

Roman Joseph Bykowski and Antoinette Agnes Murzynowicz

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Roman J. Bykowski was born on July 23, 1908 in Czarnotka within the Piotrkow Kujawski Catholic Parish in the Kuyavian-Pomeranian Voivodeship of north-central Poland. His parents were Joseph Bykowski and Margaret Piotrowski. He was baptized at the church located in Piotrkow Kujawski. Roman's middle name of Joseph is attributed to both his father and maternal grandfather. Joseph Bykowski traveled to Chicago, IL shortly after Roman's birth. Margaret (Piotrowski) Bykowski and Roman stayed with her parents in the nearby Witowo parish where the Piotrowski family lived. Joseph joined his brother-in-law Felix Piotrowski in the Bucktown neighborhood of Chicago and arrived during the Christmas holiday. Margaret and her son Roman traveled to Chicago in 1911 when Roman was three years old. Margaret's sister Charlotte Piotrowski traveled with them and lived with the Bykowski family until her own marriage. Joseph Bykowski owned and ran a neighborhood grocery store on Hoyne and Charleston during the 1910s and 1920s through Roman's early adulthood. The family lived in a few different locations, but are most associated with their residence in the same building as the grocery store at 2100 N. Hoyne and an apartment building at 1852 N. Damen, both in Bucktown. The family were parishioners of St. Hedwig Catholic Church on Damen and Hoyne in the same neighborhood.

Antoinette A. Murzynowicz was born on June 13, 1912 in Chicago while the family lived at 1214 N. Noble in the Pulaski Park neighborhood. She was the daughter of Frank Murzyn and Rose Sidor. Antoinette's parents had lived in Żubronajcie, a village within the Krasnopol Catholic Parish in the Podlaskie Voivodeship of north-eastern Poland. Antoinette's middle name of Agnes is attributed to her maternal grandmother. Prior to Antoinette's birth, the entire Murzyn family traveled back and forth between Żubronajcie and Chicago with children born and passed away in both locations. Frank Murzyn and his two brothers Adam and Walter were the first to travel to Chicago starting around 1898. Upon their arrival in Chicago, the brothers interchanged their last name between Murzynowicz and Marynowski. Frank's mother Josephine and two sisters Ursula and Emily also settled in Chicago. The entire Murzyn family lived near St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church in Pulaski Park where Antoinette was baptized. Rose (Sidor) Murzyn's sister Anna Sidor and brother Michael Sidor also settled in Chicago. Antoinette's father formally changed his surname to Marynowski upon naturalization in 1925. Members of the family, especially Antoinette, continued using the surname Murzynowicz through the 1940s. The Murzynowicz/Marynowski family lived in several apartments in the Pulaski Park, Bucktown, and Wicker Park neighborhoods while Antoinette was growing up, but are most associated with the double lot they owned at 1625-27 N. Honore (Wicker Park).

Roman Bykowski and Antoinette Murzynowicz were married on June 13, 1936. The wedding took place at St. Stanislaus Kostka on Antoinette's 24th birthday Roman was 27 years old. They met when Antoinette was visiting her married sister Adela's apartment near Paulina and Milwaukee in Wicker Park. Roman was visiting friends at the tavern across the street known as "Little Lady". Their first home after the wedding was at 946 N. Winchester in the East Village neighborhood of Chicago. The two-flat was owned by Antoinette's unmarried aunt Anna Sidor and was a focal point of several of Antoinette's siblings. Her sister Adela later lived next door. The Bykowski family remained at 946 N. Winchester until after Anna Sidor's death in 1961. Antoinette was one of her aunt's heirs with regard to ownership of the building when it was sold in 1963.

Roman and Antoinette Bykowski had three children. Their youngest, a daughter, Betty A. Bykowski married Michael M. Byczek in 1974 at St. Helen's in the Ukrainian Village neighborhood of Chicago. They are Michael E. Byczek's parents.

Roman Bykowski was naturalized as an American citizen in 1942. He worked as a die setter and punch press operator for most of his career. The company where he worked, from at least 1940 through retirement, was Jefferson Electric (part of Litton Industries) located in Bellwood, IL. Federal documents from 1940 listed his job as a punch press operator for electrical products at Jefferson Electric. Family memories are that Roman received a World War II draft deferment through his employment because the work was essential to the economy. The 1950 census listed his employment as a die setter for an electric appliance manufacturer. Roman's exact employment prior to 1940 is not known, but he spent time helping in the family grocery store early in his career.

Antoinette Murzynowicz helped her mother clean private residences on the north side of Chicago early in her career. The 1930 census listed her as a laborer at a print shop. She is best remembered as working at Goldblatt's Department Store on Chicago and Ashland (West Town neighborhood). Antoinette worked as a candy sales clerk at the store from about 1955-1977.

Roman and Antoinette Bykowski purchased a single family home at 3541 W. Hirsch in 1963 in the Humboldt Park neighborhood of Chicago. It was still the Bykowski family home when Roman passed away on 3/15/1983 at the age of 74 years old. Roman's funeral was held at St. Helen's on Augusta and Oakley in the Ukrainian Village neighborhood, which was the family's primary church. Antoinette sold the house on Hirsch shortly after her husband's death. She spent about 20 years living in a 2nd floor apartment at 3406 N. Natchez in the Dunning neighborhood. Antoinette then spent the next several years living with her oldest daughter in Bolingbrook and the final years in assisted living at a facility in Itasca, IL near her son's residence. Antoinette passed away on 11/8/2006 in Itasca. She was 94 years old. Her funeral was held at St. Cornelius in the Jefferson Park neighborhood.

Roman and Antoinette Bykowski are buried next to each other at St. Adalbert's Catholic Cemetery in Niles, IL. Both of their parents along with Antoinette's grandmother Josephine (Muracki) Marynowski are also buried at St. Adalbert's.

Каринотки, деревня в 10 км от Пиотrkовъ, прихода нашего. Днажды въ 10 ч.
 10/Мар. на крестинахъ въ съмнѣ въ съмнѣ
 упиръ. Отецъ именемъ Йозефа Сыкоста (Йозефъ Bykowski) днажды въ съмнѣ
 именемъ отъ Родъ, родомъ изъ Краковъ, прихода въ съмнѣ
 и Сыкоста въ Краковъ. прихода въ съмнѣ именемъ отъ Родъ.
 однажды Красинскъ прихода въ съмнѣ въ деревнѣ Каринотки, и при
 явилъ именемъ падческа именемъ именемъ
 именемъ въ деревнѣ Каринотки. Дедушка: й. днажды въ съмнѣ
 и 10/Мар. на крестинахъ въ съмнѣ по именемъ отъ за
 боромъ именемъ Мария Франтишкъ, прихода въ Краковъ.
 (Margareta Piotrowska) днажды въ съмнѣ именемъ отъ Родильни
 въ деревнѣ при Каринотки Красинскъ совершилъ именемъ
 именемъ Романъ (Roman) и въ крестини крестилъ именемъ
 Сидни, и въ крестини Красинскъ. Именемъ съмнѣ однажды въ съмнѣ и при
 явилъ именемъ крестини именемъ именемъ. Именемъ съмнѣ именемъ
 Красинскъ, именемъ Романъ, именемъ Сидни, именемъ Красинскъ
 именемъ Красинскъ

1908 Baptism for Roman Bykowski
 Czarnotki (Piotrkow Kujawski Parish)
 Godmother is Charlotte Piotrowski (Margaret's sister)

