Edison Lake's exact locale, please let me know. Thanks, and Peace!

From: Downriver
Current City: Still Downriver(!)

Jim Gowran

Tuesday, 3/21/06, 6:21 AM

I was born at Bi-County Hospital in Warren in 1967- however grew up and lived on the northeast side of Detroit from 1973 to 1992. Although my memories don't go back as far as the 50's and 60's they overlap a bit. I only made it to Hudson's downtown once, when I was 12...but at least I can say I was there. In fact, there was a "flea market" there on the first floor one Sunday about 10 years ago - I had to go to check it out. Wow...there was still a directional sign to the "Rainbow Basement." I lived on Hereford...between Moross and Cadieux / Chandler Park Dr. and Harper. I remember riding my bike to Seven-Mack Center where there was a Cunningham Drugs, Sander's, Woothworth, Kresge's, and JC Penney. How exciting it was to go to Gratiot and Seven Mile to shop during Halloween! Federal's Department Store, Wards, Kresge's, and more! I rode my sled down Balduck Park many winters and went to Marquette Elementary School for first, second and 1/2 of third grade. My parents pulled me out when bussing started and put me in a private school (Baptist Academy in Roseville). I think that was a mistake, I believe I would have been better off with an education from Detroit Public Schools. My first grade teacher was Mrs. Brown, my second grade teacher Mrs. Schroeder, and by third grade I was going from class to class and can't remember all their names. I do remember "shop" class in the 3rd grade...how I wish I could have continued that. Loved White Castle at 8/Gratiot. Bought my first brand new car (VW Jetta GL) at Wood Motors on 8/Gratiot. I worked at Burler's on Seven Mile for one day (it was kind of wierd working there). At 16 I got a job at the K- mart on 8/Gratiot...where the old Shoppers Fair was. I am fortunate to have made MANY trips to Bob- Lo as a child and some during the last years it was open. I could go on and on. I would love to hear any replies. This website is AWESOME!

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**Kathleen
Winter
Kirkman**

Sunday, 3/19/06, 3:30 AM

Great Site. what about Milkey the Clown???

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Rich Fisher

Saturday, 3/18/06, 10:00 PM

I have so much I don't know where to begin. Maybe I should write a book. Lived on Mendota between Fenkell and Chalfonte. (Not the best at spelling.) Went to Guest School, Cerveney Jr. High, and Cooley High School. Hated St. Francis DeSales. They got out 3 weeks before we did for summer vacation. Played baseball EVERYDAY at Butzel Field in the summer. Went ice skating every Friday night at Butzel hoping to hold hands with a girl while listening to Lee Alan on WXYZ 1270 Radio. Loved the smell of bread baking everyday from the Wonder Bread bakery on Lyndon Avenue. Stole change from Twin Pines delivery trucks also on Lyndon. Stole cases of Double Cola pop from the distributor also on Lyndon. Caught tadpoles at Butzel Field. Loved the smell of raked leaves burning at the curb in front of our house in the fall. Loved Saturday afternoons at the Westtown Theatre. Two movies for a quarter. (Bubbles was the usher.) First kiss at age of 13. Mina Kitzman was 14. She lived across the street on Mendota. Told her I loved her after the first kiss. My friend Bob Salo watched. Cut lawns in the summer for a quarter. Two lawns meant a Sander's hot fudge sundae (double scoop) for 42 cents at the Sander's shop (NOT SAUNDER'S) at Fenkell and Wyoming. Stole cigarette's from Cunningham's Drugs at Fenkell and Wyoming. Smoked all of them with Arthur Nass in an alley behind the Westtown Theatre. Got sick to my stomach! Loved the Westside Drive-In on 8 Mile for obvious reasons. Mom took me to the Macabees Building to see the Ed McKenzie Show. Special guest: Fabian ! Never thought that years later I would eventually anchor TV news with Bill Bonds at Channel 7. I could go on and on ! I love the website !! Rich Fisher

From: Detroit
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Gus Backelant

Saturday, 3/18/06, 5:42 AM

Born at Old Providence hospital. Lived near Wyoming and Schoolcraft. St Brigids grade school, Salesian H.S. Remember the Tower and Westtown theaters. Playing ball at Littlefield Playground. Vinnies Pizza and the Michigan State Fair. My Detroit does not exist anymore. Sad!

