

Bowden, Heide

CHASSIE BOWDEN'S FAMILY STORIES

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Bowden, Heidi. 15 March *****. Ferron, Utah. mom told me about her. Ferron, Utah. 6 April 1995.

Edna Harris was my mother's grandma. She is my grandmother's mother. She loved to sew and make things for her daughters and granddaughter's. This story is at a time when my great grandma was a young house wife who loved to sew.

My great-grandma Edna, Adeline, Rosher, Harris loved to sew and cook. She was a very talented and ambitious lady. She bought a whole bolk of material. With this material she made look alike dresses for all eight of her gandaughters.

She cut out the dresses at the same time. Each of the same pieces would be sewn together like she had learned from working in a sewing factory in Arizona. To hold down the material she used tin cans instead of straight pins.

When she got enough money she bought herself a big powered sewing machine to make her sewing easier. These machines were really popular because everyone had to make there own clothes.

This machine is in our garage because some how it got passed down from generation to generation to my mom. Some day this power machine will be passed down to me.

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Heidi Bowden is my mother. She has eight children and eight brothers and sisters. The place of this story is in a field in Manti.

When Heidi was little she remembers a time when her father had leased some acres in which to graze some cattle. All of her brothers and sisters helped to clean the cockuburs of the land, so the cattle could graze.

When the job was done Heidi had cockuburs all over in her hair. Her father instead of cutting her hair pulled each one of those cockuburs out one at a time.

This took the majority of her hair when she was little, But know you would never know because her hair is thick, thick. She remembers all the fun times she spent with her extra large family.