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Tuesday, November 19, 2002	0:00:00	0:00:54	The Farm	Intro
	0:00:55	0:02:00		Starting at the beginning, as I was saying. in Elyria. 151 acres, 6 or 7 years old
	0:02:01	0:02:48		Pop works for the Thew Shovel Company.
	0:02:49	0:03:39		Chuck's Grandma (Ralston) Britt visits Medina.
	0:03:40	0:04:09		Pop installs a Delco Electric system, about 1926.
	0:04:10	0:04:41		More improvements are made to the farm house (late 1920s), including indoor plumbing, and later (1935?) the Delco is replaced when the Rural Electrification Act is passed, and a local utility provides electric service.
	0:04:42	0:05:11		The plan: Uncle Ralph Roney and his wife, Aunt Jeanette (Grandma's sister) move in to help with the farm, and help
	0:05:11	0:05:38		And the Depression hits, but only a glancing blow.
	0:05:38	0:05:49		Chuck's Uncle Jean, R's brother.
	0:05:50	0:06:42		Uncle Ralph builds his house next door.
	0:06:43	0:07:21		Aunt Jeanette's (Nettie) slip is showing.
	0:07:22	0:09:54		Uncle Ralph pokes Chuck with a hay fork, and fears the wrath of his sister-in-law. What's a hay conveyer?
	0:09:55	0:11:10	Grandma's youth in Pennsylvania	Another farm remembered: Mom plucks a goose when she was a girl.
	0:11:11	0:11:43		Mom's tales of adventure when she was a girl, and Chuck can't even climb a cherry tree; the origin of "Do as I say..."
	0:11:44	0:12:46		The goose story continues.
	0:12:47	0:13:34		Mom (as a girl) helps plant punkin' seeds, and her scheme is revealed later.
	0:13:35	0:14:24	Mom and Pop's Romance	Meeting at the bank
	0:14:25	0:14:58		Sweet talking deposit slip: "One heart full of love", and a whirlwind romance
	0:14:59	0:16:36	On to Columbus	Chuck asserts himself, and avoids an oncoming train.
	0:16:37	0:17:25		Pop drives through a red light.

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	0:17:26	0:18:14	R's youth	Pop takes a short cut, and delivers the ladies home very quickly.
	0:18:15	0:18:20		Pop and his brother Jean are naughty.
	0:18:21	0:19:50		Pop manages to make it to the ball game in time, in spite of pressing duties.
	0:19:51	0:29:00	The Farm (continued)	A bus accident in Medina, 1931. All four Britt kids were on the bus, plus a lot of other kids. Frank saves the kids. Little Chuck slides on his book satchel.
	0:29:01	0:31:50	Little foot	California older cousin Helen remembers about Chuck's "little foot." He walks across the table at the doctor's office at 15 months, when they still lived in Elyria. Massages by Mom.
	0:31:51	0:33:15	Uncle Charley Carroll to California in 1922	Uncle Charley sets up dental office in California in 1922. He goes by himself first, then comes back for the family. They return together by car. Road runners have sharp bones, causing tire troubles.
	0:33:16	0:34:24	Britt Trip to CA in 1941?	When Chuck was 20, the Britts drove to Los Angeles (again). Present were Mom, Pop, and Ida.
	0:34:25	0:35:45		Mom, Chuck and Ida take a side-trip up the coast to San Fransisco, and find qualtiy service at the gas stations there, but it makes Ida wary of the restrooms. Mom insists on Ida's company.
	0:35:46	0:39:14	Britt Trip to CA in 1937	When Chuck turns 16, Uncle Ed, Aunt Grace, and Mom? borrow the Britt family car (a '37 Ford 4-door sedan), Young Chuck drives, and they head out to Los Angeles. Chuck's driving is scary. Ted gives him a speed-shifting lesson. A visit to an illicit drag race. On the way back to Columbus, Chuck finally gives in and takes Salapatica.
	0:39:15	0:41:00		A visit with cousin cousin Frank, the bouncer, at his place of work. Frank was 6' 5", 300 pounds. Drinks ordered. "Ya want me to warm it for ya?" Uncle Charley entertains the Britt contingent.