Czarnotki
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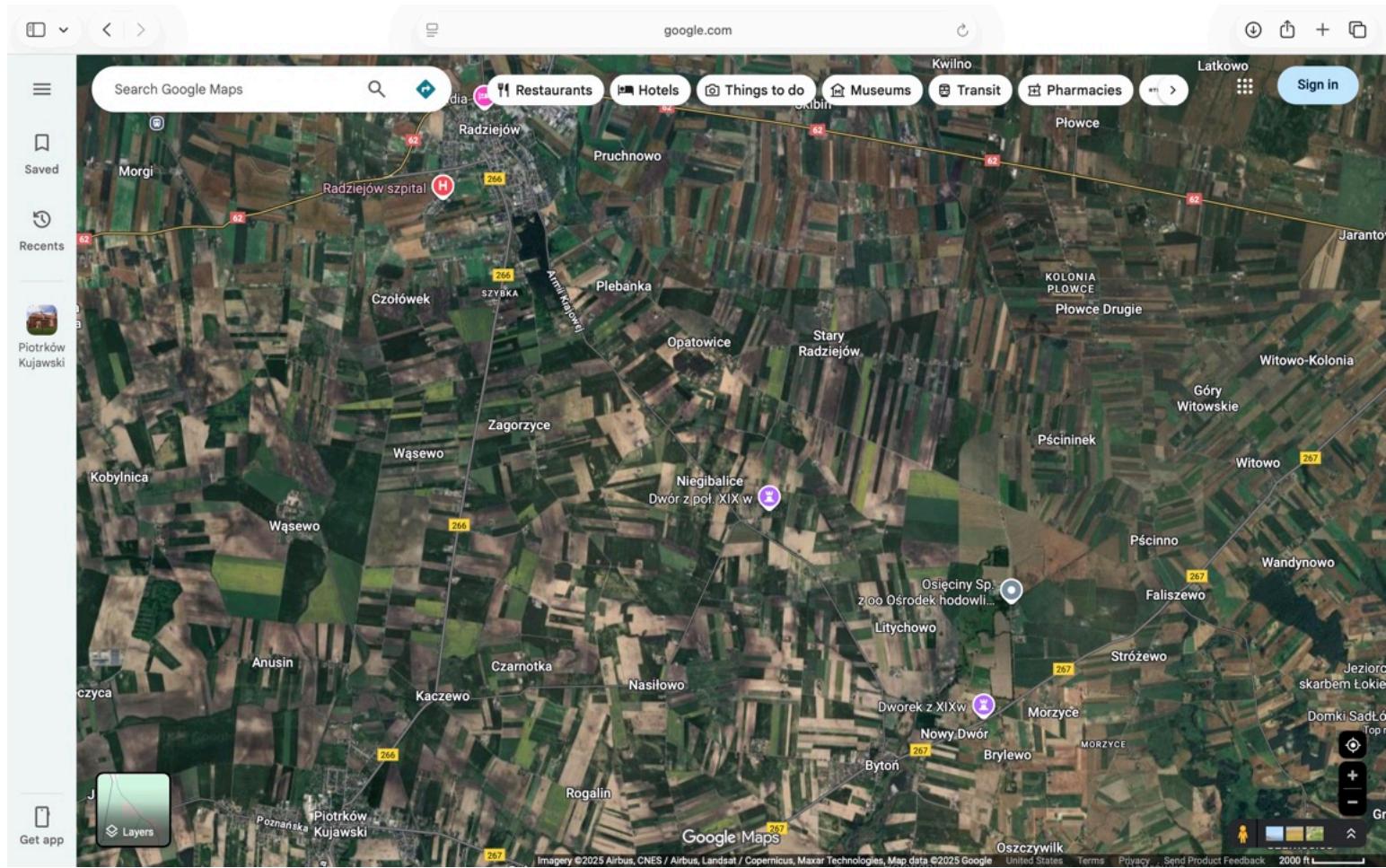
It happened in Piotrków on the 13th/26th day of July 1908 at 1 a.m. Appeared in person Józef Bykoski, 27 years old, worker living in the village Czarnotki in the presence of Józef Mańkoski, 52 years old and Stanisław Gardyz, 35 years old, both peasants living in the village Czarnotki and presented Us a male child informing that the child was born in the village Czarnotki on the 10th/23rd day of July of the current year at 2 p.m. with his legal wife Małgorzata nee Piotroska, 21 years old.

At The Holy Baptism held today the child was given the name Roman and the godparents were Michał Sobczak and Władysława Piotroska.

This act was read aloud to the declarant and witnesses, all illiterate and signed only by us.

priest signature, Piotrków parish administrator, serving as Civil Registrar.

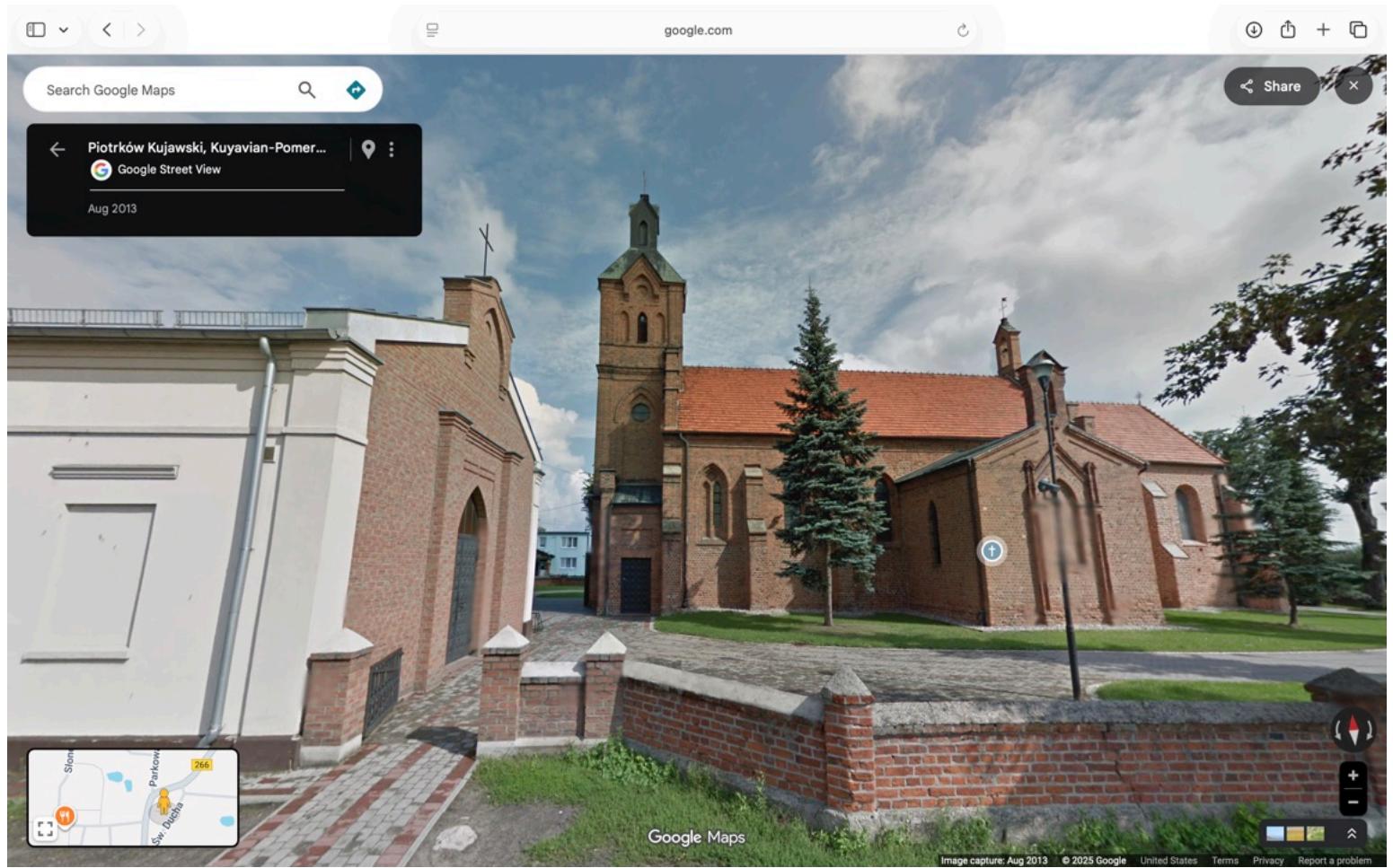
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Czarnotka is in the lower left portion of the image with Piotrkow Kujawski along the bottom near the left corner.

