

I had two brothers.

(Were they older than you?)

No, I'm older than them.

(Were you the oldest child?)

Um-um. (No.)

(Did you have an older sister?)

There's sixteen of us.

(Two brothers and the rest of the sixteen were girls?)

Um-hum.

(And you don't know how many were older than you?)

Yeah. I had Emma and Fannie and Rose and Bertha, and Lucy and then I come in. I came on the sixth. Five older ones.

(Did you all work around the house?)

Um-hum.

(What kinds of things did you do?)

I helped take care of the house, fixed the beds.

(Did you ever take care of your younger brothers?)

Um-hum. One's deceased, and I just got one living. He's a Methodist preacher.

(Where does he live?)

He lives in Cedar Creek.

(What is his name?)

George Sumty.

(Do you know anything about the time the Kiowa were brought into Ft.

Sill? Was your father among those Kiowa?)

Um-um. But my stepfather, my daddy died and my mother got married again.

(When did your father die? When you were a little girl?)