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Rick Cassar

Friday, 3/17/06, 10:17 AM

I remember going to Northland in the 60's when it was the ONLY mall. We grew up right up the street from where Soupy Sales lived and drank Twin Pines milk that was delivered by the milkman. After the riots we moved to Dearborn Heights and Hines Park became my asylum. Remember there used to be a huge oak tree by the ballfield just east of Merriman? That was my 'apartment'. If my blue van was parked I would surely be there, frisbee in hand, waiting for friends to stop by and share a beer or enjoy nature...if you know what I mean. Lotsa good

memories..we all lived in the moment back then...

From: Hubbell between 7 and 8 mile
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Joe Guimond

Friday, 3/17/06, 8:56 AM

I ran across this site by accident and have since shared it with several other displaced Detroiters in this area. I have tried to move back to the area twice for different reasons and ended up back out West. But when I do get home, I love getting to go to REAL DELIS and REAL RESTAURANTS. And of course hanging out at REAL JAZZ AND BLUES CLUBS SUCH AS BAKERS, MAGIC BAG or THE GREEN DOOR IN LANSING. Hope to get home this year.

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**marlin ball
brown**

Thursday, 3/16/06, 6:15 PM

I wonder if any one remeber the elephant house that was on belle isle. The elephants broke out and soon after that they tore it down.

From: detroit
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marlin brown

Thursday, 3/16/06, 6:06 PM

I have Such good memories of detroit. i remember when i use to go down town to all the movie theatres. the fox was the best i loved the karate movies on saturdays, also the palms the plaze the madison the adams. i sure miss them all. detroit will never be the same.

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Dan Pliskow

Monday, 3/13/06, 7:02 PM

I grew up on Waverly near Dexter and we ice skated at Art Staffs' on that corner and roller skated at Varsity Gardens on Livernois and 6. Remember when the great singer Ursula Walker sang on The Auntie Dee Show? I still work with her. We hung out at the Rouge Lounge, Minor Key, The Drome and The Hobby Bar. I played String Bass at Momos on 2nd, The Nite Lounge, Trents, The Playboy Club for five years, with Milt Jackson at Bakers and on WXYZ's The Morning Show all in the 50's & 60's. I loved it!

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**Diane
(Willard)
Anderson**

Saturday, 3/11/06, 8:42 PM

How about the Auntie Dee TV show, that featured talented Detroit youngsters? I think it was channel 7; I appeared with 5 other girls from Von Steuben Elementary School in the middle 50's!

From: east side of Detroit
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**JOHN
OSTERBECK**

Friday, 3/10/06, 4:15 PM

LOOKING THROUGH THESE MEMORIES HAVE BROUGHT BACK SO MANY GOOD TIMES WHEN I WAS A KID IN DETROIT. IF MORE PEOPLE WOULD GO TO THIS WEB SITE AND SEE FOR THEIR SELF THEY WOULD THINK MORE OF DETROIT THEN THE BAD THINGS THAT ARE PUT TO PRESS NOW. DETROIT HAS SO MUCH HISTORY. I WANT TO THANK YOU ALL FOR THE MEMORIES THAT YOU HAVE MADE ME THINK OF TODAY.

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**Deborah
Schrade**

Thursday, 3/9/06, 5:24 PM

My grandfather owned a barber shop in detroit,and I would ride the bus with my grandmother to see him,and then spend the day at Hudson's. I will never forget the beauty of that store,the elevator lady,the biggest toyland ever, the lockers for your coat,of course,the best,seeing Santa and waiting forever,but it was simply magical.The entrance to see him was like a fairyland. I wish Hudsons was still there. What a shame.

