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Emil Cherf

*5 Feb 1892 - †8 Dec 1928

Father: John J Cherf (*1859 - †1945)

Mother: Mrs John J Cherf (*? - †1938)

Sibling: Mary Cherf (*1886 - †1965)

Wife: Mary Anne Vondrachek (*1903 - †1995)

Children: Francis John Cherf (*? - †?)
Eugene George Cherf (*? - †?)

Birth: 5 Feb 1892
Neva

Wedding: 10 Nov 1925
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Mary Anne Vondrachek)

Death: 8 Dec 1928
Wood Hospital

Note: ^{a)} Died of stomach ulcers, heart couldn't take the surgery
Attended Neva and Springbrook graded schools. After completing two years in Antigo High School, he attended St. Procopius college in Lisle, Illinois, and was graduated from the commercial accounting course there in 1911. For five years he substituted on city mail delivery routes and on runs of local brakemen and conductors for the C. & N. W. road. During the war he was a sergeant in 108th squadron, aviation section signal corps. Since 1919, he was a regular mail carrier in the sixth ward of the city of Antigo. He was taken ill early in November and left for the National Soldiers' home on Nov. 11th. He underwent an operation for ulcers of the stomach. Because of heart trouble, he failed to regain his health.

Alvina Mary Foreyt

*1 Mar 1883 - †29 Jun 1950

Father: Frank Xavier Foreyt (*1850 - †1936)

Mother: Mary Jerabek (*1858 - †1933)

Siblings: Frank J. Foreyt (*1879 - †1918)
Mary Theresa Foreyt (*1884 - †1967)
Anna Foreyt (*1886 - †1937)
Agnes Foreyt (*1888 - †1888)
Joseph Foreyt (*1889 - †1897)
Stephen Foreyt (*1895 - †1975)

Husband: Joseph Anton Vondrachek (*1875 - †1957)

Children: Charles Cyril Vondrachek (*1902 - †1993)
Mary Anne Vondrachek (*1903 - †1995)
Anne Vondrachek (*1905 - †1905)
Joseph Frank Vondrachek (*1910 - †1988)
Bernard Stephen Vondrachek (*1911 - †1974)
John Paul Vondrachek (*1915 - †1986)
Adeline Alvina Vondrachek (*1916 - †2012)
Marcella Vondrachek (*1920 - †1975)
Monica M Vondrachek (*1920 - †2009)

Birth: 1 Mar 1883
Township of Rockland

Baptism: 3 Mar 1883
St. Mary's

Wedding: 13 Nov 1900
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Joseph Anton Vondrachek)

Death: 29 Jun 1950
Reedsville

Note: ^{a)} Baptism sponsors: John Spacek and his wife, Catherine (Foreyt)nnMrs. Joseph A. Vondrachek, 67, died suddenly at her Reedsville home Thursday.nMrs. Vondrachek, nee Alvina Foreyt, was born in 1883 in Rockland. In 1900 shenwas married to Mr. Vondrachek and the couple operated a farm in Rockland untilnmoving to Reedsville in 1936. Mr. and Mrs. Vondrachek would have celebratedntheir 50th wedding anniversary the coming November.nSurvivors besides the husband, are four daughters, Mrs. Mary Cherf and Mrs.nFrank Manino of Manitowoc, Mrs. Clarence Lipp of Mercer, and Mrs. James Morrisnof Sunnyside, Calif.; four sons, Charles of Reedsville, Joseph, Bernard andnPaul of Milwaukee; a brother, Steve of Rockland; a sister, Mrs. Mary Vondracheknof Manitowoc; and 21 grandchildren.nFuneral services will be held at 9 a.m. at the Reedsville Cooperative funeralnhome and at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Mary catholic church in Reedsville. Burialnwill be in the church cemetery.nFriends may call at the funeral home from 7 p.m. Saturday until time of services.nThe rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.nManitowoc Herald Times, Friday, June 30, 1950 P.2

Frank Xavier Foreyt

*1 Feb 1850 - †9 May 1936

Father: Paul Foreyt (*1815 - †1882)

Mother: Anna Shimek (*1823 - †1897)

Siblings: Mary Foreyt (*1844 - †1927)
Barbara Foreyt (*1846 - †1908)
Katherine Foreyt (*1853 - †1946)

Wife: Mary Jerabek (*1858 - †1933)

Children: Frank J. Foreyt (*1879 - †1918)
Alvina Mary Foreyt (*1883 - †1950)
Mary Theresa Foreyt (*1884 - †1967)
Anna Foreyt (*1886 - †1937)
Agnes Foreyt (*1888 - †1888)
Joseph Foreyt (*1889 - †1897)
Stephen Foreyt (*1895 - †1975)

Birth: 1 Feb 1850
Bohemia

Wedding: 18 Jan 1879
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Mary Jerabek)

Death: 9 May 1936
Town of Rockland

Note: ^{a)} Died of a heart attack. Born in Bohemia February 1, 1850, he came to America with his parents in 1858. The family went directly to the town of Rockland, where they took up the homestead on which he died.nnFrank and Mary had a double wedding with Frank's sister Katherine, who married John Spatchek.

