

I was born in Lawton at the Public Health Service Indian Hospital in Lawton. In 1946.

(And how many brothers and sisters do you have?)

I have one sister. And two half-sisters and one half-brother.

(And do they still live in Oklahoma?)

Well one does. My brother lives in Oklahoma. My sister lives in-- one of 'em is living at home. In San Francisco. The other one is in Alaska right now because this one sister her husband's a military serviceman. And my real sister is presently living in Lawton. Her husband is stationed at Fort Sill. Military Post. And in November he will be leaving to Vietnam. And I guess that will be her home till he comes back.

(They all marry Indians or did they marry white people?)

No. One of my half-sisters, the next to the older of the half-sisters, she married a Mexican. And my older sister, she married a Pima Indian. Really I should say Pueblo Indian from Santa Fe area.

(And your half-brother?)

He's married to a White. White lady. Caucasian.

(An Anglo? Your brother works for OIO?)

Yes, he does.

(What is his name?)

Bill Gover.

EDUCATION AND GRADE SCHOOL EXPERIENCES

(Well, Wallace, I wanted to ask you, too, where did you go to school when you were young and growing up in Lawton?)

Well, in junior high I went to a country school. To a small country school. I don't think we had attendance of 180. This is one of those schools, you know, that didn't have a junior high school. Grade school was between from the first to the eighth grade. Then you transferred to