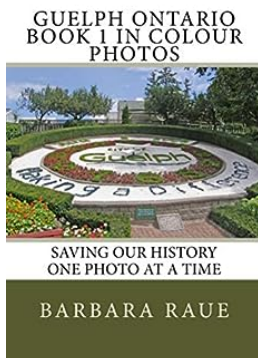


# Saving Our History One Photo At Time Cruising Ontario 85

Have you ever wondered what our cities and towns looked like decades ago? How the streets were bustling with people, and the buildings stood tall and proud, each telling a unique story? Ontario, the charming province of Canada, is a perfect example of a place with a rich history. It is a land of vibrant cities, picturesque towns, and breathtaking natural landscapes, all adorned with a tapestry of stories waiting to be discovered and preserved.

Today, we find ourselves in a fast-paced world where everything changes in an instant. Buildings are torn down, landscapes are altered, and with each passing day, a piece of our history fades away. It is crucial to find a way to capture and preserve these moments before they are lost forever.

One way we can do this is through the power of photography. Photos have a unique ability to freeze a moment in time. They serve as a gateway to the past, allowing us to travel back and experience the essence of an era that has long gone. Also, with advancements in technology, capturing high-quality images has become easier and more accessible than ever before.



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When it comes to preserving the history of Ontario, there is nothing quite like embarking on a road trip and cruising through the province's scenic highways. Ontario Highway 85, in particular, is a route that takes you on a journey through time. It connects the cities of Kitchener and Guelph, both known for their rich historical significance and architectural marvels.

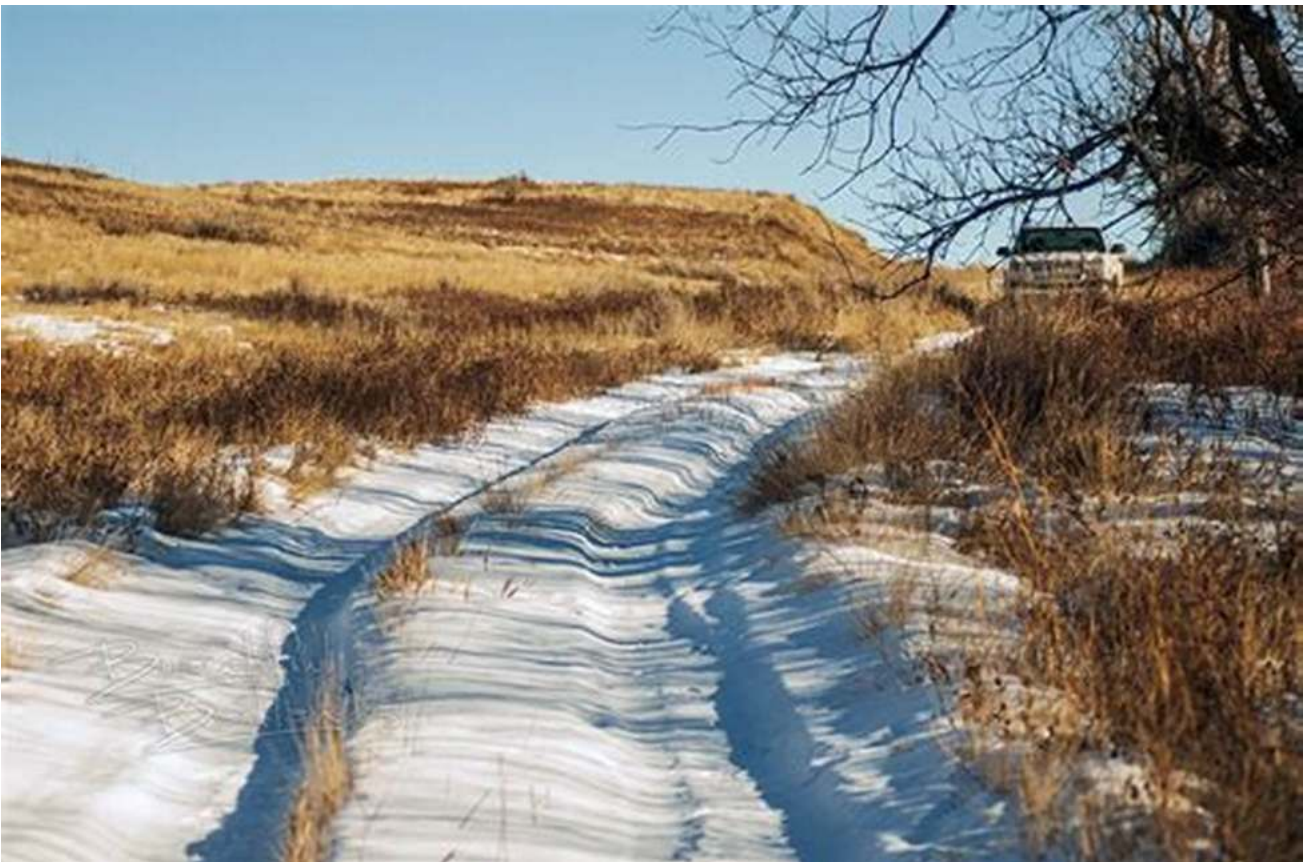
As you cruise along Highway 85, you will be met with charming towns and quaint villages, each with its own unique heritage and stories to share. From St. Jacobs, a small village known for its Mennonite roots and historic farmers' market, to Elora, a town nestled along the picturesque Grand River with stunning limestone architecture, there is no shortage of hidden gems to explore and capture.

