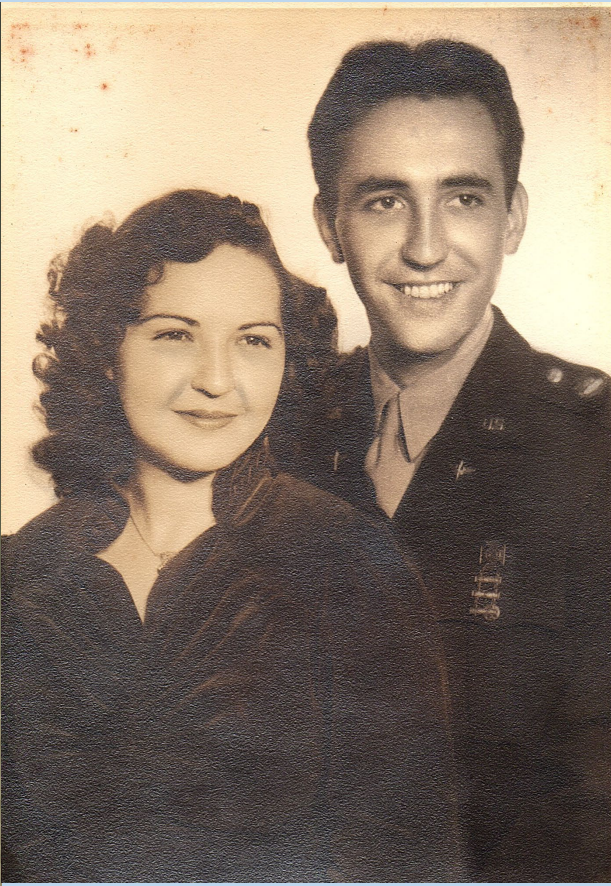


Kenneth Baumgardner over the years (not in chronological order)



Charlie's Memories

Kenneth commuted to Western Maryland College (now McDaniel College) from Taneytown while studying voice at the Peabody Music Conservatory in Baltimore City.

He was good friends with Miss Akehurst, one the "arty crowd at Peabody". She would become his daughter Kenille's Godmother. Miss Akehurst was related to Aurelia Lloyd who worked for and later married George Baumgardner.

Upon his return home with a serious war injury, his brother George, always interested in the medical side of things, asked to examine the wound in his treatment room. According to Kenneth, George said "**Hell Ken, they almost shot off your whole damn ass**"

Aunt Elizabeth was "smart as a whip" and quite witty. **She had "the prettiest legs" Charles had ever seen.**

She taught Elementary School in Essex ,Maryland and later on Reisterstown Road. Charles helped her move from her apartment in Essex to one on Reisterstown Road. This was while Kenneth was away in the Army.

