

Sisters Senta and Ilse Liimand



I found this photo in Estonia last summer. I mean look at those two! Their matching dresses and bows, even their socks and shoes are matching. And those necklaces! Surely someone went through mama's jewelry box. The older girl was Ilse, the smaller one Senta. The back of the photo reads "**Jutsu Roosi daughters Senta and Ilse**".

Jutsu Roosi tütred
Senta ja Ilse

The caption threw me off my trail for a bit cause I thought Jutsu (or Juts or even Tuts) could have meant their surname. But turns out, it was their father Johannes' nickname instead.

Ilse Marianne and Senta Juliette were the daughters of **Johannes Roman Liimand** and **Roosi Emilie née Sep**.



Ilse Liimand was born in June 1929. She married Einar **Vapper**, a fellow teacher. They probably met while working in the Kose-Lükati school-sanatorium for children suffering from the after-effects of tuberculosis. She remained a teacher all her life.



Senta Liimand was born on April 21, 1931. She married Kalev **Nukk** and the couple had three children. Like her older sister, Senta became a teacher, first teaching in a high school, later in life she attended to kindergarten-prime school children in Hulja in Kadrina parish.

Her [Geni.com page](#) includes a photo of her as a young woman in the 1940s. She was stunning!



Sadly, she has already passed away. She died 20 years ago in September at the age of 71.

The family tree on Geni.com also includes photos of the girls' parents Roosi Emilie née Sep (1895-1969) and Johannes Roman Liimand (1889-1959).



I have added the girls' photo to Geni.com. I have made contact with the sisters' descendants. Wish me luck!

