





**Frances Eleanor Stafford with her Mother in Shanghai, where she was born in 1912.**



**Frances with Mother and Brother in a Shanghai Rickshaw in 1913. Her father, Francis (spelled with an i), among other things, was an expert photographer.**







**At her 10<sup>th</sup> birthday party she gave everyone a gift.  
Generosity continued throughout her life.**



**Frances could be fearless. Here she is  
driving the first family car.**



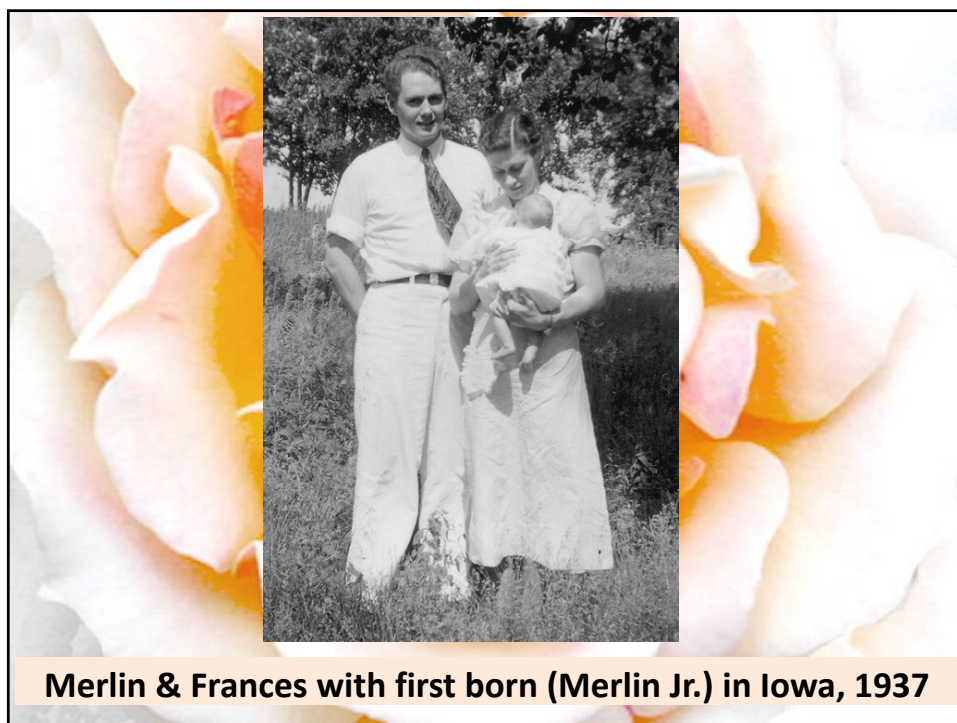
**At age 19 she left Hawaii for nursing school in Loma Linda.**



