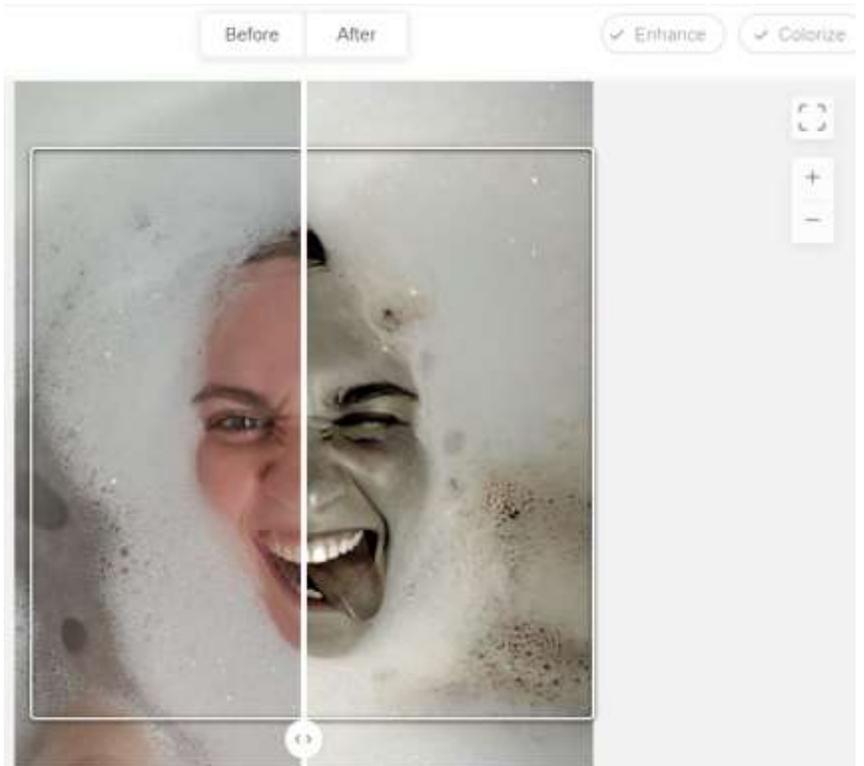


## [Improve Your Treasure-Chest of Family Memories Digitally: 4 to 6 Seconds for FREE](#)

Everybody please take note: you can enhance your family photos automatically with the world's best deep learning technology. Faces will come into sharp focus and the colorization can be dramatically appealing. For a fast introduction to this new photo restoration software enhancement, go to <https://www.diyphotography.net/myheritage-photo-enhancer-shows-you-what-your-ancestors-really-looked-like/> and reading the rest of this Facebook posting will be accelerated even if my writing style is verbose.



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Before After

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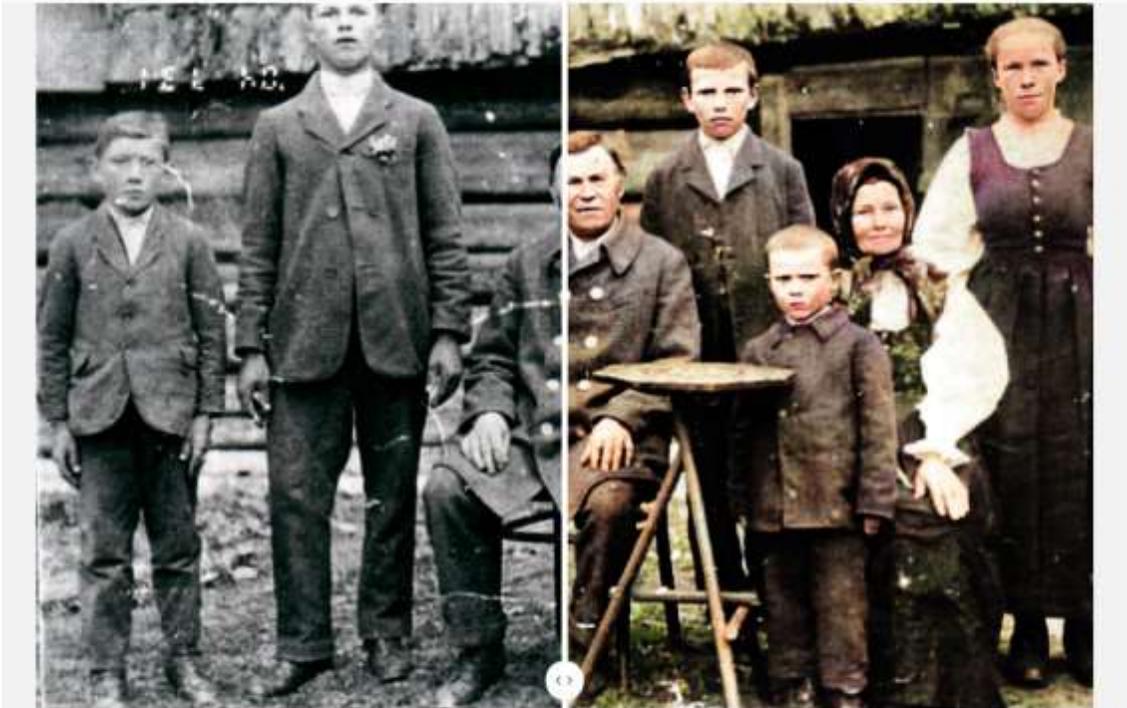