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	0:41:01	0:43:01	The Farm (continued)	Mom nurses Aunt Mary. Flashback to 1934 back in Medina on the farm: Aunt Mary's not worried about taking a lot of steps, because she says "I'll just take another pill." Aunt Mary and Uncle Charley Carroll's kids are (in order) Frank, Helen, Grace, Ruth, and Ted (the California Carrolls).
	0:43:02	0:45:45	Uncle Charley Visits Ohio in 1948	Uncle Charley's visit to Ohio in 1948? Chuck meets him at the Port Columbus Airport, and surprises Uncle Charley with a wild ride. But Uncle Charley was only scared once.
	0:45:46	0:48:18	The Farm (continued)	Bull gets frisky with Frank Britt. Bob Britt comes to the rescue with a pitchfork. Bull gets away, temporarily.
	0:48:19	0:49:27		The boys and their BB Gun. Watching the chicken jump. Mom puts an end to it.
	0:49:28	0:49:48		Sweeping 151 acres out of the back door.
	0:49:49	0:51:02		The Armstrongs (neighbors). Charley (father), Jim (son). Horseshoes.
	0:51:03	0:52:00		Hanging the jury. Talking to Mom, who couldn't move from the breakfast table.
	0:52:01	0:52:50		The house burned down, temporary accomodations in a chicken coop, and how Jim Armstrong told about it.
	0:52:51	0:53:20		Margie's religious afiliation.
	0:53:21	0:54:56	Flash Forward: WAM	Funeral for Dad's friend, (William A. McDorman, aka WAM). Around November, 2002.
	0:54:57	0:56:24	The Farm (continued)	Nostalgia tour to see the farm, summer 2001, with Rob and Sharon, Sue and Jim, Beth Ann.
	0:56:25	0:57:57		The Stouffers (the neighbors), the "successful farmers".
	0:56:58	0:57:30		Impressions of the Depression. Uncle Jean got in trouble.
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	0:58:03	1:00:20	The Farm (continued)	Uncle Jean (continued). Pop's brother. Out of work for a while. Stayed for a couple of years. 3.2 beer issues. Meets a sad demise.
	1:00:10	1:00:47		Pop's Siblings: Uncle Jean and Aunt Anna. Uncle Jean was in WWI (not WWII). His issues. Where was he buried?
	1:00:48	1:01:50		Uncle Bob's butting lessons for pet lambs. Dad is falsley accused.
	1:01:51	1:02:11	Other Stories	Beth Ann's pet black lamb (in the 1960s). More butting.
	1:02:12	1:03:09	The Farm (continued)	What's a barn bridge?
	1:02:13	1:04:07		Uncle Ralph hurrys Dad up with a pitch fork. Fear of HCB
	1:04:08	1:04:32		The four siblings.
	1:04:33	1:05:12		When the horse stepped on Bob's bare foot.
	1:05:13	1:07:38		A cumcumber thief, and the boys find a solution. Pop severs relations.
	1:07:39	1:10:09	Living in town before the Farm	Uncle Frank roller skating, and the bully trips him. Pop's solution
	1:10:11	1:12:01	The Farm (continued)	The boys kidded Ida, and called her the "Powerful Katrinka" (a cartoon character in a popular newspaper comic, "Toonerville Folks," which wasn't very nice. After that, Ida refused to help with the hard work. Results of the bus wrech. Her two kids, Alice and Bill.
	1:12:02	1:13:33		Frank and the pet bull. Bull jumps over the gate. Bob saves Frank with a pitch fork.
	1:13:34	1:14:49		Frank saves little Chuck, riding a runaway horse.
	1:14:50	1:16:45		Aunt Jeanette and Uncle Ralph. They help farm. They build a house next door. The scoop pulled by a horse. They help raise the Britt kids.
	1:16:46	1:18:01		Flying kites off Aunt Jeanette and Uncle Ralph's back porch. Grinding popcorn seeds. Good eatin'.

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	1:18:02	1:19:59		More on Chuck's little foot. Going barefoot after May 7th.
	1:20:00	1:22:02		Charley Armstrong's house burning down. Jim, Chuck's friend. The Chicken coop, and what Jim called it. Charley Armstrong's peculiarities. Hanging a jury.
	1:22:03	1:23:56	On to Columbus	Driving down to Columbus
	1:23:57	1:23:59		Drivers license issues.
	1:24:00	1:24:37	Britt Trip to California (1937)	Uncle Ed and Aunt Grace (McCann) to California in Britt family car to visit Uncle Charley, Dad driving. Dad's driving is scary.
	1:24:38	1:26:55	Living in Columbus	King Avenue house. 354 West King Ave, the twin-single. Near Batelle. The ice dam on the Olentangy, nearby, near "the polo grounds".
	1:26:53	1:27:58		Neighbors on King Ave. Landlord was the mother of their dentist. Shoveling snow, getting cake every year. A tooth pulled.
	1:27:59	1:28:33		Mose the neighbor. Mom gives Chuck a scolding for singing a popular song. A dumb kid.
	1:28:34	1:28:52		Bob looks naked on the front porch, and also gets a scolding from Mom.
	1:28:53	1:29:22		Everett Junior High. Frank takes Chuck there for the first day of class. A scary place.
	1:29:23	1:30:03		How Chuck did in school.
	1:30:04	1:31:19		Hijinks with friends, Nelson, and Blaine Briggs, the preacher's son. Removing the light bulb, and playing catch with it. Stealing the annoying dinger from the streetcar. Well you naughty boys!
	1:31:20	1:32:31		Hailing a cab, and a ride for a nickle a piece. "Neat!" The wrong cab, and a near cab war.

