



# Dakota Memories Oral History Project Biography Form

Date: 06/03/2007

## Your Biography Information

Name: Elda Rasch

Maiden Name (if applicable): Schultz

Mailing Address:

Unavailable\*

Street Address:

Unavailable\*

Phone Number: Unavailable\*

E-Mail Address: Unavailable\*

Birth Date: 09/20/1928

Birth Place: Fredonia, North Dakota

Occupation(s) (list all occupations chronologically):

Store Clerk

Nanny

Religion: Lutheran

Schooling (list all schools attended, the dates of attendance, and note the level of education you have completed):

Haag School District (one-room school; 1933-1941; 8<sup>th</sup> grade education)

Clubs and Organizations (note dates of memberships and offices held):

Girl Scout Leader

Homemakers

Election Board

Church Circle/Women's Group

## Your Mother's Biography Information

Name: Regina Schultz

Maiden Name (if applicable): Geiszler

**Birth Date:** 11/02/1889

**Birth Place:** Fredonia, North Dakota

**Occupation(s):** Farmwife

**Date of Death:** 04/23/1969

**Place of Death and Burial:** Fredonia, North Dakota

**Her ancestor's village in Russia (Ukraine) or Bessarabia:** Bessarabia

**Her parents' names** (include maiden name): Fredrick and Dorthea (Ziegler) Geiszler

**Her siblings' names** (include maiden names):

Richard Geiszler

Anna (Geiszler) Bauer

Gerhardt Geiszler

## Your Father's Biography Information

**Name:** Rudolph Schultz

**Birth Date:** 04/02/1886

**Birth Place:** Bessarabia, Russia

**Occupation(s):** Farmer

**Date of Death:** 02/05/1953

**Place of Death and Burial:** Fredonia, North Dakota

**His ancestor's village in Russia (Ukraine) or Bessarabia:** Bessarabia

**His parents' names** (include maiden name): Jonathan and Marie (Tobler) Schultz-Haag

**His siblings' names** (include maiden names):

Dan Haag (half brother)

Mary Haag (half sister)

John Haag (half brother)

Jacob Haag (half brother)

Edward Haag (half brother)

Gottlieb Haag (half brother)

Anna Haag (half sister)

## Your Siblings' Biography Information

**Names** (include birthdates and locations, if known):

William Schultz b. 09/18/1914 in Fredonia, North Dakota

Lenhard Schultz b. 11/15/1915 in Fredonia, North Dakota

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Lenora Schultz b. 02/11/1919 in Fredonia, North Dakota

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## Your Spouse's Biography Information

**Name:** Lyle Rasch

**Maiden Name** (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth Date:** 07/30/1929

**Birth Place:** Oakes, North Dakota

**Wedding Date:**

05/14/1950

**Wedding Place:**

Fredonia, North Dakota

**Occupation(s):** Railroad Worker

**Date of Death:** 06/30/1997

**Place of Death and Burial:** Bismarck, North Dakota; Sunset Memorial

## Your Children's Biography Information

**Names** (include birthdates and locations, if known):

Patricia (Rasch) McConnell b. 07/28/1951 in Bismarck, North Dakota

Michael Rasch b. 05/11/1953 in Bismarck, North Dakota

Colleen (Rasch) Jerke b. 06/26/1956 in Bismarck, North Dakota

Mary Jo (Rasch) Callaway b. 10/27/1963 in Minot, North Dakota

**Does your family have their history published? If so, what is the name of the publication? How can we secure a copy of this publication?**

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