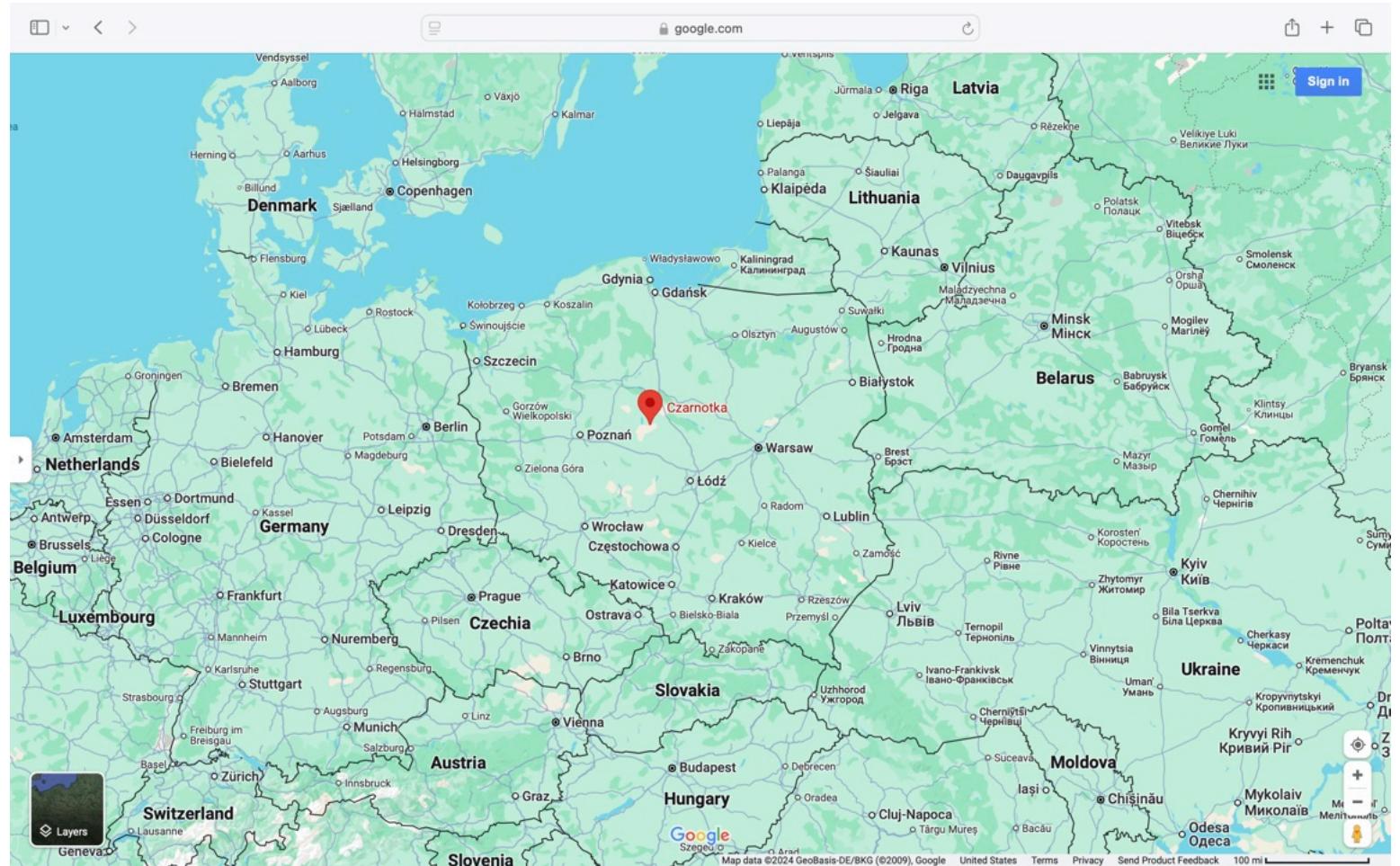
Roman's father lived in Niegibalice (center of image)
with the church located in Byton (just right of bottom mid-point) at the time of his marriage in 1907.

Roman's mother was born in Opatowice (just above Niegibalice) and baptized at Radziejow (right of the top left center). Margaret lived in Pscinno (mid right edge) in 1907 when they were married at the church in Witowo (just right of Pscinno).



Present-day Catholic Church in Piotrkow Kujawski
Source: Google Maps Street View

It appears that this is the church where Roman was baptized, versus newer construction



Czarnotka

The Holy Sacrament of Baptism



This is to certify that ANTOINETTE AGNES MURZYNOWICZ

Child of FRANK MURZYNOWICZ & ROSE SIDOR

Born in CHICAGO, IL on JUNE 13, 1912

Was baptized on JUNE 16, 1912 in the Church of
ST. STANISLAUS KOSTKA, CHICAGO, IL 60642

By Reverend F. REPINSKI C.R.

Sponsors were ADAM MARYNOWSKI and GENEVIEVE SIDOR

as recorded in the Baptismal Register of this Church.

Pastor FR. ANTHONY BUŚ, C.R. Date MARCH 21, 2022

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Matthew 28:19

1912 Baptism of Antoinette Murzynowicz

St. Stanislaus Kostka (Chicago, IL)

(Original has not been digitalized or made publicly accessible yet)

Godparents were Adam Marynowski (Frank's brother) and Genevieve Sidor (Rose's niece)



St. Stanislaus Kostka Church (Pulaski Park - Chicago, IL)
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Selected Murzynowicz/Marynowski Family Events:

- 1912 - Antoinette Murzynowicz baptism
- 1931 - Josephine (Muracki) Marynowski's funeral (paternal grandmother)
- 1936 - Antoinette Murzynowicz and Roman Bykowski's marriage
- 1943 - Frank Murzyn/Marynowski's funeral (Antoinette's father)
- 1949 - Betty A. Bykowski's baptism (daughter)
- 1954 - Rose (Sidor) Marynowski's funeral (Antoinette's mother)
- mid/late-1960s - Betty A. Bykowski High School and Graduation

State of Illinois
COOK COUNTY.

Marriage License

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To any Person Legally Authorized to Solemnize Marriage.

GREETING:

Marriage may be Celebrated, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois,

between Mr. Roman Bykowski of Chicago, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, of the age of 27 years, and Miss Antoinette Murzynowicz of Chicago, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, of the age of 23 years.

Witness, Michael J. Flynn, County Clerk of the County of Cook and the Seal thereof,
at my office in Chicago, this 23 day of May, A. D. 1936

Michael J. Flynn County Clerk.

The Person who Solemnizes Marriage is cautioned against making any changes in this License.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF COOK. }

I, Rev. Joseph A. Bednarek, C.P. (NAME OF PERSON OFFICIATING)

a Roman Catholic Priest

hereby certify that Mr. Roman Bykowski and Miss Antoinette Murzynowicz (OFFICIAL TITLE)
were united in Marriage by me at St. Stanislaus K. Church in the County of Cook and State of Illinois,
on the 13th day of June, 1936.

Rev. Joseph A. Bednarek, C.P. (SIGNATURE AND OFFICIAL TITLE)

Address

1351 Ingraham St. Chicago Ill.

(The Names in this certificate must
be identical with Names in above License)

N. B.—This License, with certificate of marriage properly made, must (within 30 days) be returned to the COUNTY CLERK, by the person who performed the marriage ceremony.

Marriage License

Certificate of Marriage

Church of

SAINT STANISLAUS KOSTKA PARISH *the SANCTUARY of THE DIVINE MERCY*

This is to certify

That Byrowski Roman & Antoinette Murzynowicz

were lawfully married

on the 13th Day of June in the year 1936

According to the Rite of the Roman Catholic Church
and in conformity with the laws of

the State of Illinois

Rev. Fr. Josef Bednarek, C.R. officiating

in the presence of John Orloff

and Louise Brzostowski Witnesses

as appears from the Marriage Register of this Church.

Dated March 30, 2022

Fr. Anthony Buś, C.R.

Pastor



Church Marriage Record - St. Stanislaus Kostka
Antoinette's married sister Louise was a witness

Death

Selected documents are described below.