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	1:32:32	1:35:30		A riot at Ohio State after the Michigan game, in November 1938, Chuck's senior Year at North High School. A rock breaks a window, cuts Chuck's hand. Rowdy students disrupt the movie theater. Then these students Disabled the street cars, blocking High Street both ways. It got dark. Bob prevents a rock from being thrown at a policeman.
	1:35:31	1:36:15		Another time downtown during a celebration, a little guy runs into Bob, and Bob doesn't even notice. Bob was a really big guy. The little guy says "pardon me," and Bob asked Chuck, "what did he do?"
	1:36:16	1:37:00		Plans after high school (May 1939). Working at the Ohio State U. Agricultural Experiment farm (H&F Building, horticulture and forestry), 35 cents an hour.
	1:37:01	1:38:19		Horseplay once again. Hitting in the sholder turns into a chase, with Chuck running through a sheet of glass in a door at the bottom of the steps. 16 stitches.
	1:38:20	1:39:00		Moving over to 8th avenue. Ida works at Starling-Loving Hospital, Dad takes her over there at midnight. while working toward a Bachelor in Science degree in Nursing. Still taking in borders, still working at H&F.
	1:39:01	1:39:34		On King ave, Pop gets quinsy, rides ambulance, bribes the driver to ding the bell.
	1:39:35	1:40:14		During Pop's convalescence at home, he runs Mom ragged.
	1:40:15	1:40:22		One of the borders on 8th Ave was Louis Austin, who worked out at the State Home.
	1:40:23	1:41:20		Pop, still convalesing, alerts Mom to a spider on the ceiling.
	1:41:21	1:42:05	Living in Columbus (cont)	Went to Ohio State University for one and a half years (1939 to 1940).

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	1:42:06	1:44:10		Learning about airplanes. Attended Ohio Institute of Aeronautics for an Aircraft and Engine license (from fall 1940 to graduation in May 1941). Mom paid \$540 for a 9 month course for an engine license. Learned to weld, do fabric work, wood work, work on engines. School was located at 340 E. Broad St, Columbus. Passed written test, and practical test.
	1:44:11	1:44:55		First job at Lane Aviation which didn't pay much. Colnel Molser hired him to go to MacDill Field, Tampa Florida, along with another guy.
	1:44:56	1:45:32		By that time, Chuck and Margie were engaged, and corresponding. They got married, returned to MacDill, Margie got pregnant. Lockbourne field (now Rickenbacker International Airport) near Columbus opened up in the meantime, so Chuck transferred and they returned to Columbus and lived with Sally and Carolyn (Margie's parents) for a month or so. He was at MacDill about a year total.
	1:45:33	1:46:25		Chuck and Margie married in 1942. Returned to Columbus in 1943. Chuck worked at Lockbourne Army Airfield, again as a civilian mechanic. After living with Sally and Caroline, Chuck and Margie decided to rent a house on Selby Blvd. Dad finally decided they could afford the \$52.70/month rent.
	1:46:26	1:47:58		The house on Selby Blvd. First built on the block, built to provide housing for defense workers. Five models available. Sally Morrison (who was a Worthington City Council member), when he saw the inexpensive housing going in on Selby Blvd, said "boy, there goes the neighborhood!" Rented for about two years, then bought it for \$6350, including a stove and refrigerator.

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	1:47:59	1:51:50		<p>How did they meet? Blind date, new year's eve, 1942. A double-date with one of Margie's friends, Rosmary Tharp, one of the twins. The Tharps had dated someone who lived at Britts, and Mom had gone out with Chuck's brother Bob. Rosmary called Margie at the bowling alley, asking if she wanted to go on a date with Chuck. She said yes, he showed up in a wild green plaid sport coat. They went to the Ohio Theater to see a movie. He didn't call her back for several months. "She didn't remember my number. It was University 1777." Then, when he called you back, then you became an item.</p>