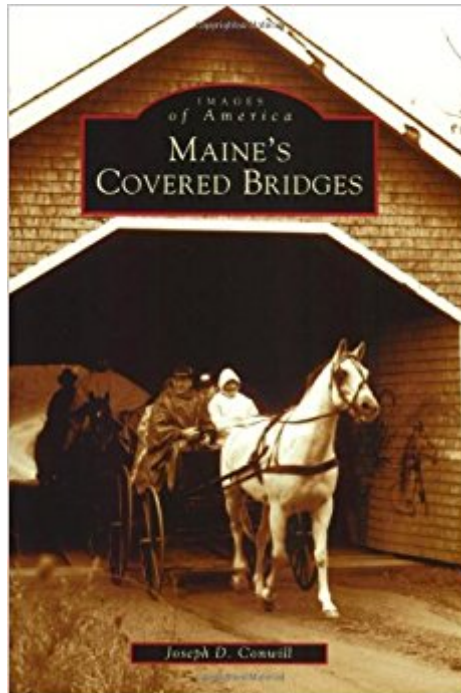




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Photographer and historian Joseph D. Conwill has been interested in covered bridges since 1966. He has seen every covered bridge in North America, including nearly two hundred that no longer exist. He is editor of Covered Bridge Topics, the quarterly magazine of the National Society for the Preservation of Covered Bridges. His photographic work is included in various collections, including the National Archives of Canada.

My uncle found this book in a bookstore one day. To my family's surprise, it was a picture of us on a family outing. My Dad is driving and my mom beside him...the horse's name was Dee Dee's Dream and was a former race horse. there were four other horse and riders behind the wagon. The picture was not staged...talk about being in the right place at the right time. I love this picture!!!

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