605549

DECEDENT'S NAME NO.	REGISTRATION DISTRICT NO. 16.10	STATE OF ILLINOIS				STATE FILE NUMBER	
REGISTERED NUMBER	MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH						
DECEASED NAME		FIRST Roman	MIDDLE J.	LAST Bykowski	SEX Male	DATE OF DEATH March 15, 1983	
PLACE OF BIRTH: NATION OR COUNTRY OF DESCENT INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY)		DATE OF BIRTH: MONTH, DAY, YEAR July 23, 1908	DATE OF BIRTH: MONTH, DAY, YEAR			COUNTY OF DEATH Cook	
CITY, TOWN, TOWNSHIP, OR ROAD DISTRICT BORN IN		HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION			IF HOSP. OR INST. IN WHICH DIED OF EMER. EM. INPATIENTS (SPECIFY)		
Chicago		St. Mary of Nazareth Hospital			Innatient		
STATE OF BIRTH: NATION OR COUNTRY CITY, TOWN, TOWNSHIP, OR ROAD DISTRICT BORN IN		CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY U.S.A.		MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) Married		NAME OF SURVIVING SPOUSE (MAIDEN NAME, IF WIFE) Antoinette Marynowski	
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 344 05 0271		USUAL OCCUPATION Machinist		TYPE OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Electric Co.		WAS DECEASED EVER IN US ARMED FORCES? (SPECIFY) YES OR NO NO	
RESIDENCE STREET AND NUMBER 3541 W Hirsch		CITY, TOWN, TOWNSHIP, OR ROAD DISTRICT NO. Chicago		CITY, TOWN, TOWNSHIP, OR ROAD DISTRICT NO. Chicago		WARS OR DATES OF SERVICE none	
FATHER - NAME Joseph		MOTHER - MAREN NAME Piotrowski, Margaret		CITY, TOWN, TOWNSHIP, OR ROAD DISTRICT NO. Cook		STATE Illinois	
TYPE OF PARENTS S. Chamula		RELATIONSHIP Hos. Rec'd.		MAILING ADDRESS 2233 W. Division Chicago, Ill. 60622		APPROXIMATE MILEAGE BETWEEN DECEASED AND MATERIAL	
DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: Heart Failure		ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (10, 11, AND 12)					
PART I: IMMEDIATE CAUSE Sepsis							
CONDITIONS, IF ANY, WHICH GAVE RISE TO IMMEDIATE CAUSE (EX- CLUDING THE UNDER- LYING CAUSE LAST).							
PART II: OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS (CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I)							
Pulmonary Emboli Azotemia, Aspiratory Pneumonia							
DATE OF OPERATION, IF ANY 200		MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION				AUTOPSY 1. YES No 2. NO Yes	
IF PRACTICIAN DID NOT ATTEND THE DECEASED AND LAST SAW HIM/HER ALIVE ON March 15, 1983		MONTH, DAY, YEAR		WAS CORONER OR MEDICAL EXAMINER NOTIFIED? (SPECIFY NAME OR NO.) No		HOUR OF DEATH 10:10 P.M.	
TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, DEATH OCCURRED AT THE TIME, DATE AND PLACE AND DUE TO THE CAUSES STATED.						DATE SIGNED (MO., DAY, YR.) MARCH 16, 1983	
22a. SIGNATURE H. Farahvar M.D.		NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER 2036 N Western ave. Chicago 11 60647				ILLINOIS LICENSE NUMBER 36-53620	
NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER (TYPE OR PRINT)						NOTE: IF AN INJURY WAS INVOLVED IN THIS DEATH THE CORONER OR MEDICAL EXAMINER MUST BE NOTIFIED	
23. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY) Burial		CEMETERY OR CREMATORIUM—NAME St. Adalbert		LOCATION Niles		CITY OR TOWNSHIP Illinois	
24a. FUNERAL HOME NAME		STREET AND NUMBER OR P.O. B.		CITY OR TOWNSHIP		STATE	
25a. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Clayton M. Byczek						DATE MONTH, DAY, YEAR	
25b. LOCAL REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE Michael E. Byczek						FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S REGISTRATION NUMBER 4310	
26a. DATE REC'D. BY LOCAL REGISTRAR MAR 17 1983						DATE REC'D. BY LOCAL REGISTRAR MONTH, DAY, YEAR	
VR 200 REV. 6/82		ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - OFFICE OF VITAL RECORDS		BASED ON 1970 U.S. STANDARD CERTIFICATE		(14)	

Roman Bykowski Death Certificate



DuPage County Health Department

Central Office

111 North County Farm Road

Wheaton, IL 60187-3988

STATE OF ILLINOIS

STATE FILE
NUMBER

REGISTRATION
DISTRICT NO. **22.0**

REGISTERED
NUMBER

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DECEASED-NAME	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SEX	DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)
1. ANTOINETTE	A.		BYKOWSKI	2. FEMALE	3. NOVEMBER 8, 2006
COUNTY OF DEATH	AGE-LAST BIRTHDAY (YRS)	UNDER 1 YEAR MOS. DAYS	UNDER 1 DAY HOURS MIN.	DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)	
4. DU PAGE	5a. 94	5b. 5c.	5d.	JUNE 13, 1912	
CITY, TOWN, TWP, OR ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER	HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION-NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER)				IS HOSP. OR INST. INDICATE D.O.A. OP/EMER. RM. INPATIENT (SPECIFY)
6a. ITASCA	6b. ARBOR OF ITASCA NURSING HOME				6c. INPATIENT
BIRTHPLACE (CITY AND STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY)	MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY)		NAME OF SURVIVING SPOUSE (MAIDEN NAME, IF WIFE)		WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (YES/NO)
7. CHICAGO, IL	8a. WIDOWED		8b. NONE		9. NO
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	USUAL OCCUPATION		KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY	EDUCATION (SPECIFY ONLY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED)	
10. 335-03-7538	11a. SALES		11b. CANDY	12. 8	College (1-4 or 5+)
RESIDENCE (STREET AND NUMBER)			CITY, TOWN, TWP, OR ROAD DISTRICT NO.	INSIDE CITY (YES/NO)	COUNTY
13a. 852 POPLAR			13b. BOILINGBROOK	13c. YES	13d. WILL
STATE	ZIP CODE	RACE (WHITE, BLACK, AMERICAN INDIAN, etc.) (SPECIFY)	OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (SPECIFY NO OR YES-IF YES, SPECIFY CUBAN, MEXICAN, PUERTO RICAN, etc)		
13e. ILLINOIS	13f. 60440	14a. WHITE			
FATHER-NAME	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	MOTHER-NAME	FIRST MIDDLE (MAIDEN) LAST
15. FRANK			MARYNOWSKI	16. ROSE	SIDOR
INFORMANT'S NAME (TYPE OR PRINT)	RELATIONSHIP		MAILING ADDRESS (STREET AND NO. OR R.F.D., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)		
17a. PAUL BYKOWSKI	17b. SON		17c. 900 N. ROHWLING RD. ADDISON, IL 60101		
18. PART I. Enter the diseases, or complications that caused the death. Do not enter the mode of dying, such as cardiac or respiratory arrest, shock, or heart failure. List only one cause on each line.					
<p>Immediate Cause (Final disease or condition resulting in death) <i>deceased</i></p> <p>(a) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF</p> <p>CONDITIONS, IF ANY WHICH GIVE RISE TO IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST.</p> <p>(b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF</p> <p>(c)</p>					
APPROXIMATE INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH					
PART II. Other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in the underlying cause given in PART I.					
20a.	20b.	AUTOPSY (YES/NO) 19a. NO 19b. INTRACRANIAL FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CRUSA OF DEATH (YES/NO)			
(DID) (DID NOT) ATTEND THE DECEASED (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) <i>10/17/06</i>		IF FEMALE, WAS THERE A PREGNANCY IN PAST THREE MONTHS? 20c. YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HOUR OF DEATH 21c. 10:10 A.M.			
TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, DEATH OCCURRED AT THE TIME, DATE AND PLACE AND DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.					
21a.	21b. YES	DATE SIGNED (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) 22b. 11/9/06 ILLINOIS LICENSE NUMBER 22c. 20036064802			
22a. SIGNATURE <i>Dr. T. Webb</i>	NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER (TYPE OR PRINT) DUPAGE MEDICAL ASSOCIATES 303 WES. LAKE STREET SUITE 206 ADDISON, IL 60101				NOTE: IF AN INJURY WAS INVOLVED IN THE DEATH THE CORONER OR MEDICAL EXAMINER MUST BE NOTIFIED
22c. THOMAS WEBB, M.D.					
23.					
BURIAL Cremation, Removal (SPECIFY)	CEMETERY OR CREMATORIAL-NAME	LOCATION	CITY OR TOWN	STATE	DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)
24a. BURIAL	24b. ST. ADALBERT CEMETERY	24c.	NILES	ILLINOIS	24d. NOV 11, 2006
FUNERAL HOME NAME STREET AND NUMBER OR R.F.D. CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP					
25a. MATLIC & SONS FUNERAL HOME 6000 N. MILWAUKEE AVE. CHICAGO ILLINOIS 60646 FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S ILLINOIS LICENSE NUMBER 25c. 034-011619					
25b. <i>Wesley A. Snyders</i> LOCAL REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE DATE FILED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) 26d. NOV 10 2006					
26e. <i>James T. McHugh</i> Deputy Local Registrar					

VR200 (Rev 5/89) Illinois Department of Public Health - Division of Vital Records (BASED ON 1989 U.S. STANDARD CERTIFICATE)

This is to certify that this is a true and correct copy of the official record filed with the Illinois Department of Public Health.

