

SCHOOL AND EARLY LIFE

(I am gonna interview my husband, John M. Tiger in our home February 19, 1970.)

(Where were you born?)

I was born near Spaulding, Oklahoma in Hughes county.

(When is your birthday?)

January 18, 1915.

(How old are you now?)

I'm 55 years old.

(How old were you when you lost your parents?)

I imagine I was about, oh 7 when I lost my mother, and about maybe 9 years old when I lost my father, I'm not sure, but it is somewhere around that time.

(Do you remember them?)

Well, I remember, little bit of my father and like it is when you're small you remember thing one time and then the next you don't. So, I think, I remember seeing my mother one time. Another time I think I seen her being baptized. I think she was sick though, but I guess she was able to be baptized that's when I see it done. They was baptizing her.

(After you lost your parents whom did you live with?)

Well I lived in our home with my father was still living and so I, my brother and sister and later on my father married another woman and she had a daughter which became our half sister, but she was a daughter of my own uncle and so she was close kin to me.

(Where did you first go to school?)

Spaulding.

(To what grade?)