Veronica Anna Geigel

*7 Mar 1907 - †23 Sep 1994

Father: John Geigel (*1868 - †1943)

Mother: Mary Margaret Stahl (*1877 - †1960)

Siblings: Helena Anna Geigel (*1898 - †1898)
William Joseph Geigel (*1899 - †1967)
Edmund Peter Geigel (*1901 - †1980)
Monica Anna Geigel (*1904 - †1987)
Alfonse George Geigel (*1909 - †1987)
Adela Helen Geigel (*1911 - †2001)
John Geigel (*1914 - †1914)
Unnamed Geigel (*1914 - †1914)
Lioba Kathryn Geigel (*1916 - †1998)

Husband: Charles Cyril Vondrachek (*1902 - †1993)

Children: Jerome William Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Mary Alvina Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Catherine Rose Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Anne Adela Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Teresa Lioba Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Gerald Francis Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Rita Monica Vondrachek (*1933 - †2016)
James Joseph Vondrachek (*1939 - †2016)

Birth: 7 Mar 1907
Town of Rockland

Wedding: 14 Sep 1932
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Charles Cyril Vondrachek)

Death: 23 Sep 1994
Manitowoc

Note: ^{a)} Veronica A. Vondrachek, age 87, of North Ridge Care Center, Manitowoc, formerly of Reedsville, died Friday, September 23, 1994, at the Care Center. Funeral Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, September 27, 1994, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Reedsville. Father Nicholas Johannes will officiate with burial in the parish cemetery. She was born March 7, 1907, in the town of Rockland, daughter of the late John and Mary Stahl Geigel. She married Charles C. Vondrachek September 14, 1932, at Clark's Mills. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Reedsville, and an honorary member of St. Anne's Altar Society and Christian Women. Survivors include five daughters and sons-in-law, Rita and Jurgen Vincent, Mary and Bill Egan, all of Green Bay, Catherine and Don Otte, town of Menasha, Anne and Jim Hartnett, Naperville, Ill., Teresa and Orin Piepenburg, Reedsville; three sons and one daughter-in-law, Jerome and Julie Vondrachek, Brillion, James Vondrachek, Manitowoc, Gerald Vondrachek, Milwaukee; 27 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; two sisters and one brother-in-law, Adelia Dvorachek, Lioba and Edwin Saur, all of Whitelaw. She was preceded in death by her husband September 27, 1993, three infant grandchildren, two sisters, Monica and an infant sister, five brothers, William, Edmund, Alfons and infant twin brothers. Friends may call at the Wieting Funeral home, Reedsville, from 4-9 p.m. Monday and on Tuesday from 7:45-10 a.m. when Family Rites will be held. St. Anne Altar Society Rosary will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, parish vigil at 7:30 p.m. Monday. Herald Times Reporter, September 4, 1994

Mary Jerabek

*30 Nov 1858 - †5 Sep 1933

Father: Joseph Jerabek (*1831 - †1891)

Mother: Mary Benes (*1834 - †1919)

Siblings: Joseph Jerabek (*1861 - †1943)
Frank Jerabek (*1866 - †1938)

Husband: Frank Xavier Foreyt (*1850 - †1936)

Children: Frank J. Foreyt (*1879 - †1918)
Alvina Mary Foreyt (*1883 - †1950)
Mary Theresa Foreyt (*1884 - †1967)
Anna Foreyt (*1886 - †1937)
Agnes Foreyt (*1888 - †1888)
Joseph Foreyt (*1889 - †1897)
Stephen Foreyt (*1895 - †1975)

Birth: 30 Nov 1858
Petrovice

Wedding: 18 Jan 1879
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Frank Xavier Foreyt)

Death: 5 Sep 1933
Town of Rockland

Note: ^{a)} She came to this country when she was 11 years old.