Not valid without the embossed seal of
DuPage County Health Department

James T. McHugh Local Registrar

Antoinette (Murzynowicz/Marynowski) Bykowski
Death Certificate

Bykowski, Antoinette A.

(nee Marynowski), age 94, beloved wife of the late Roman, loving mother of Paul (Elsie), Rosalie (the late Richard) Kuligowski and Betty (Michael) Byczek, dear grandmother of Rhonda Kuligowski, Cindy (Robert) Morrow, Keith Kuligowski, Michael Byczek, Katie Byczek, Patricia (Cody) Perwoznik and Christine (Thomas) Stopka, dear great-grandmother of Emily, Danielle, Jennifer, Keith, Kayla, Tommy and Veronica. Visitation Friday, 3 to 9 p.m. Funeral Saturday, 9:30 a.m., from Malec & Sons Funeral Home, 6000 N. Milwaukee Ave., to St. Cornelius Church. Mass 10 a.m. Interment St. Adalbert Cemetery. 773-774-4100.

Visit Guest Book at www.suntimes.com



BYKOWSKI

Roman J. Bykowski, beloved husband of Antoinette (nee Marynowski), dear father of Paul (Elsie), Rosalie (Richard) Kuligowski and Betty (Michael) Byczek, grandfather of Rhonda, Cynthia, Keith and Michael, brother of Ann Schanmier and Leonard. Funeral Saturday, March 19, 9:15 from Matz Funeral Home, 3440 N. Central Ave., to St. Helen Church. Mass 10 a.m. Interment St. Adalbert. Visitation Thursday and Friday, 2 to 9 p.m. 545-5420.

Obituaries

Left: Roman Bykowski

Right: Antoinette (Murzynowicz/Marynowski) Bykowski - Chicago Sun-Times (11/10/2006)

Note: Antoinette's obituary includes her son Paul's step-children and their families.



St. Adalbert Cemetery (Niles, IL)
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Flowers placed by their daughter Betty (Bykowski) Byczek



St. Adalbert Cemetery (Niles, IL)
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St. Adalbert Cemetery (Niles, IL)
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In Loving Memory of
Antoinette A. Bykowski
June 13, 1912 - November 8, 2006
Funeral Mass Held at
ST. CORNELIUS CHURCH
Sat., November 11, 2006 10:00 A.M.
Interment
ST. ADALBERT CEMETERY
Grave 6 Lot 2 Block T Section 46



God saw you getting weary,
He did what He thought best;
He put His arms around you
And said, "Come and rest."
He opened up His golden gates
On that heartbreaking day,
And with His arms around you
You gently slipped away.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
You did not go alone;
A part of us went with you
The day God called you home.

Malec & Sons Funeral Home

Mass Card

In Loving Memory of
Roman J. Bykowski
Born July 23, 1908
At Rest March 15, 1983
Funeral Mass
St. Helen Church
Saturday, March 19, 1983
at 10:00 a.m.
Interment
St. Adalbert Cemetery

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May the Angels lead thee into Paradise; may the Martyrs receive thee at thy coming, and take thee to Jerusalem, the holy city. May the choirs of the Angels receive thee, and mayest thou with the once poor Lazarus, have rest everlasting. Amen.

(Roman Ritual)

“We have loved him dearly during life let us not abandon him until we have conducted him by our prayers into the house of the Lord.”

— St. Ambrose

Matz Funeral Home



Mass Card

Deceased

NAME

BYKOWSKI, ROMAN

	BURIAL SPACE	LOT	BLOCK	SECTION
PLACE OF DEATH				
3541 W. Hirsch St. Chgo, Il.	5	2	T	46
AGE 74				
DATE OF INTERMENT 3-19-83				
Fm 2-St.A 15M 2-83 RG				

Roman Bykowski Burial Index Card - St. Adalbert Cemetery (Niles, IL)



Primary Bykowski Family Church
St. Helen's Catholic Church
(Augusta and Oakley - Ukrainian Village neighborhood of Chicago)
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Select Family Events:

1950s-60s: Betty A. Bykowski grammar school and graduation
1974: Marriage of Betty A. Bykowski and Michael M. Byczek
1983: Funeral of Roman J. Bykowski



Original St. Helen's Church and School
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The new church (to the left of the school) was built while the Bykowski family were parishioners

Representative Documents

" Jos	r1325	W Walton
" Jos	gro	2100 N Hoyne av h do
" Jos	mach	r3703 Wrightwood av
" Josephine	tel opr	r4240 S Richmond
" Katie	r8253	Escanaba av
" M A	auto trimr	r2424 Cortez
" Mary	porter	r4204 S Franklin av
" Mary	(wid Ludwig)	h3627 N Keeler av
" Peter	h1044	N Mozart
" Peter	lab	r3703 Wrightwood av
" Roman	r2100	N Hoyne av
" Stanley	driver	r3703 Wrightwood av
"	garden	h1641 N Oakley av

1928 Chicago Directory

Roman Bykowski was listed as living at 2100 N. Hoyne without an occupation

His father Joseph Bykowski was listed as a grocer at the same address

It is unclear whether Roman's status may have been related to the grocery store

SERIAL NUMBER	1. NAME (Print)			ORDER NUMBER
66	Roman (rone) Bykowski			1237
(First)		(Middle)	(Last)	
2. ADDRESS (Print)				
946 N. Winchester		Chicago	Cook	ILLINOIS
(Number and street or R. F. D. number)		(Town)	(County)	(State)
3. TELEPHONE	4. AGE IN YEARS	5. PLACE OF BIRTH	6. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP	
Armitage 8938	32	Poland	Alien	
(Exchange)	(Number)	(Town or county)		
DATE OF BIRTH		(Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)		
July 23 1908				
(Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)		(State or country)		
7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS				
Mrs.		Antoinette - Bykowski		Wife
(Mr., Mrs., Miss)		(First)	(Middle)	(Last)
8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT PERSON				
9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON				
946 N. Winchester		Chicago	Cook	ILLINOIS
(Number and street or R. F. D. number)		(Town)	(County)	(State)
10. EMPLOYER'S NAME				
JEFFERSON ELECTRIC COMPANY				
11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS				
25th Av. & Madison St		Bellwood	Cook	Ill.
(Number and street or R. F. D. number)		(Town)	(County)	(State)
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.				
REGISTRATION CARD D. S. S. Form 1				
(over)				
 170				
 (Registrant's signature)				

World War II Draft Card (Page 1)
Page 2 below

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION
White	<u>5-11</u>		<u>160</u>		Sallow
					Light <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Negro	Blue	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blonde	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ruddy
	Gray		Red		Dark
Oriental	Hazel		Brown		Freckled
	Brown		Black		Light brown
Indian	Black		Gray		Dark brown
			Bald		Black
Filipino					

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification-----

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had
read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that
all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Emilie E. M. Swiggin
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for 11 (Precinct) 26 (Ward) Chicago (City or county) Ill. (State)

Date of registration 10/16/40

Local Board No. 40
Chicago City No 40 61
CHICAGO LOCAL BOARD NO 40 731
859 N. DAMEN AVENUE
CHICAGO 22, ILL. 040
(STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant
shall be placed in the above space.)

CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

16182

Registered No. (Consecutive No.) Hospital

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
County of Cook Registration 3104
Dist. No.

Chicago 3104
(*Township
*Road Dist.
*Village
*City
"Cancel the three terms not applicable—Do not enter "R. R.," "R. P. D.," or other P. O. Address.)
Dist. No.

Street and Number, No. St. Mary of Nazareth Hospital St.

(If birth occurred in hospital or institution, give its name instead of street and number.)

