

## Marta Feher At Her Grandparent's Place



This is me at my mother's parents' place in Csaktornya.

My [maternal] grandmother was Hermina Hirschon, wife of Imre Lobl. I never met my grandfather, I think he died before my birth.

They were from Csaktornya. We went to Csaktornya once; my father came with us too. My grandparents had two children. Melania was my mother. Nandor was her brother. He was the

younger.

He was managing director in a porcelain shop in Zalaegerszeg. He had a boy, Imike. They mostly spoke German in the family, though they spoke Hungarian as well.

Melania's mother tongue was Hungarian, but her German was perfect. And she even spoke Serbian as well. Grandmother Hermina lived there with us.

There were two rooms [in the flat we rented]; grandmother and I slept in the first room, and my parents in a separate room. Grandmother slept on a divan, while I was on the bed.

Hermina baked very well. We used to have a big box that was full of cookies. There were lots of preserves too. We had a larder so big, you wouldn't believe.