Charles Cyril Vondrachek

*21 Jan 1902 - †27 Sep 1993

Father: Joseph Anton Vondrachek (*1875 - †1957)

Mother: Alvina Mary Foreyt (*1883 - †1950)

Siblings: Mary Anne Vondrachek (*1903 - †1995)
Anne Vondrachek (*1905 - †1905)
Joseph Frank Vondrachek (*1910 - †1988)
Bernard Stephen Vondrachek (*1911 - †1974)
John Paul Vondrachek (*1915 - †1986)
Adeline Alvina Vondrachek (*1916 - †2012)
Marcella Vondrachek (*1920 - †1975)
Monica M Vondrachek (*1920 - †2009)

Wife: Veronica Anna Geigel (*1907 - †1994)

Children: Jerome William Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Mary Alvina Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Catherine Rose Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Anne Adela Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Teresa Lioba Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Gerald Francis Vondrachek (*? - †?)
Rita Monica Vondrachek (*1933 - †2016)
James Joseph Vondrachek (*1939 - †2016)

Birth: 21 Jan 1902
Town of Cato

Baptism: 21 Jan 1902
St. Mary's

Wedding: 14 Sep 1932
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Veronica Anna Geigel)

Death: 27 Sep 1993
Manitowoc

Note: ^{a)} Baptismal sponsors: Charles Vondrachek and Marie ForeytnnCharles was not given a middle name when baptized. Cyril was his confirmation name. He went to St. Mary's School in Reedsville, where years later, his children attended the same school. Each winter he was transferred to Grimms Public School. The two schools never went at the same pace - so he had to make an adjustment every year.nnOn March 18, 1938, he was severely injured in an accident on the east end of Reedsville. He was driving a gas truck for the Reedsville Co-op at the time. He had both legs broken and was put in a body cast up to the chest with steel plates in his legs. His daughter, Catherine, used to sit on the cast up on his chest to visit. Dr. Cary and Arnold "Lummie" March, gave Veronica and the four children rides to Manitowoc to visit him in the hospital. He was hospitalized for five months to the day when he finally got to go home. Anne was born while he was there, and he had undergone three surgeries. After he was home two weeks, he had to go back because one leg stiffened up.nn"History of Reedsville Book" has a picture of the Charles C. Vondrachek home when it was a tavern on the north west corner of Manitowoc and 6th Streets. The home is now at 609 Menasha Street, next to St. Mary's Rectory, where the family was always neighbors of the priest.nnCharles wound the church clock for 33 years. In his retirement years, he continued to help out at church, like taking down Christmas trees and distributing missalettes. Charles helped make this family tree possible by helping with the knowledge of his ancestry and interpreting the Bohemian on tombstones, documents, etc.nnCharles C. Vondrachek, age 91, of 609 Menasha St., Reedsville, died

Monday, September 27, 1993, at the North Ridge Care Center, Manitowoc. Funeral Services will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, September 30, 1993, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Reedsville. Father Nicholas Johannes will officiate with burial in the parish cemetery. He was born January 21, 1902, in the Town of Cato, son of the late Joseph A. and Alvina Foreyt Vondrachek. He married Veronica Geigel on September 14, 1932, at Clarks Mills. He was employed by the Reedsville Co-op and then Reinemann Elevator in Reedsville until his retirement. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church, Reedsville and was a trustee of the church. He served on the Reedsville Village and School Board. He had the honor of being Grand Marshall of then Reedsville Centennial in 1992. Survivors are his wife, Veronica; five daughters and sons-in-law, Rita and Jurgenn Vincent, Mary and Bill Egan, all of Green Bay, Catherine and Don Otte, Town of Menasha, Anne Jime Hartnett, of Naperville, Ill., Teresa and Orrin Piepenburg, Reedsville; three sons and one daughter-in-law, Jerome and Julie, of Brillion, James, Manitowoc, Gerald, Milwaukee; 27 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren, three sisters, Mary Cherf, Manitowoc, Adeline Lipp, Mercer, Monica Mannino, Thornton, Colo.; a sister-in-law, Rosalie Vondrachek, Hayward. He was preceded in death by three infant grandchildren, two sisters, Anne and Marcella, three brothers, Joseph, Bernard and Paul. Friends may call at the Wieting Funeral Home in Reedsville, from 4-9 p.m. on Wednesday and on Thursday from 7:45 a.m. until 10 a.m. when family rites will be held. Parish vigil will be Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Herald Times Reporter, September 28, 1993 P. A2

Joseph Anton Vondrachek

*4 Mar 1875 - †3 Dec 1957

Father: Joseph Frank Vondrachek (*1847 - †1933)

Mother: Anna Hayek (*1851 - †1942)