2. RESIDENCE OF MOTHER: (a) STATE Illinois (b) County Cook
(usual place of abode)
(d) Street and Number 946 N. Winchester Ave

3. FULL NAME OF CHILD

Print or type Paul Bykowski

(c) City or Village City
4. Date of birth May 2, 1940
(Month, day, year)

5. Sex of Child Male 6. Twin, Triplet Number in order
or other? of birth
(To be answered only in the event of plural births)

7. Number months of pregnancy 9 mos 8. Is mother married? Yes

9. Full name Roman Bykowski FATHER

10. Full name Antoinette Murzynowicz MOTHER

10. Color or race White 11. Age at time of this birth 31 yrs.

16. Color or race White 17. Age at time of this birth 27 yrs.

12. Birthplace (city or place) Poland
(State or country)

18. Birthplace (city or place) Chicago, Ill
(State or country)

13. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Punch Presser

19. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as housekeeper, typist, nurse, clerk, etc. House work

14. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, sawmill, bank, etc. Jefferson Electric Co

20. Industry or business in which work was done, as own home, lawyer's office, silk mill, etc. Own home

21. Children born to this mother

22. Mother's mailing address for registration notice:

(a) How many other children of this mother are now living? 0
(b) How many other children were born alive but are now dead? 0
(c) How many children were born dead? 0

946 N. Winchester Ave

23. What treatment was given child's eyes at birth?

Silver Nitrate 170

23. I hereby certify that I attended at the birth of this child which was BORN ALIVE at 5:00 P.M. on the date stated above.

Signature Edwin J. Karszewski Physician
Address 1238 N. Wells Midwife
Phone Brug 986

24. Date Filed MAY 14 1940

25. Signature Harold R. Sundstrom

Registrar

Post Office Address

26. (a) Was a blood test for Syphilis made upon the mother of this child? Yes

(b) Date blood specimen was taken 1-5-40

(c) Name of Laboratory making the test Ill. N.D.

NOTE: Result of the test must not be stated on this certificate.

Paul Bykowski Birth Certificate - 1940
Antonette's maiden name was written as Murzynowicz, not Marynowski

Naturalization

Representative documents are described below.

Refer to the Joseph Bykowski and Margaret Piotrowski documentary for passenger lists for Roman Bykowski's arrival at Ellis Island (New York) in 1911 and departure from Hamburg (Germany).

1940 Alien Registration

9/28/1940

Naturalization

Petition: 8/26/1941

Date of Naturalization: 1/20/1942

2840060

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

ALIEN REGISTRATION FORM

1. (a) My name is Roman
PRINT NAME

Bykowski
PRINT NAME

OFFICE
USE

(b) I entered the United States under the name of

Roman Bykowski

(c) I have also been known by the following names
(include maiden name if a married woman,
professional names, nicknames, and aliases)

Sonja

2. (a) I live at 946 N. Winchester Ave. Chicago Cook Illinois
ADDRESS CITY STATE

(b) My post-office address is 1808
ADDRESS

STATE

(c) I was born on July 23
MONTH DAY YEAR

1908

(d) I was born ~~near~~ Warsaw
PLACE

Poland

country

(e) I am a citizen or subject of None. I act a citizen of Poland.
COUNTRY

5. (a) I am a (check one):

Male Female

(b) My marital status is (check one):

Single Married Widowed Divorced

(c) My race is (check one): White Negro Japanese Chinese Other

6. I am 5 feet 11 inches in height, weight 160 pounds, have blonde hair and blue eyes.

7. (a) I last arrived in the United States at New York, N.Y. on 1911
PLACE MONTH AND YEAR

(b) I came in by S.S. Unknown (port also unknown)

8. (a) I came as a (check one): Passenger Crew member Showman Other

(b) I entered the United States as a (check one): Permanent resident Visitor Student Treasury merchant Seaman Official of a foreign government Employee of a foreign government official Other

9. (a) I first arrived in the United States on 1911
MONTH YEAR

8. (a) I have lived in the United States a total of 29 years.

(b) I expect to remain in the United States permanently

9. (a) My usual occupation is Punch Press Operator (b) My present occupation is Punch Press Operator

10. (a) My employer (or registering parent or guardian) is Jefferson Electric Co.

whose address is 255 W Madison St., Bellwood, Illinois

and whose business is making electrical products

All names must be answered by persons 14 years of age and older. For children under 14 years of age, only the names marked with a star may be answered by the parent or guardian. All answers must be legible and complete.

10. I have not been used within the past 5 years, or intend to be engaged in the following activities.
11. In addition to other information, list memberships or activities in clubs, organizations, or societies

None

OFFICE
LBB

12. My military or naval service has been None

13. I have not applied for first citizenship papers in the United States. Date of application —

First citizenship papers received None

Filed petition for naturalization None

14. I have the following specified relatives living in the United States:

Person(s) both Husband or wife yes Children 1
NAME, MIDDLE, OR INITIALS NAME, MIDDLE, OR INITIALS NAME, MIDDLE, OR INITIALS

15. I have not been arrested or indicted for, or convicted of any offense (or offenses). These offenses are:

NAME, MIDDLE, OR INITIALS DATE OF ARREST PLACE OF ARREST DISPOSITION OF CASE

16. Within the past 5 years I have not been affiliated with or active in (a member of, official of, a worker for organizations, devoted in whole or in part to influencing or furthering the political activities, public relations, or public policy of a foreign government

AFFIDAVIT FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER

I have read or have had read to me the above statements, and do hereby swear (or affirm) that these statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me at the place and on the date here designated by the official post-office stamp below.

Roman Bykowski
Signature of affiant

Henry J. Schlesinger
Signature of official

AFFIDAVIT FOR PARENT OR GUARDIAN ONLY

PRINT NAME, ADDRESS, AND BUSINESS OF PERSON SIGNING THIS AFFIDAVIT IN 8(e).

I, the undersigned, do hereby swear to the truth of the above statement.

The above named alien, who is 1928 to 1938 in Russia and now in U.S.A., I have read or have had the above allegations read to me, and do hereby swear (or affirm) that they are true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

I, the undersigned, and wish to (or affirm) before me at the place and on the date here designated by the official post-office stamp at the right:



Roman Bykowski - 1940 Alien Registration (Page 2/2)

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

The following witnesses, each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, depose and say:

My name is LEONARD T. MOORE my occupation is box mfr.
I reside at 6304 School St., Chicago, Ill. (City or Town) (State)

My name is JOHN OSLOCKA my occupation is DIE SETTER
I reside at 2225 W. Iowa St. Chicago, Illinois (City or Town) (State)

I am a citizen of the United States of America; I have personally known and have been acquainted in the United States with ROMAN BYKOWSKI
(Month) (Day) (Year)
the petitioner named in the petition for naturalization of which this affidavit is a part, since Jan. 1, 1935

to my personal knowledge the petitioner has resided, immediately preceding the date of filing this petition, in the United States continuously since the date last mentioned, and I have personal knowledge that the petitioner is now and during all such period has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and in my opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

I do swear (affirm) that the statements of fact I have made in this affidavit of this petition for naturalization subscribed by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief: SO HELP ME GOD.

[Signature of witness] *[Signature of witness]*
Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses, in the respective forms of oath shown in said petition and affidavit, in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Chicago, Ill., this 26 day of August, Anno Domini 1941. I hereby certify that Certificate of Arrival No. 115 11-303785 from the Immigration and Naturalization Service, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

er HOYT KING

[Signature of Clerk] *[Signature of Deputy Clerk]* [SEAL]
By Mayrice Showerman Deputy Clerk.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Roman Bykowski
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this JAN 20 1942, day of 1942, A. D. 19

Clerk.

By

Deputy Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title or order of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is signed: "I further renounce the title of (give title or titles) which I have heretofore held," or "I further renounce the order of nobility (give the order of nobility) to which I have heretofore belonged."

Petition granted: Line No. 33 of List No. 5176 and Certificate No. 5509718 issued.

Petition denied: List No.

Petition continued from to Reason

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 610-19460

DUPLICATE

100-1 Form 1940-6

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O P E R A T I O N C O V E R U P

Written in 237982



No. 100-1

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Personal description of holder and date of naturalization: Age 35 years, sex male, color white, complexion light, eyes light blue, hair blonde, height 5 feet 11 inches, weight 180 pounds, visible distinctive marks None. Marital status Married. Former nationality Polish.

I certify that the description above given is true and that the photograph affixed hereto is a likeness of me.



Roman Bykowski

Signature

Roman Bykowski
Signature of the holder
Stamp and true signature of holder

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

It is known that at a time of the District Court
The United States

held pursuant to law at Chicago
on January 20, 1942, the undersigned found that

ROMAN BYKOWSKI, then residing at 946 N. Winchester Avenue, Chicago, entered to reside permanently in the United States, who is required by the Constitution and laws of the United States, shall in all the respects required with the applicable provisions of such naturalization laws, and are entitled to be admitted to citizenship, through a court that such persons and others are admitted as citizens of the United States of America.

