

her life until she passed away from this earthly life. Her forebears on both sides were honorable, honest, intelligent, and according to our genealogical records, which, so far, have been traced into the 16th century, were a hardy and a long lived people. However, her paternal and maternal ancestors boast having lived in the most quaint and picturesque Walddorf and surrounding villages for many generations.

### Chapter 3

Grandparents -- Parents -- Brothers and Sisters.

Christina Magdalena's paternal parents were --

Johannes Walz -- born 1 Nov. 1778 and died 6 May 1859.

Jacob Heinrich Baetzner -- born 26 Nov. 1774 and died 29 Feb. 1848.

Her Maternal parents were --

Gertrude Stoll -- born 13 Feb. 1790 and died 27 Dec. 1847.

Anna Maria Guenther -- born 1 Nov. 1783 and died 13 April 1834.

Her Father and Mother were --

Johann Conrad Walz -- born 7 June 1814 and died 26 Jan. 1875.

Anna Maria Philippina Baetzner -- born 22 Aug. 1819 and died 6 Jan. 1877

To this couple were born the following children.

Johannes Heinrich Walz - born 30 July 1844

Christina Magdalena Walz - born 20 Dec, 1845 and died 4 March 1920

Anna Maria Walz - born 7 Dec. 1848

Johann Conrad Walz - born 13 Nov. 1856 and died 19 Nov. 1857 as an infant

Christina Gertraud Walz - born 18 July 1859 and died 16 Jan. 1920

Barbara (twin) - born 18 July 1859 and died 16 Nov. 1860 as infant

Philippina Walz - born 19 Oct. 1860 and died 20 Oct. 1860 as infant

### Chapter 4

#### Childhood Days and School Days

As in the life of all children in every country - so it too was in