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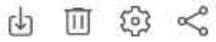


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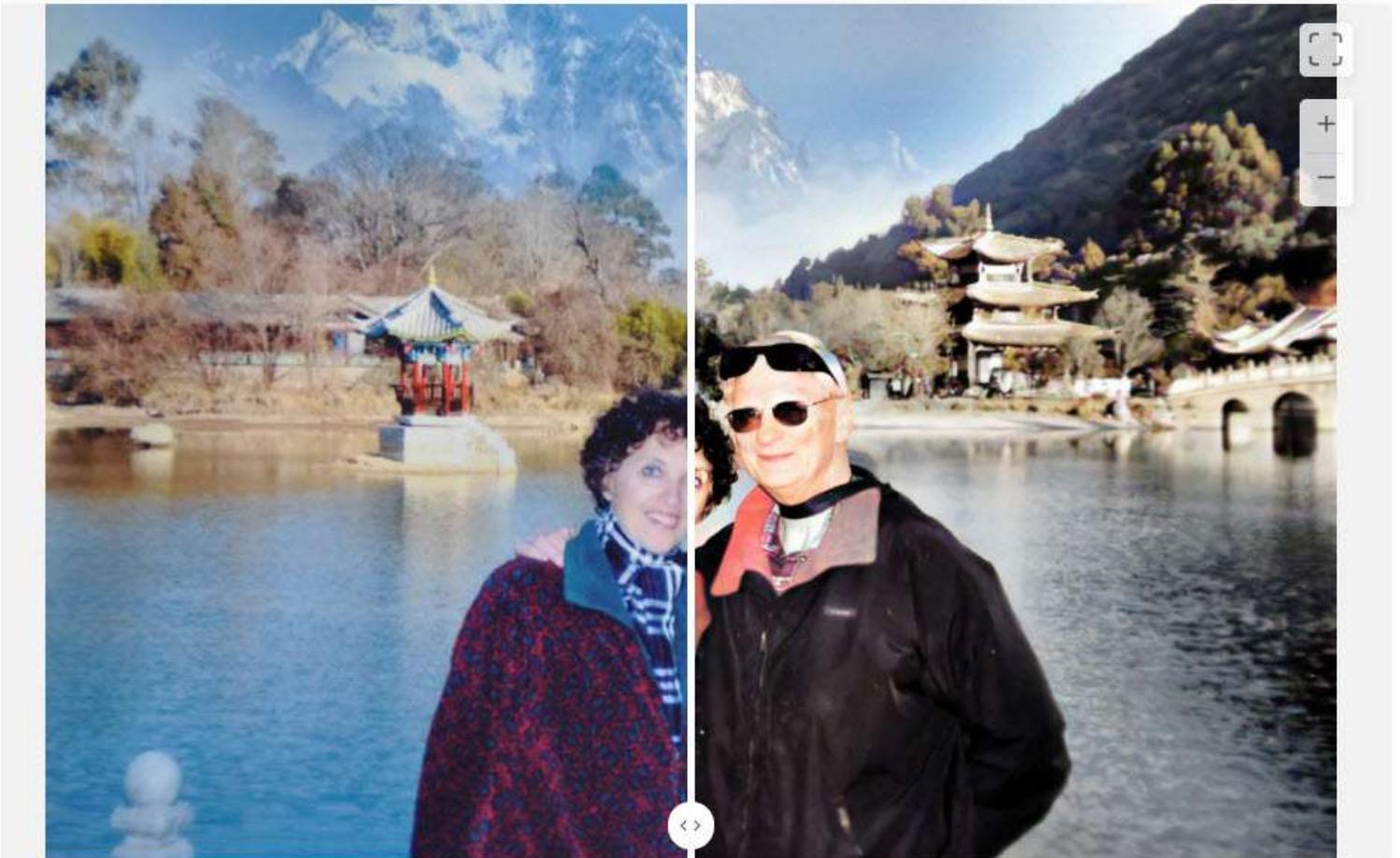


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We all have photos that can't win any awards but yet constitute family history memories. And consequently, they are probably not posted for family history sharing. MyHeritage is an online genealogy platform that helps people to connect with their family histories. Earlier this year, they introduced MyHeritage In Color™, a new technology supposed to bring old family photos to life through colorization. But On June 12, the company took it a step further, introducing a tool that enhances photos by bringing blurry faces into sharp focus. "When combined, **MyHeritage In Color™** and the **MyHeritage Photo Enhancer** can reveal your ancestors as you've never seen them before," [the company wrote on its blog](#). "The technology for enhancing photos was licensed by MyHeritage from the creators of the Remini mobile application. They developed machine learning technology to enhance photos by upscaling (increasing the resolution) the faces that appear in them. This produces exceptional results for historical photos, where the faces are often small and blurry, but works equally well on new color photos too. Enhancement works best on photos that feature multiple people, and allows you to go face by face to see each one enhanced."