From: Roseville, MI
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Current City: Roseville

**Audrey
Rosser**

Thursday, 3/9/06, 10:51 AM

I lived in the Brewster projects until I was thirteen. We had great times at Brewster Center. We were in walking distance of the movies in downtown Detroit. I loved going to Hudson's at Christmas time. Remember the Palms, Mayfair, Adams and Broadway Capital shows. The Arcadia skating rink and the Greystone and Madison for dancing

and talent shows. A walk on Saturdays with my grandmother to the Eastern market. I attended Lincoln elementary school and Sherard middle school. I graduated from Central High in 1957. My 1st high school was Commerce connected by a bridge to Cass Technical. I remember the Paradise theatre where big bands like Cab Calloway and Duke Ellington appeared. We could walk to the Art Museum and Library and we went there often. There are just too many great memories. My family and I had great times growing up in Detroit.

From: Detroit, Mi
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Mary Woltz

Wednesday, 3/8/06, 5:36 PM

Did forget to add one comment. I am still the biggest Michigan Wolverine fan living in Florida! Gives me so much pleasure everytime we play and beat those Gators.

From: Redford Township
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Mary

Wednesday, 3/8/06, 5:34 PM

I remember Lola Valley park, shopping at Crowleys at Livonia Mall. My first charge card was from Alberts. I remember shopping at Northland, Grand River and Greenfield. I used to go to the J.L. Hudson Thanksgiving parade every year. Seems strange that things have changed so much. Seems like the personality of the city has been sucked right out. I have good memories, but sure do not miss living in the cold weather. Don't think I could take it.

From: Redford Township
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Current City: Clermont FL

Stan Kornacki

Tuesday, 3/7/06, 9:40 PM

Brings back fond memories of the guys-where are you Terry Zaleski, Dick Hogan ,Tom Brohl and Phil Jammison?

From: Wyandotte
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**Ralph
Schwedt**

Monday, 3/6/06, 2:14 PM

A very Memorable Website.

From: NW Detroit
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John Chartier

Sunday, 3/5/06, 9:32 PM

I live here in Ohio now but still I'm very fond of Detroit having grown up in Michigan and worked in Sterling Heights. Go Blue...Go Detroit! Nice web site.

From: Port Huron
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**K.Warren
Mitchell**

Sunday, 3/5/06, 6:02 PM

Lot of great memories.

From: Grand River/ Southfield
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**Darn
(Darnell)
Oldham**

Saturday, 3/4/06, 5:51 AM

Some GOOD memories.....took me wwwaaaaayyyyyyy back.....lol.....I just moved to Atlanta after living in Los Angeles for 30 years, there's a group out there that does a Detroit Picnic every July, in fact Motown use to do one, too out there.....haven't ran across any such group(s) like that here, but there are a lot of Detroiters here.....will pass this website on.....keep up the good work.....type 2 u later.....

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**Debi
Daguanno
(DeLoof)**

Friday, 3/3/06, 3:03 PM

Have great memories growing up in Detroit. Graduated from Finney High.

From: Detroit
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Bill Archer

Wednesday, 3/1/06, 5:25 PM

Thanks for all the memories of my hometown. When I went through the list of things about Detroit, some were funny and some were the kind that bring a tear to your eye. Even though my family now live in

the Pacific NW, Detroit will always be my home. My parents, brother and sister still live in Michigan even though I do not anymore, so when I go home for a visit it is always what I remember, and that is very special to me. Thanks for remembering "Dunks" on 8 Mile, because I sure had a lot of great times there.

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**Kathleen
Moore**

Wednesday, 3/1/06, 8:09 AM

This is a great site. I miss so much of what this city was and am really grateful that I grew up here in the 50's when it was at its best.

From: Detroit
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Bill Fay

Tuesday, 2/28/06, 7:21 AM

Went to Carstens Elem, Jackson Jr High, and Southeastern High class of '63'. I remember when they opened the fire hydrants in the summer for the kids, setting pins at Piller Rec, catching buckets of perch after school at foot of lakewood.