In testimony whereof the seal of the court hereunto affixed the 20th day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty two, and

forty-two, and for the better security of the same, and

sixty-sixth

*U. S. District Court
Chicago, Ill.*
Seal of the U. S. District Court
Chicago, Ill.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

For a violation of the 1940 and
punishable as such to copy, print, photograph
or otherwise display in the English

Roman Bykowski - 1942 Certificate of Naturalization

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 11-303785

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Bykowska, Roman
Port of entry: New York, N. Y.
Date: December 1, 1911
Manner of arrival: SS Patricia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

May 23, 1941

(Date)

Roman Bykowska

District Director of Immigration and Naturalization.

By

Form 160-Im. (N.Y.)

Roman Bykowska - Certificate of Arrival

No. 5509718

Name BYKOWSKI, Roman

residing at 946 N. Winchester Avenue,

Age 33 years. Date of order of admission

Date certificate issued JAN 20 1942 by the

U. S. District Court at Chicago, Illinois

Petition No. 237982

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Roman Bykowski
(Complete and true signature of holder)

Roman Bykowski - Naturalization Index Card

Census

1940: 946 N. Winchester

1950: 946 N. Winchester

1940 Census

State ILLINOIS Incorporated place CHICAGO Ward of city 26 Unincorporated place None Block No. 13 Institution None

Form 101, as required by Act of Congress. This act makes it unlawful for the Bureau to disclose any information obtained under this census. Any information given will be held in confidence. Any information given will be held in confidence.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE—BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

SIXTEENTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1940

S. D. No. 8 E. D. No. 103-1648Sheet No. 7 BEnumerated by me on APRIL 1-1940

Signature of Enumerator

KAROLEWSKI-ANTHONY - S

POPULATION SCHEDULE

PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER—EMPLOYMENT STATUS

LOCATION	NAME	RELATION	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION	EDUCATION	PLACE OF BIRTH	CITY	MIDWEST, APRIL 1, 1940												OCCUPATION, INDUSTRY, AND CLAS OF WORK	INDUSTRY, OCCUPATION, AND CLAS OF WORK	OCCUPATION, INDUSTRY, AND CLAS OF WORK																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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State ILLINOIS
County COOK

Incorporated place chICAgO

Ward of city .. 26

Unincorporated place _____
(Name of unincorporated place having 100 or more inhabitants)

**Township or other
division of county**

Block Nos. 13

Institution _____

52		HILLARD	SON	L M W 18 S YES	M SKO	ILLINOIS	61	SAME-PLACE	ND	XERO	
53		BAJKOWSKI-RONAY	HEAD	O M W 32 M	NOH 9	ILLINOIS	61	SAME-PLACE	ND	XERO	
54		ANTONETTE	WIFE	F W 27 M	NO 7 7	ILLINOIS	61	SAME-PLACE	ND	XERO	
55	READ	946 1510 1000 10	SIDOR-ANNE	HEAD	O F W 25 S	NO 1 1	POLAND	13 21	SAME-HOUSE		
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE—BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

S. D. No. 8

E. D. No. 103-1658

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CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1940

Enumerated by me on APRIL 10, 1940.

Sheet No. 7 B

POPULATION SCHEDULE

KAROLEWSKI-ANTHONY-S

Enumerator.

PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER—EMPLOYMENT STATUS											
In	Out	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102
Was able to work (Col. 8)	Indicate whether engaged in housework (Col. 9)	Indicate whether engaged in school (Col. 10)	Number of hours worked in week of April 12-18, 1940	Duration of unemployment in weeks	Industry or business, as—	(Leave blank)	Number of weeks worked in week of April 12-18, 1940	Amount of money earned in money (Leave blank)	103	104	105
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No	No	No	No	S	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
YES	—	—	—	—	1	40	PUNCH-PRESS MACHINIST	SHOP	146371	50	1000	80	52								
NO	NO	NO	NO	N	5					0	0	80	53								
NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	7					0	0	100	54								
YES	—	—	—	—	1	48	SALAD	900A	241711	50	250	150	55								
							HOTEL						56								

(\$2)

a. STATE <i>Illinois</i>	e. HOTEL, LARGE ROOMING HOUSE, INSTITUTION, MILITARY INSTALLATION, ETC.				
b. COUNTY <i>Cook</i>	Name		Name		
c. INCORPORATED PLACE OR TOWNSHIP <i>Chicago</i>	Type		Type		
d. E. D. NUMBER <i>103-2471</i>	Line Nos. _____ to _____, inclusive		Line Nos. _____ to _____, inclusive		

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FORM
P1U. S. DEPART.
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1950 CENSUS OF P

Notes
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 Line 11 See Line 9 Sheet 71
 Line 19 See Line 1 Sheet 71
 Line 20 See Line 18 Sheet 71

Line 25 See Line 22 Sheet 71
 Line 29 See Line 25 Sheet 71
 Line 30 See Line 4 Sheet 71

LINE NUMBER	FOR HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD					FOR ALL PERSONS									
	House (and apart- ment) number	Social number of dwell- ing unit	If No item 4 Is this house on a farm (or ranch)?	If No item 4 Is this house on a place of three or more acres?	Agreement Questionnaire Number	NAME What is the name of the head of this household?	RELATIONSHIP Enter relationship of person to head of the household, as	RACE White (W) Negro(Neg) American Indian (Ind) Japanese (Jap) Chinese (Ch) Filipino (Fil)	SEX Male (M) Female (F)	How old was he on his last birth- day?	Is he now mar- ried, wid- owed, divor- ced, sepa- rated, or never mar- ried?	What State (or foreign country) was he born in?	If foreign born— (Yes, No, or A person born abroad of Ameri- can par- ents)	Is he natu- ral- ized? (Yes, No, or A person born abroad of Ameri- can par- ents)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	A	9	10	11	12	13	B	14
1	946 Second Floor	21	No	No		Bavaro, Frank J.	Head	W	M	23	Mar.	Ill.			
2						, Lorraine R.	Wife	W	F	21	Mar.	Ill.			
3						, Frances S.	Daughter	W	F	under 1 year May	Nov.	Ill.			
4	946 Second Rear	22	No	No		Bykowsky, Roman J.	Head	W	M	41	Mar.	Poland	1/2	Yes	
5						, Antoinette A.	Wife	W	F	37	Mar.	Ill.			
6						, Paul R.	Son	W	M	9	Nov.	Ill.			
7						, Rosalie T.	Daughter	W	F	4	Nov.	Ill.			
8						, Betty A.	Daughter	W	F	under 1 year May	Nov.	Ill.			
9						Sidor, Anna	Head	W	F	86	Nov.	Poland	2/2	No	
10	946 First Rear 946 First Center	23	No	No		No one at home (see sheet 71 line 11)									

Bureau No. 41-1741-A14 Form 1		
Date Sheet Started <u>April 3</u> 1950		
G. ENUMERATOR'S SIGNATURE <u>Wendell Phillips</u>		
H. CHECKED BY (Crew leader) _____ on _____, 1950		
		SHEET NUMBER 3

FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER										
What was this person doing most of last week working, keeping around the house, or something else? (Wk, H, Ot, or U for unable to work)	If H or Ot in item 15—Did this person do any work at all last week, not counting work around the house? (Include work for pay, in own business, profession, on farm, or unpaid family work) (Yes or No)	If No in item 16—	If No in item 17—	If Wk in item 16 or Yes in item 16—	What kind of work was he doing?		What kind of business or industry was he working in?		Class of worker	
					Even though he didn't work last week, does he have a job or business? (See Special Cases below)	How many hours did he work last week?	(Include unpaid work on family farm or business)	For example:		For example:
4 15	16	17	18	19	(Occupation)		(Industry)		(P, G, O, or NP)	LEAVE BLANK
Wk			40	Electric repairman	Wire Recorder Manufacturer		P 5543671		1	ASK QUES. BELOW
H	No	No	No						3	
Wk			40	Die sitter	Electric Appliance Manufacturer		P 5923671		4	
H	No	No	No						5	
U									6	
									8	ASK QUES. BELOW
									9	
									10	

946 N. Winchester
(East Village)



946 N. Winchester
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The Bykowski family lived on the 2nd floor in the rear apartment
Anna Sidor lived on the first floor in the rear apartment
Antoinette's niece Lorraine and her family lived in the front apartment on the 2nd floor
Antoinette's sister Adela and her family lived next door to the right



