

First Generation

1. **Anna Mary Preis** was born on 25 Jun 1890 in 1729 Franklin, St Louis, Missouri.¹⁻² She was baptized on 6 Jul 1890 in St Nicholas Catholic Church, St Louis, Missouri.² (Image 123) On 20 Apr 1910 she was a Tube Maker of electric lamps.³ Anna lived in 2910a North 22nd Street, St Louis, Missouri on 9 Jul 1913.⁴ She died on 7 Apr 1973 at the age of 82 in Lemay, St. Louis County, Missouri.⁵ She was buried on 10 Apr 1973 in Calvary Cemetery, St Louis, Missouri (Section 18, Lot 337).⁶ Anna was also known as Mum. She was Roman Catholic.⁷ Link to parents: Marriage record names parents Joseph Preis and Helena Grove.

NOTES

The birth record is difficult to read and the address may have been 1729 Franklin or 1129 Franklin.

According to the 1910 census, she had not attended school since 1 September 1909.

The 1913 marriage record from St Nicholas Church says that she was born June 25, 1900 and that she was baptized in St Nicholas Church July 6, 1900. It says she was living at 2910a North 22nd Street, where her parents lived. It further says that her parents were Joseph Preis and Helena Grove. (The year shown on that record is incorrect. There is a baptism record from St Nicholas Church in which the correct information is recorded: she was born June 25 1890 and baptized July 6, 1890. There is a note on the baptism record that mentions the marriage information.)

Anna Murphy is buried in Section 018, Lot 0337 in Calvary Cemetery in St. Louis, MO.

Kathleen Spies has her prayer book, which is in German and Latin. The book is for use in 1898 - 1912. It has a book marker that says "Holy Trinity Church, 1909."

According to her daughter, Ann Mary, she had nine children who did not survive infancy. Ann thinks that there were eight babies after Elizabeth (born 1914) and before Ann (born 1924). She remembers the baby born in 1927, and thinks he was the only one who was born after she was. In the Missouri death certificate database I have found only the two male infants shown here.

1. Missouri Birth Records 1851-1910 on Ancestry.
2. Baptism record from St Nicholas Church, St Louis, Missouri, Film 007856366 on FamilySearch.
3. 1910 United States Census.
4. Marriage record from St Nicholas Catholic Church, Film 007856366 on FamilySearch.
5. Holy Card from the funeral, which shows this date.
6. Archdiocese of St Louis, Catholic Cemeteries, Burial Search (online).
7. Prayer book of Anna Preis Murphy, owned by Kathleen Spies of Clarksville, MD.