

Margie Helen Albritton Flomer Remembers:

1. Never getting to eat at the "big" table in the dining room.
2. Sitting on a fence way out in the back and eating jujus with Seth Arthur and Mickey.
3. Getting yelled at for playing in the hay in the barn. We would slide down them like a sliding board.
4. Uncle Luke yelling at me for sliding down the banister.
5. Margarite and me spending a week with Grandmama in the summer and going to Vacation Bible School at Dalraida Baptist Church. We sang "I'm a Little Sunbeam."
6. Big dinners outside with all of my cousins. It seemed like we went to Grandmama and Papa's house every Sunday after church. I am sure we did not, but in my mind I feel like we did.
7. Watching Papa feed his chickens by tossing corn to them.
8. Playing on the front porch because we could not play in the house.
9. Uncle Mac telling me to go in the house from the back porch but I hid and watched him shoot a stray dog. He was so angry with me when he saw I did not go into the house.
10. Sitting on the front porch watching movies at the Montgomery drive-in and trying to figure out what they were saying.
11. One Christmas all of the girl cousins and I got pullover sweaters and I wondered how they could afford all of them. I thought they must be rich...
12. Getting cigarette butts from ashtrays and smoking them in the peach orchard. Aunt Betty always left the longest ones.
13. Grandmama's lovely hydrangeas in the front yard. ●