One of the best ways to capture the essence of each place you visit is by taking photos. Whether you are an amateur photographer or a seasoned professional, there is something truly special about capturing a moment in time and immortalizing it through a photograph. Each photo tells a story, and by collecting these stories, we can create an archive that future generations can learn from and appreciate.

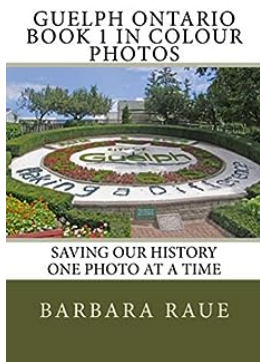
But capturing these images is just the first step. To ensure their preservation, it is essential to properly store and document them. One way to achieve this is by digitizing the photographs and creating an online archive. By doing so, we can safeguard these images against physical damage, loss, and the passage of time.

Furthermore, by sharing these photographs online, we can create a community of individuals passionate about preserving history. People from all over the world can come together to appreciate and learn from Ontario's rich heritage. Through digital platforms and social media, the reach and impact of these photographs can extend far beyond the confines of the province.

So, next time you find yourself planning a road trip or simply strolling through a charming town, don't forget to bring your camera along. Each photo you take can help in the collective effort to save our history, one snapshot at a time. Let's embark on a journey of exploration and preservation, ensuring that the rich tapestry of Ontario's past remains alive and vibrant for generations to come.



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Guelph, known as “The Royal City, is located 100 kilometers (62 miles) west of downtown Toronto at the intersection of Highways 6 and 7. Guelph was founded on St. George’s Day, April 23, 1827, the feast day of the patron saint of England. The town was named to honour Britain’s royal family, the Hanoverians who were descended from the Guelfs, the ancestral family of George IV, the reigning British monarch.

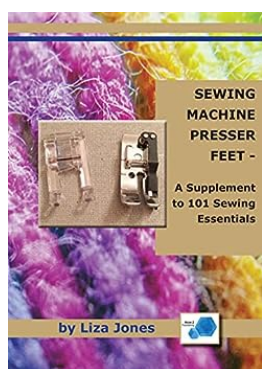
John Galt designed the town to resemble a European city centre with squares, broad main streets and narrow side streets, resulting in a variety of block sizes and shapes. The street plan was designed to resemble a lady’s fan with many of the streets forming triangles (the segments of the fan).

The first cable TV system began in Guelph with their first broadcast being the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II in 1953. The Speed and Eramosa Rivers flow through the city.

Riverside Park is an 80-acre park built around a portion of the Speed River that runs through Guelph. The park opened in 1905.

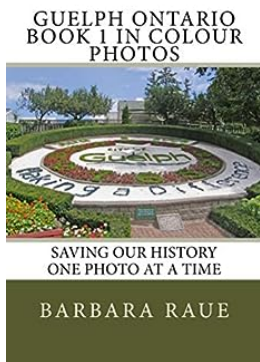
Our family lived continuously in Guelph from the time I was four years old until 1969. Guelph was an often returned to place for our family from 1948 to 1954; whenever Dad was out of work, he would head back to Guelph where Mom's cousin and husband, Rosa and Carl Saillian, lived and had their Armenian Rug cleaning and installation business. We often watched Uncle Carl shampooing carpets in the large garage beside their house on Stevenson Street. One year when Dad was out of work, Dad dug out the basement under the Saillian's home to make a recreation room; Dad was a hard worker and completed the work much quicker than they expected.

I attended S.S. No. 1 School from 1957 to 1963, then I was shuffled around to a few schools to complete Grades 7 and 8. I attended John F. Ross C.V.I. for high school. Riverside Park was a place we often visited for picnics and swimming. We lived across the road from the Ontario Reformatory (O.R.) grounds and we often saw a prison guard with a group of prisoners keeping the lawns looking beautiful. Since the reformatory moved to Milton, the grounds are in poor shape with animals digging tunnels through the grass. We swam in the lake at the O.R. I have many happy memories of growing up in this city.



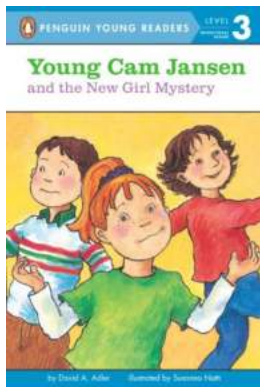
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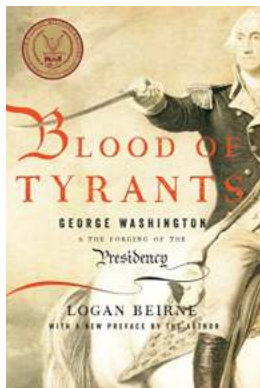
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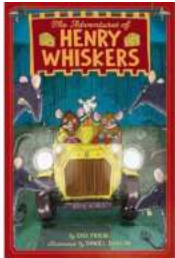
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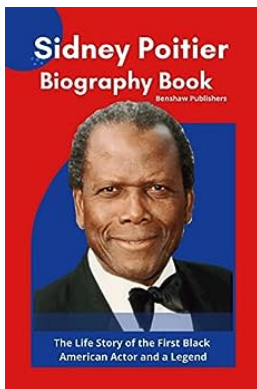
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