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**joseph e
gracey**

Friday, 2/24/06, 1:43 PM

i grew up in detroit , attended pershing high.your site reminds me of memories as a kid and all the fun i had. i'm retired now and have more time to recolect. thanks for the memories.joe gracey.

From: detroit mi
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Current City: hanford ca

**Peggy
(Connolly)
Wille**

Friday, 2/24/06, 8:39 AM

What a great site, lots to recall. Much of it depends on the area you grew up in. We lived near the zoo and my best friend and I spent many a summer day there. I was very sorry to hear they are thinking about taking it out. Edgewater Park, Boblo Island, Walled Lake, When Northland opened we would ride the bus (walk to 9 Mi.) and spend all day there. We would hardly have let our children do that. Radio City theater in Ferndale was our place to go for 25 cent movies. Sitting at Cunningham Drugs with cherry cokes playing the jukebox. Federal

Dept. store, Sanders, Ferndale High School. I worked in Hamtramck at Dodge Main after high school. Lived in Royal Oak after I got married but we have lived in northern Michigan a very long time. I still miss the city.

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**JIM
BURNETT**

Thursday, 2/23/06, 3:31 PM

WITH ANT,S AND UNCAL,S LIVING IN ALLEN PARK. I REMEMBER THE POLE AT THE PARK AND GOING TO SEE THE FORD RETUNDRA. NEVER CAN FOR GET THE SMOELLES OF THE REFINORY. AND GOING TOO WIDOTE TO SEE THE DETROIT RIVER. AT THAT TIME THE WATER WAS A GRAY COLOR AND SMELT BAD. KNOW IT, S A CLEAN BLUE. LOVE IT.

From: UNION LAKE
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Bev Milner

Wednesday, 2/22/06, 1:11 PM

Oh boy, do I have some memories! SO GET READY TO READ A BOOK - LOL! I was born in Detroit, but my family moved to neighboring Highland Park where I spent my formative years. To all you HIGHLAND PARKERS - does anyone remember The Highland Parker newspaper, the Red Barn near Davison, Mac Gregor Library, Smitty's Bike Shop on Hamilton, Browns Creamery, the Six Mile Theater, Wrigleys, A&P and the huge Sears building? Every Friday my mom would drag me and my brother shopping. First we'd go to Sears on Woodward Ave where my mom would buy the latest 45s, some garden supplies, and take her shoes to the on-site (well sorta) shoe repair shop. Then across to the (Highland Park) Kresge's for shakes and burgers (remember that long sit-down counter right near the middle of the store?) Then we'd walk down to A&P for groceries, then pop over to Wrigleys on Bartlett St. for more groceries (why mom did not get all the groceries at A&P is still a mystery, but heck..what does a little kid know - lol!). Then we'd rush home just in time to catch Burke's Law on t.v. And to all YOU DETROITERS - One of the coolest things I did when I was a pre-teen was to take the bus from Highland Park to downtown Detroit in the summer. Us girls felt so grown-up. We'd sneak and put on make-up and perfume from samples at J.L. Hudsons, Woolworth's or Kresges. Then we'd catch a movie at the "ladies day" price at either the Grand Circus Theater, or the Adams, or the Palms Theater - or maybe spend the whole day toggling to to all of them! Then we would go down to this cool place on Adams called the "Automat", where all the food was encased in a large, refrigerated machine that you put your money in, opened the sliding door and grabbed your selection. Or instead we might get a super huge salami sandwich from Leftkowski's Deli just adjacent to the Madison Theater! On the Woodward bus ride back to Highland Park, we might get off at

the Vernors Gingerale plant just to watch the bottles go swerling around the assembly line. Then get back on the bus! But the real downtown dinning experience was when Dad would spring for dinner at the Flaming Embers after a baseball game at Tiger Stadium. Geez, I have a ton of beautiful childhood memories of Detroit - White Castle, WKNR/Keener-13, The Robin Seymour Show, The Ethnic Festivals, Twin Pines Dairy delivery - why the only thing we worried about if we weren't home when the delivery came was that our milk would spoil NOT ever worrying that it would be stolen off the porch. - Hey Sherman....set the way back machine....pleeezze! Peace & Love to All You Detroiters out there!!