946 N. Winchester (alley view)
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946 N. Winchester
New Construction (View from Alley looking towards Winchester)
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Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart ----- HU mb1t 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 946 N Winchester--EV erglad 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 2723 W 22 Pl----RI shop 7-5428

1954 Chicago White Pages
First Year Listed for 946 N. Winchester
(Probably first year that the family had a dedicated telephone)

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart ----- HU mb1t 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 946 N Winchester--EV erglad 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 2719 W 22 Pl----RI shop 7-5428

1955 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart ----- HU mb1t 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 946 N Winchester--EV erglad 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 2719 W 22 Pl----RI shop 7-5428

1956 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart ----- HU mb1t 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 946 N Winchester--EV erglad 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-----LU dlo 2-2252

1957 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart ----- HU mb1t 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 946 N Winchester--EV erglad 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-----LU dlo 2-2252

1958 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Roman 946 N Wnchstr--EV 4-2375

1959 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Roman 946 N Wnchstr--EV 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-LU 2-2252

1960 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Roman 946 N Wnchstr--EV 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-LU 2-2252

1961 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Roman 946 N Wnchstr--EV 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-LU 2-2252

1962 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Roman 946 N Wnchstr--EV 4-2375
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-LU 2-2252

1963 Chicago White Pages
Last Year Listed for 946 N. Winchester

Edward Kowalewski	945	25 x 125	750	5254
Michael Boczkiewicz	944	25 x 126	751	1600
A Bykowksi Sidor	945	25 x 126	751	1595
Sophie B Klimara	947	25 x 125	750	1979
Adela Michalik	948	25 x 126	751	987
John Miszczenco	949	25 x 125	750	2302
Anna Turean	951	25 x 125	750	1176

Tax Assessments
The Garfieldian - 8/10/1860

LOUIS ZURAWSKI	1142	Ashland	375
TOWN OF WEST CHICAGO DIST. 20			
ESTATES			
Eugene Wypyech Adm	Vincent Gorezyca		
Est 1707 W Augusta	211		
Kasimir K Kazmierski Cons	Joseph		
Kazmierski Est 1135 Winchester	1500		
Andrew Luberda Adm	Angelina		
Luberda Est 858 N Wood	1800		
Emily Lund Adm	Henry W Lund Est		
817 N Damen	300		
Adela Michalik Ex	Anna Sedor Est		
946 N Winchester	100		
TOWN OF WEST CHICAGO DIST. 21			

Antoinette's sister Adela Michalik was executor of Anna Sidor's estate
The Garfieldian - 12/19/1962

Edward Kowalewski	945	25 x 125	750	5254
Michael Boczkiewicz	944	25 x 126	751	1600
A Bykowski & L Bavaro	946	25 x 126	751	1595
Sophie B Klimara	947	25 x 125	750	1922
Adela Michalik	948	25 x 126	751	987
Stanislaw Kobylanski	949	25 x 125	750	2226
Anna Turean	951	25 x 125	750	1176

Tax Assessments
Antoinette Bykowski and her niece Lorraine Bavaro listed as co-owners of 946 N. Winchester
Note: A full title search has not be completed at present.

3541 W. Hirsch
(Humboldt Park)



3541 W. Hirsch
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Betty A. Bykowski's residence at the time of her marriage to Michael M. Byczek in 1974



3541 W. Hirsch (alley view)
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Bykowski Peter 1044 N Mozart--HU 6-7662
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161
Bykowski Stanley C 6554 S Kolin-III 2.2252

1964 Chicago White Pages
First year listed at 3541 W. Hirsch

Bykowski Max 1133 N Leclair----AU 7-5699
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1966 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Max 1133 N Leclair----AU 7-5699
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1967 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Robt 739 E 35-----538-3042
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1968 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Robt 11 E Goethe-----664-9575
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1969 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn-----342-8835
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1970 Chicago White Pages

Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn-----342-8835
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161

1971 Chicago White Pages

**Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn----342-8635
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161**

1972 Chicago White Pages

**Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn----342-8635
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161**

1973 Chicago White Pages

**Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn----342-8635
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161**

1974 Chicago White Pages

**Bykowski Mary 1405 N Artesn----342-8635
Bykowski Roman 3541 W Hirsch---384-2375
Bykowski Roman 943 W 31-----YA 7-9161**

1975 Chicago White Pages
Last year of digital scans available from the U.S. Library of Congress

3541 W. HIRSCH—\$3,500 down buys beautiful 1½ sty., 5 rm. brk. res. Mod. tile bath, auto. ht., full bsmt. 2 car garage. \$16,500.	AL 2-7400
3619 NORTH-AV.	

Chicago Tribune - 2/4/1962

Roman and Antoinette Bykowski purchased the property on 7/8/1963
(this was the date of the mortgage that was paid off in 1978)

Family memories are that Roman and Antoinette purchased the house for about \$14,000

It is presumed that the house was either still for sale over one year later, or it was back on the market in 1963

Note: A full title search has not been completed at present.

PROPERTY # 344-8267	3539	25 X 124	745	1396
RUSSELL MEYER	3540	24 X 123	712	1645
ROMAN BYKOWSKI	3541	25 X 124	745	1229
HELEN M GAJDA	3542	24 X 123	712	2088
GEORGE KARTALI	3543	25 X 124	745	1279

Tax Assessment
The Austin News - 12/30/1970

Know All Men by These Presents, that the

NATIONAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

corporation existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, for and in consideration of One Dollar, and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt whereof is hereby confessed, does hereby Remise, Convey, Release and Quit-Claim unto ROMAN BYKOWSKI AND ANTOINETTE BYKOWSKI—
Husband and Wife—

of the County of Cook and State of Illinois, all the right, title, interest, claim or demand whatsoever it may have acquired in, through or by certain mortgage deed bearing date the 8th day of July, A. D. 19 63, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Cook County, in the State of Illinois, in Book of Records, on page , as Document No. 18848347, to the premises therein described, situated in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, as follows,
to-wit:

Lot 166 in Dickey's Addition to Chicago in the North East quarter of Section 2, Township 39 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian in Cook County, Illinois.

In Testimony Whereof, The said NATIONAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

hath hereunto caused its corporate seal to be affixed, and these presents to be signed by its Exec. Vice-President, and attested by its Asst. Secretary-Treasurer; this 8th day of April, A. D. 19 78

NATIONAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

By Jerry B. Wack Executive Vice-President
Attest: Grace M. Mackowski Asst. Secretary-Treasurer

STATE OF ILLINOIS
County of Cook } ss.

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Jerry B. Wack personally known to me to be the Exec. Vice-President of the NATIONAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

and Grace M. Mackowski personally known to me to be the Asst. Secretary-Treasurer of said corporation whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person Exec. and severally acknowledged that as such Vice-President and Asst. Secretary-Treasurer, they signed and delivered the said instrument of writing as Exec. Vice-President and Asst. Secretary-Treasurer of said corporation and caused the corporate seal of said corporation to be affixed thereto, pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation as their free and voluntary act, and as the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS
PREPARED BY JERRY B. WACK, 1700 S. ELMHURST,
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NATIONAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSN.
1700 S. ELMHURST, MT. PLEASANT,
MT. PLEASANT, ILLINOIS 60055

GIVEN under my hand and notarial seal, this 8th day of April, A. D. 19 78

Suzanne E. Skinner
Notary Public

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE OWNER, THIS RELEASE SHALL BE FILED WITH THE RECORDER OF DEEDS IN WHOSE OFFICE THE MORTGAGE OR DEED OF TRUST WAS FILED.

A release for a mortgage dated 7/8/1963 was dated 4/8/1978.

3406 N. Natchez
(Dunning)



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Photo Source: Cook County Assessor Website

Additional Information

Roman J. Bykowski and Antoinette A. Murzynowicz/Marynowski are Michael E. Byczek's grandparents. Their daughter Betty A. Bykowski (mother) married Michael M. Byczek in 1974 at St. Helen's Catholic Church in the Ukrainian Village neighborhood. It was the Bykowski family church and where Betty attended and graduated grammar school. Their children are Michael E. Byczek (eldest) and Katherine S. Byczek, both born in the Bridgeport neighborhood.

This compiled documentary is an accurate source of genealogy for Roman Bykowski and Antoinette Murzynowicz.

Feel free to send a message for family information or genealogical collaboration.

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