**Frances worked as an RN in LA, Iowa, & Ethiopia.**



**Married to Merlin G. Anderson in 1936**

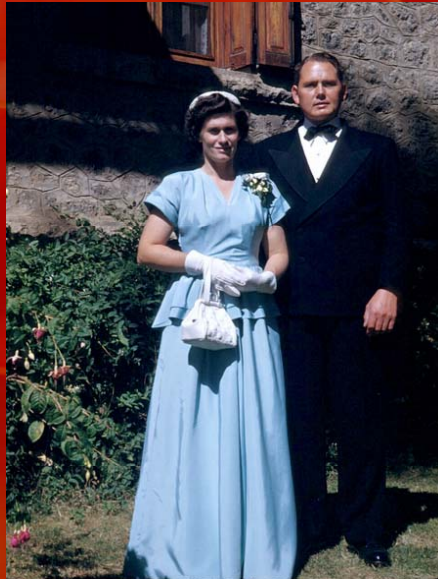


**Merlin & Frances with first born (Merlin Jr.) in Iowa, 1937**





**Passport Photo (with sons Ron and Merlin Jr.) in 1944  
Getting ready to go to Ethiopia as missionaries**



**Dressed up for a party at the palace of the King of Ethiopia**



**Arrivals of Rosalie in 1946 and James in 1952**



**Returning to America in 1950**





**Calif. Poppies in 1950 -- Frances Eleanor loved flowers**



**In Germany with friends and family in 1953**



**Frances with Mother Nellie and Brother Clarence in '50s**



**Settling Down in Yakima, Washington in 1954**



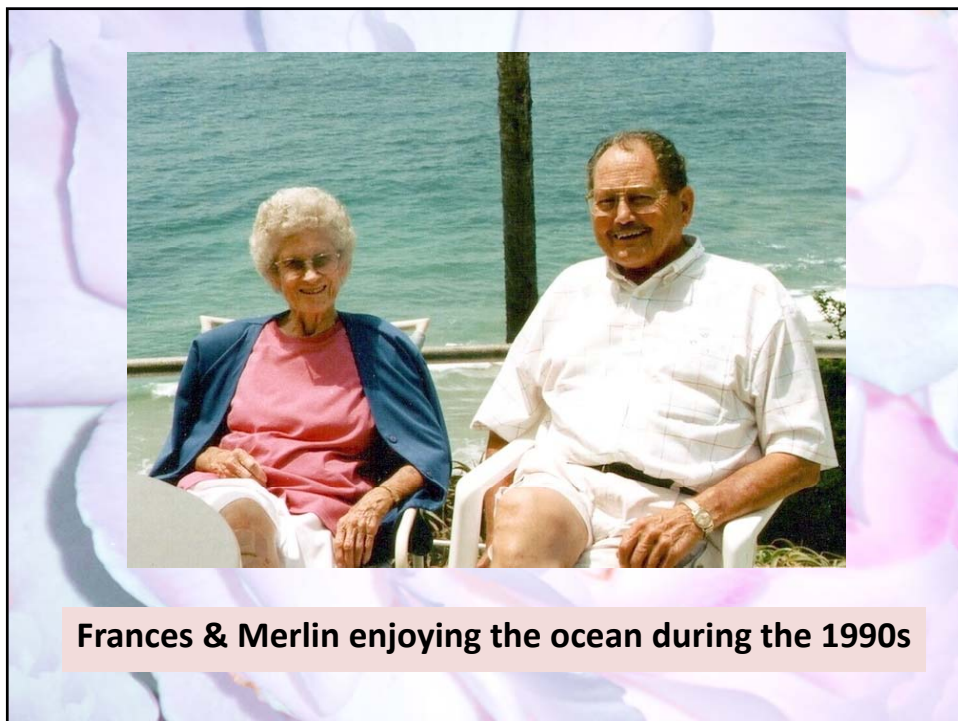


**Fearless Frances picking cherries at the age of 62  
(Grand Daughter Jennie is on short ladder)**



**50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Celebration in 1986  
Yakima, WA**







**Mourning the loss of beloved husband Merlin in 2000**



**With youngest son James & his wife Anne**



**Rosalie, Great Grand Daughter Anastasia,  
Frances, and Grand Daughter Julia**



**Frances & Daughter Rosalie**





## 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Fun, 2002

Above are Rosalie, Merlin Jr., Frances,  
James, & Ron



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Above are Niece Barbara Stafford, Rosalie, Frances,  
Nephew Robert Stafford, and Grand Nephew, Jon







**Grand Daughters Joni & Gina  
and Grand Son Evan**



**Bob & Rosalie and Marylou & Merlin Jr.  
Standing with Frances Seated, 2004**









**Bob, Principal Caregiver (with Rosalie) for last 4 Years, and Frances**



**Christmas, 2008**

**From left to right: Paula, Frances, Bob, Rosalie, Grace and her husband David**





**Sleeping Duo, Christmas, 2008**