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bill morton

Wednesday, 2/22/06, 7:30 AM

great website -- two from me -- after school duncan yo-yo tourneys to get patches for your levi jacket. marbles in the islands in rosedale park. one more dont forget good old hughes and hatcher stores. p.s. i will keep thinking of more and let you know keep up the good work.....

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**Dennis
Preston**

Tuesday, 2/21/06, 1:45 PM

What a great place to be born and raised in. moved to suburbs at early age but many great memories. thanksgiving parade, Hudsons and many more. recieved a good education, had fun , respect and earned a good living. now retired to a warmer climate but often visit family and friends back in Detroit.

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**Jim
Sweetenham**

Monday, 2/20/06, 4:00 PM

I remember taking the bus to Tiger Stadium as a 15 year old. Taking guitar lessons at Fava's Music Studio at Northland. Taking the elevator to the top of the Cadillac Sheridan Hotel and climbing out on the ledge with a friend. All the vendors around Tiger Stadium. Going to see Santa at the Ford Rotunda. Taking the bus to my Civil Air Patrol meetings across from the old Vernors Company downtown. Playing baseball at Rouge Park. Played in the Mic Mac and Barney McKowsky leagues. Mrs. Gilstrap, my favorite teacher from my Cody High School days..1971. Diving off 3rd deck at Brennan Pools in Rouge Park. Eating 10 White Castle hamburger, all in one bag, and walking around

Metropolitan Airport after the prom with my date Carol Matilda.

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La Rhonda

Sunday, 2/19/06, 11:18 PM

Great site :) I'm glad to see that I'm not the only one that remembers Top Hat. When I do a search I get nowhere which is sad because I preferred Top Hat over White Castle. The burgers were a little bit better and and cheaper. Too bad their gone :(Anyway keep up the good work with your site :)

From: Detroit

Steve H

Sunday, 2/19/06, 11:16 AM

Does anybody remember the Mermaids Cove, the 500 club, the Dream Bar or the Wonder Bar? How about the Brass Rail or the Indian Room or Cliff Bell's? What wonderful memories. I have an old drink menu from Cliff Bells that has an inscription which reads simply ""Regular People" get along all right here."

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**ERNEST W.
KOSTY**

Saturday, 2/18/06, 2:52 PM

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**Rob
Shumaker**

Friday, 2/17/06, 3:36 PM

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**Jo Ann
(Roberts)
Mulcaster**

Thursday, 2/16/06, 5:24 PM

Wow! Your website was just a fun and nostalgic trip through a lot of different memories for this Wyandotte "river rat." Bob-lo boat, Edgewater Park, Olympia Stadium (I can hear that REAL organ right now), Camp Dearborn, Kensington Park..winter & summer, and Rotunda at Christmas were a big part of my years of growing up! S.S. Kresge's candy counter? I worked it! Wendy Ward's Charm School?

Mom sent me; I'm a graduate! Elm trees in Wyandotte...but also Chestnuts in my neighborhood. Observation deck at Detroit Metro meant time alone dad. Sounds of summer for me? Good humor man and the magic voice of Ernie Harwell. And don't forget drive-in movies. Sunday afternoons? Bill Kennedy's Sunday movies...time with mom. Cheap eats? White Castle "sliders" we called them. I remember Mc Donalds before they sold their first million...and you ordered inside a small walk up, but ate in your car. And THANKS for mentioning Black Bart and the Faygo pop song...now I can't get it out of my head!

From: Wyandotte
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Lisa Buzan

Tuesday, 2/14/06, 6:43 PM

I really enjoyed this site. Thank you.

From: grew up in Inkster & Detroit
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