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The Wilder Home Association had its start in 1957 with the establishment of \$100.00 memberships. Over the years, it has developed that many supporters wish to be a part of this work. If you would like to join these dedicated people who believe in the ideals and pioneer values of the Wilder writings, which emanated from these historic homes in the Ozarks, please indicate your membership level below:

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- Student: \$25.00
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- Patron: \$1,000.00
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Membership entitles bearer to all the above benefits plus a brick with member's name to be placed outside the new museum.

Membership entitles bearer to all the above benefits plus member's name to be placed on a permanent plaque inside the new museum.

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Mail to: Laura Ingalls Wilder Home Association
3068 Highway A
Mansfield, MO 65704

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Always the third Saturday in September

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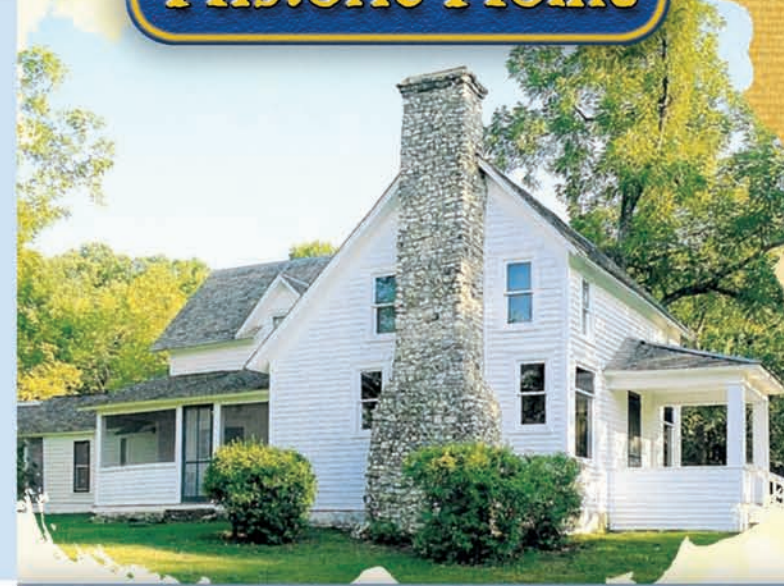
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Sunday 12:30 to 5:00
(Closed Easter Sunday)



The Rocky Ridge Bookstore features a full stock of Wilder books, souvenirs and collectibles. Price lists are available and orders are filled year 'round.

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Little House Books
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Laura

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Almanzo

In 1894, Almanzo and Laura Ingalls Wilder, with their daughter Rose, settled on Rocky Ridge Farm, near Mansfield, Missouri. They established a successful farm, built their own home and settled down permanently in the Ozarks hills. Rose grew up and moved away, and became the well-known author, journalist and world traveler Rose Wilder Lane.

In 1932, Laura Ingalls Wilder published the first of her beloved "Little House" books, which described the pioneering of the Ingalls and Wilder families during the 1870's - 1890's. All of the nine manuscripts for these famous books were penned right here on Rocky Ridge Farm. Their publication made the Wilders well-known international literary characters.



The Wilder living room



Wilder Day

After Laura's death in 1957, her friends and neighbors in Mansfield formed the Laura Ingalls Wilder Home Association. Its goal was to preserve intact the Wilder home and its many treasures for interested "Little House" readers. Thousands of admirers of this pioneer family have visited the historic site each year since 1957.

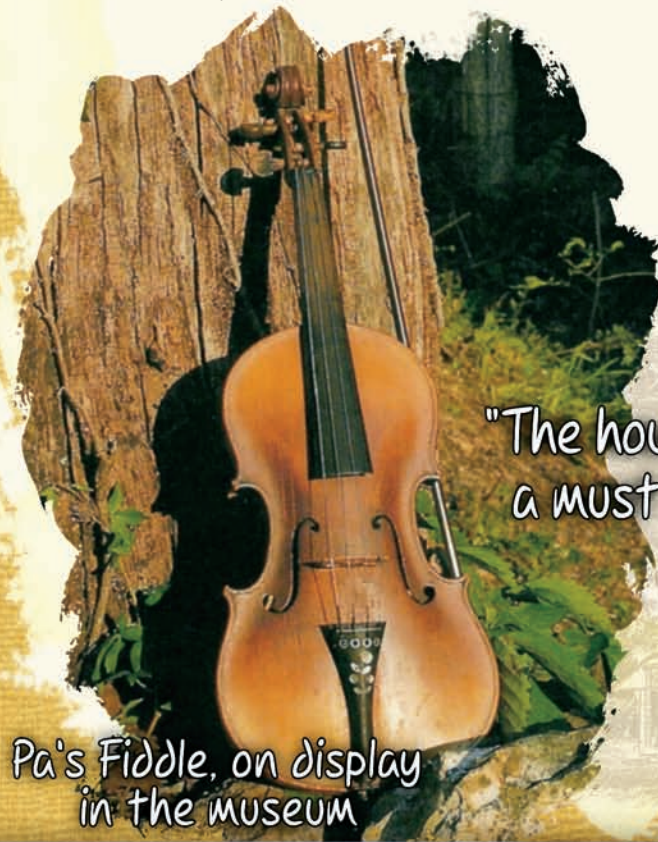
Laura's home is as she left it, carefully preserved as it was in 1957. Next to the historic Wilder home is the Laura Ingalls Wilder - Rose Wilder Lane Museum. The museum exhibits include artifacts spanning over a century of the lives of the pioneering history described in the "Little House" books.

Visitors can see Pa's fiddle, handwritten manuscripts for "Little House" books, keepsakes of the Ingalls and Wilder families, tools and articles made by Almanzo, needlework made by Laura and many items familiar to readers.

The life, writings and career of Rose Wilder Lane are featured in one section of the museum. Recreations of rooms from Rose's homes, her desks, her manuscripts and souvenirs from world travels are displayed to reflect the creative and exciting life of the Wilders' only daughter.

"The house is bursting with treasures... a must detour for lovers of Laura's books..."

- The New York Times



Pa's Fiddle, on display in the museum



The restored Rock House, a gift from Rose to her parents in 1928, and home for Laura and Almanzo until 1936.