

**ELLA CAYWOOD BROUGHTON, North High Class of 1959**



My Father moved our family from Platteville Colorado to Denver so that my Dad could find work. My Dad was a Carpenter and my Mother was a Nurse. We lived with relatives (my Dad's sister) on Gilpin street and then to 49<sup>th</sup> and Stuart. Our family then moved to a house at 4244 Stuart Street in 1945 and my family lived there until 1975.

My Dad and Mom raised ten children (six boys & four girls) and I was the third to the youngest. By the time the family moved to the house on Stuart my oldest sister (Aloyse) and my oldest brother (Del) were out on their own. Aloyse went into the Army and Del into the Navy.

All of my brothers were in the Navy except for the youngest (Dick) who went with the Air Force. None of the rest of us girls joined the Military.

We attended Alcott Elementary School and the school building burned down in the mid sixties or seventies (not sure when) and was never rebuilt. Skinner was our junior high and from there on to North High. “