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Place: St. Peter and Paul Church

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Rosen, Anna (\*1896 - †1982)

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Vondrachek, Emil Edward (\*1892 - †1980)

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# Anna Rosen

\*15 Nov 1896 - †21 Aug 1982

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Father: ???

Mother: ???

Husband: Emil Edward Vondrachek (\*1892 - †1980)

Children: Charles Emil Vondrachek (\*1919 - †2005)  
Irene M. Vondrachek (\*1921 - †1979)  
Wallace Vondrachek (\*1923 - †1996)

Birth: 15 Nov 1896  
New York

Wedding: 30 Oct 1918  
St. Peter and Paul Church  
(Emil Edward Vondrachek)

Death: 21 Aug 1982  
Burlington

Funeral: Holy Cross Cemetery

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Note: <sup>a)</sup> Anna's birth surname was Rosen. She was raised by Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, but was never adopted. Was sometimes known as Anna Nichols.nnAnna, at age 2 arrived out West on an orphan train. Orphan trains were run from New York City in the late 1800s and early 1900s bringing orphans from the city to mid-western families who were willing to take the children into their homes. A midwestern reunion for descendants of orphan train children was held in September 2000 in Manitowoc, WI.

# Emil Edward Vondrachek

\*9 Jan 1892 - †6 Jan 1980

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

Mother: Anna Hayek (\*1851 - †1942)

Siblings: Joseph Anton Vondrachek (\*1875 - †1957)  
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)  
Louis Francis Vondrachek (\*1895 - †1950)

Wife: Anna Rosen (\*1896 - †1982)

Children: Charles Emil Vondrachek (\*1919 - †2005)  
Irene M. Vondrachek (\*1921 - †1979)  
Wallace Vondrachek (\*1923 - †1996)

Birth: 9 Jan 1892  
Reedsville

Baptism: 10 Jan 1892  
St. Mary's

Wedding: 30 Oct 1918  
St. Peter and Paul Church  
(Anna Rosen)

Death: 6 Jan 1980  
Reedsville

Funeral: Holy Cross Cemetery

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Note: <sup>a)</sup> Emil and Anna celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at St. Mary's and at Kabat's in Reedsville in 1968. At that time, Emil was a member of the Holy Name Society at St. Mary's and Anna was a member of St. Ann Altar Society. They had engaged in farming on the farm formerly owned by his brother, Joseph Anton, near Grimms. They retired in 1959, and moved into Reedsville, living on Madison Street. They both enjoyed gardening, and she did needlework. Emil farmed in North Dakota through the 1930s, returning to Wisconsin in the 1940s. Prior to the return to Wisconsin, Emil lost his N. Dakota barn, equipment and horses due to a fire started by one of his sons. Hay was stacked that year in the field, where another son started a few piles on fire. Emil, a good baseball player, injured his knees in baseball field gopher holes. He went home from one Sunday afternoon game unable to walk. In latter life, his knees bowed out extensively and plagued him until his death. Back in Wisconsin, he rented a farm that had been owned by his brother, Joseph Anton, which previously belonged to their Dad (part of a 400 acres plot).