

	Interviewee: Maria Triada Karkoulis, Kingston, December 16th 2017, Duration: 7:58		
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Interview Time	Chronology	Place	Description
0:56	Born	Tripoli, Arkadia, Greece	Born and raised in Tripoli, Arkadia, Greece in 1942. The last daughter of triplets (George, Andriannos and Maria). Her second name is Triada which stands for the Holy Trinity
1:15	First Years in Tripoli Arkadias		Father Born in Allonistaina, Gortynias. At the age of 10 he immigrated to America to find his brother Constantinos. He worked for train infrastructure and then he went to school to learn English. He lived in America for 30 years. They moved from San Francisco to Greece in 1939. They sold everything and returned to Greece.
1:57			They exchanged all their money from American Dollars to Greek Drahas. In 1940 World War II started and they lost their entire fortune.
			Maria's father got married in 1940 and he had his first child Christina, and a year later his wife gave birth to the triplets.
3:14			Maria's father studied psychology and was a fluent speaker of the English language. He never returned to America and he passed away in 1954.
3:12			Maria graduated from high school in 1961 and wished to study medicine in Thessaloniki. However she could not afford it. Thus she got married to her current husband, Peter Karkoulis.
3:42			On September the 7th (1962) the Karkoulis family immigrated to Canada
4:10			Maria's parents struggled to raise their family as under German occupation people could not even find food. Maria's brother Andrianos got sick and died.
5:25			Maria's family from her mother's side was from Argos and was a large, wealthy family that helped Maria's family survive during the war
5:50			Maria's house in Tripoli was in Diotimas 9 (now the road is renamed Dimitriou Apostolopoulou 9), a small house that Maria's father bought while in America. Nowadays, Maria's sister lives there.

6:45			Maria was an excellent student and received scholarships, so her family would not need to pay. She worked hard enough that she received scholarships so she did not have to pay any annual registration fee
7:42			Maria was attending English school and was an athlete