Siblings: John Vondrachek (*1877 - †1964)
Charles J Vondrachek (*1879 - †1959)
Wencil Francis Vondrachek (*1882 - †1920)
Mary Vondrachek (*1885 - †1898)
Albert Edward Vondrachek (*1887 - †1977)
Caroline Anna Vondrachek (*1889 - †1978)
Emil Edward Vondrachek (*1892 - †1980)
Louis Francis Vondrachek (*1895 - †1950)

Wife: Alvina Mary Foreyt (*1883 - †1950)

Children: Charles Cyril Vondrachek (*1902 - †1993)
Mary Anne Vondrachek (*1903 - †1995)
Anne Vondrachek (*1905 - †1905)
Joseph Frank Vondrachek (*1910 - †1988)
Bernard Stephen Vondrachek (*1911 - †1974)
John Paul Vondrachek (*1915 - †1986)
Adeline Alvina Vondrachek (*1916 - †2012)
Marcella Vondrachek (*1920 - †1975)
Monica M Vondrachek (*1920 - †2009)

Birth: 4 Mar 1875
Township of Cato

Wedding: 13 Nov 1900
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Alvina Mary Foreyt)

Death: 3 Dec 1957
Reedsville

Funeral: 7 Dec 1957
St Mary Catholic Church & Cemetery

Note: ^{a)} Operated a farm in Cato Township, WI where they built a huge block home. Had a safe built in a secret place in their home. The porch railings were decorative concrete (diamond 8's) set together. Joseph A. was treasurer of Rockland Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for 50 years, treasurer of School District of Grimms for 10 years, director of Reedsville Co-op Association for 29 years. He was secretary of the building committee of St. Mary Church in Reedsville, which was built in 1907. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the church. They moved to Reedsville in 1937 where they had built a home, beginning in 1936. There is a picture of their farm home in the 1921 Plat book page 75. Their retirement home is 642 Menasha St. in Reedsville, WI. Joseph A. Vondrachek (photo) of Reedsville died Tuesday at Holy Family Hospital, Manitowoc, following a lingering illness. He was 82. Funeral services will be at 9:45 a.m. Saturday at the Reedsville Funeral Home and at 10 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic church, Reedsville, the Rev. William Koutnik officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. He was born March 4, 1875, in the Town of Cato, son of the late Joseph and Ann Hejla Vondrachek. He married the former Alvina Foreyt Nov. 13, 1900. They farmed in the Town of Cato until 1937 when they moved to Reedsville. His wife died in 1950. He was treasurer of the Rockland Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for ?? years and treasurer of the school district at Grimms for 10 years. He served 29 years as director of the Reedsville Cooperative Assn., was secretary of the building committee of St. Mary Church which was built in 1907 and member of the Holy

Namen Society of the church. Survivors include four sons, Charles of Reedsville and Joseph, Bernard and Paul of Milwaukee; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Cherl of Reedsville, Mrs. Clarence Lipp and Mrs. Frank Manino of Manitowoc and Mrs. William Morris of Hawaii; four brothers, John and Albert of Valley City, N.D., Charles of Waterford, Wis., and Emil of Rt. 2, Reedsville; sister, Mrs. Caroline Koutnik of Norwalk, Calif.; 28 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Friends may call at Reedsville Funeral Home after 7 p.m. Thursday. The Rosary will be recited at 8:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday. Manitowoc Herald Times, Wednesday, December 4, 1957 P.17

Mary Anne Vondrachek

*10 Apr 1903 - †25 Oct 1995

Father: Joseph Anton Vondrachek (*1875 - †1957)

Mother: Alvina Mary Foreyt (*1883 - †1950)

Siblings: Charles Cyril Vondrachek (*1902 - †1993)
Anne Vondrachek (*1905 - †1905)
Joseph Frank Vondrachek (*1910 - †1988)
Bernard Stephen Vondrachek (*1911 - †1974)
John Paul Vondrachek (*1915 - †1986)
Adeline Alvina Vondrachek (*1916 - †2012)
Marcella Vondrachek (*1920 - †1975)
Monica M Vondrachek (*1920 - †2009)

Husband: Emil Cherf (*1892 - †1928)

Children: Francis John Cherf (*? - †?)
Eugene George Cherf (*? - †?)

Birth: 10 Apr 1903
Cato Township

Baptism: 15 Apr 1903
St. Mary's

Wedding: 10 Nov 1925
St. Mary Catholic Church
(Emil Cherf)

Death: 25 Oct 1995
Manitowoc