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Unknown family from Värmland

This picture was taken in Karlstad, Värmland, by Alma Carlson, Photographer - probably around 1900.

It was with the photos of my grandmother Kristina Persdotter (b. Jan 1876 in Dalby, Värmland) and may be of her first husband's family. He was Julius Albin Ullman, b. 1 March 1873 in Karlstad. Married 20 May 1899 in Karlstad. He died 29 May 1901 in Karlstad.

My relatives in Dalby do not recognize any of the individuals in this photo.

Any information would be greatly appreciated.

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Editor's note: According to the Swedish National Index of Photographers (*Nationella fotografregistret*) Alma's real name was Alma Carlzon, born in 1868 in Gryt (E), died 1956 in Karlstad. Several pictures taken by her in Karlstad are known.



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A picture from Montana in 1946

My father was a mining engineer in Sweden. When World War II ended he and a friend, also a mining engineer, left Göteborg on 8 April 1946 on the first ship available to the general public from Sweden to the U.S., the *S/S Drottningholm*.

My father and his friend spent the next four months travelling all over the U.S., studying new techniques for mining, but he also had time to visit with relatives in Upper Michigan.

I suppose he took photos, but what is now left are postcards like this one.

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