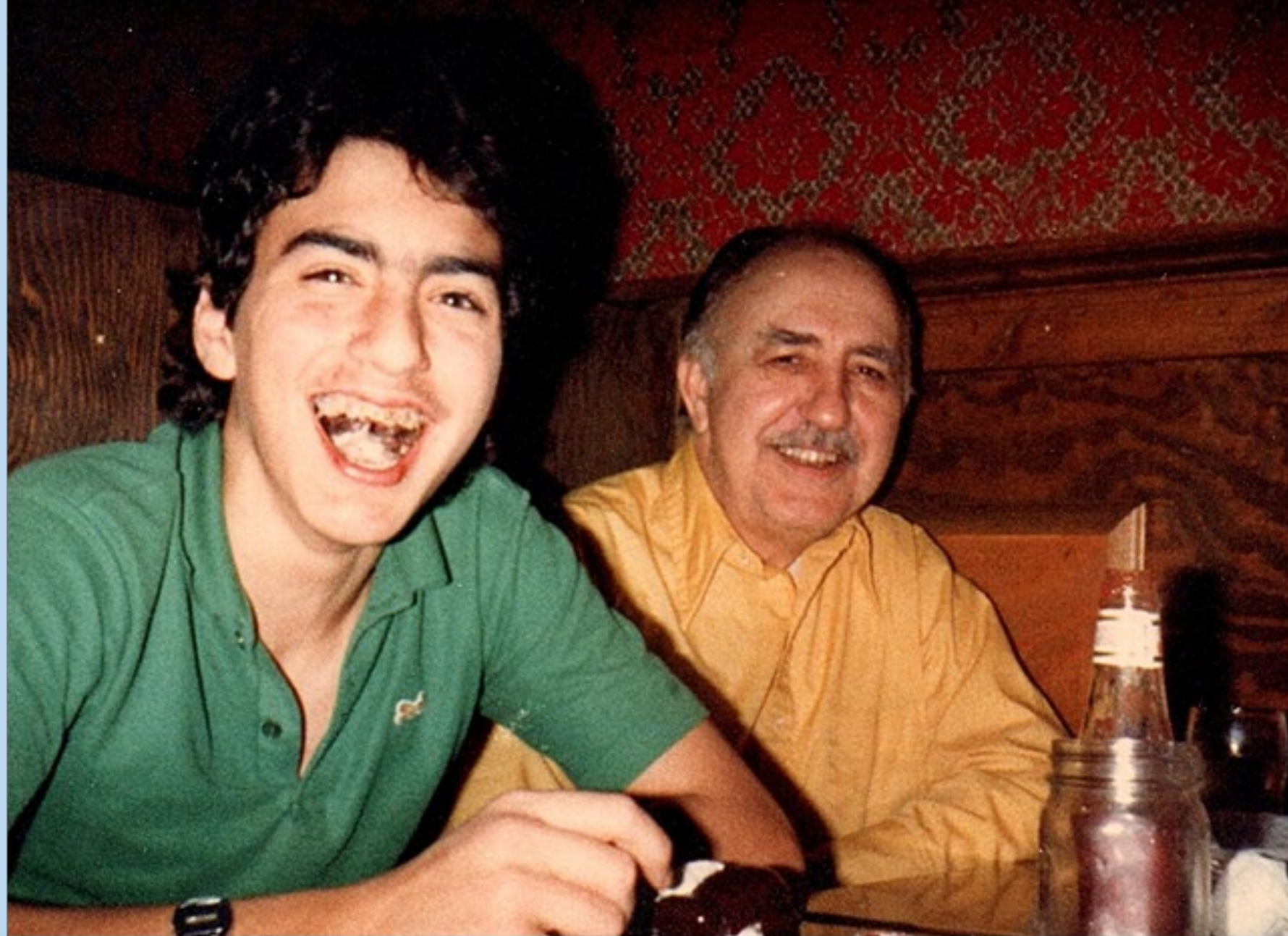


Nancy St. Kenneth
Baumgardner





The picture of Mother was in Daddy's wallet when he died--- probably always there. On the back it says-Please return to Lt. Baumgardner.



Branson and "Baumpa"



Daddy's 80th birthday. John, Branson, Elizabeth, Allen, Darrel, Daddy, Kenille, Mathew, Dennis Marth, Alana Vivian









1999
Ken's Triumphant
Return
to
Taneytown





Kenneth, Elizabeth, Darrel and Kenille. Pampa, Texas, 1952



The glamorous Shirley Elizabeth Gibson Baumgardner in her 30's



The master of disguise, Shirley Elizabeth Gibson Baumgardner in her 60's





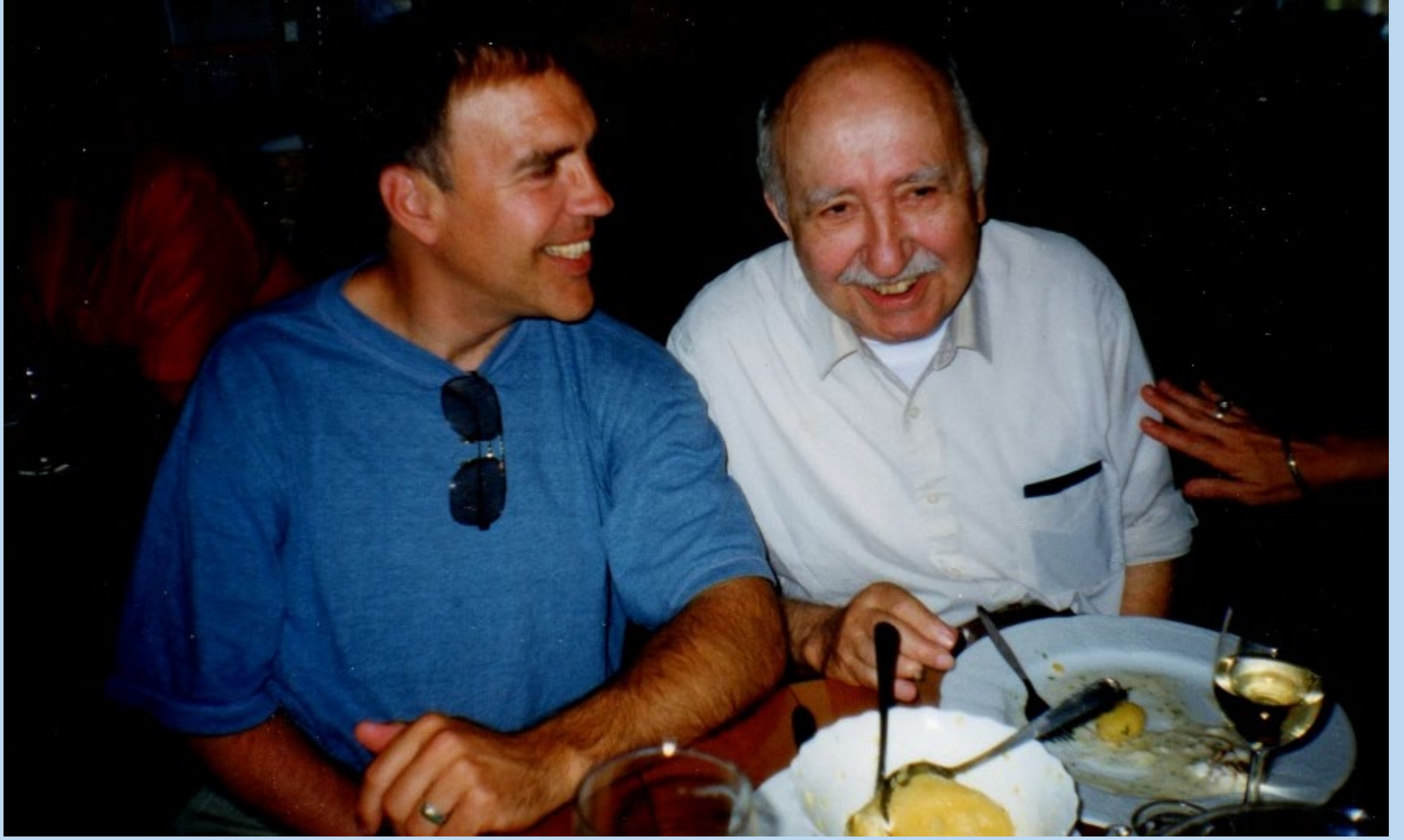


Elizabeth talking to Graciela, Darrel's future wife (unbeknownst to anyone at that time) in Hawaii in 1985. Graciela was grad student.











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