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Abstract: **Sadie Majorka Williams**

Sadie Maiorka Williams' grandparents, Jack and Josephine Giambelluca, moved to Stafford, Texas in 1927. She describes their story and the migration of Italians to Stafford. In addition to talking about her growing up years, she tells about raising her children and worked for the fledgling Stafford Municipal School District. Sadie has co-written a book with Jean Court entitled The History of Stafford, TX.

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Interview Summary

People (in order mentioned in interview)

Jack Giambelluca - paternal grandfather
 Josephine Lapaglia Giambelluca - paternal grandmother
 Children of Jack and Josephine: Charlie
 Joe Giambelluca - son of Jack and Josephine
 Sam Giambelluca - son of Jack and Josephine
 Mary Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Carrie Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Janie Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Josephine Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Lena Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Rosalie Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Laura. Giambelluca - daughter of Jack and Josephine
 Frank Maiorka - father
 Phillip Maiorka - maternal grandfather
 Sadie Barone - maternal grandmother
 Mary Maiorka - mother
 Phillip Maiorka - brother
 James Williams - Husband

Debbie Williams - daughter
 Mark Williams - son
 Jennifer Williams - daughter
 Dr. Slaughter
 Mrs. Hilmers
 William Stafford
 Paschal Borden

Places / Businesses

HL& P - father's employer
 Sta-Mo - subdivision in Stafford
 Southwestern Bell
 First national Bank of Stafford
 Stafford Municipal School District
 Sharpstown
 Roark Road
 Dairy Queen in Sugar Land
 William Stafford Cemetery

Events

Writing book on Stafford