MyHeritage really believes that it's the best technology in the world for this kind of work. "No other company has succeeded in developing photo enhancement technology of this quality. The results are crisp and truly outstanding."

Continue scrolling, check out what their enhancer is capable of in their frequently asked questions and answers section shared below.

### **Frequently Asked Questions with Answers for More Permanent Memories**

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There are no manual enhancements necessary. The photos are enhanced using specialized technology which reduces the learning curve significantly for end-users.

The photo enhancement technology gives its best guess as to what the original faces may have looked like, by bringing blurred, pixelated, or low-resolution photos into clear focus. Often, the results are stunning and highly believable. However, since the enhancement is a simulation, done by algorithms, its results may be inaccurate and, in rare cases, even distorted. As a rule of thumb, the sharper the input image that is enhanced, the more accurate the final result will be.

Enhancing a photo typically takes between 4 to 6 seconds, depending on its size and the number of faces in it.

When you enhance a photo, the original photo remains intact and the enhanced photo piggybacks on the original so that you benefit from the same meta-data of the original photo: same title, date, place, people tagged, and so on. I love the enhanced photos but also believe the original photos should not be modified or replaced.

You are encouraged to share your enhanced photos on social media with your friends and family. You can download an enhanced photo to your computer and use it any way you like, or download a side-by-side comparison with the original. You have the option to download the complete enhanced photo, or an enhanced version of a specific face. When you share or download an enhanced photo, it will be at a higher resolution than the original photo.

The photo enhancer works equally well on both black and white photos, and photos that were originally taken in color.

All photos can be enhanced. These technologies complement one another, and I recommend that you both colorize and enhance your historical photos. The results will be the same regardless of which action you complete first, so the order of these actions doesn't matter. Learn more about [MyHeritage In Color™](#)

You can enhance any photo that is already on MyHeritage by selecting "My Photos" from the Family Tree tab and clicking on any photo. Then, use the Enhance button. You can also upload new photos to MyHeritage and enhance them on [myheritage.com/photo-enhancer](https://myheritage.com/photo-enhancer).

For scanning your family photos, I recommend using their free MyHeritage mobile app. It will upload the photos to MyHeritage and allow you to enhance them in one tap. You can download it from the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#).

If you don't have a MyHeritage account yet, you can easily create one for free from the MyHeritage Photo Enhancer page. In the next post, I will provide insight of how to obtain free accounts to *Ancestry*, *MyHeritage*, *Findmypast*, *MyHeritage*, *AmericanAncestprs*, *Geneanet*, *Filae*, and *GenealogyBank*.

Users who have a Complete subscription with MyHeritage can enhance an unlimited number of photos. Other users can enhance several photos for free, and beyond that, they will need a subscription to enhance more. Non-subscribers will notice a watermark of the MyHeritage logo on the bottom right of their enhanced photos, while Complete subscribers will be able to produce enhanced photos that are logo-free.

All of their enhanced photos are for your privacy and are protected. The enhancement and colorization occur on MyHeritage servers and the photos are not shared externally.

When you enhance a photo, the enhanced version is not added to your albums on MyHeritage as a new standalone photo. Instead, it piggybacks on the original photo. This way, it benefits from the same meta-data of the original photo: same title, date, place, people tagged, and so on. After enhancing a photo, you'll notice a magic wand icon in the bottom left corner of the photo thumbnail, in the My Photos section of your family site. This icon, like the palette icon for colorization, will help you keep track of which photos you've enhanced. Click the photo in the album page to open the photo page, and then you can toggle between the original and enhanced versions. Your original photo remains intact, without anything added to it.

MyHeritage differentiates the enhanced photos from the originals using a special embossed magic wand icon in the bottom left corner of enhanced photos. The magic wand icon appears on all enhanced photos so that users can tell them apart from the original. In photos that were both enhanced and colorized, the magic wand and palette icons will appear side by side on the bottom left corner. It is hoped that this responsible practice will be adopted by others who use photo enhancement technology.

## **Closing Comments for Enhancing Your Family History Memories**

MyHeritage has really improved their services with this recent product. Fortunately, the family history market is very competitive and as a consumer, you are the direct beneficiary. Whenever there are significant upgrades, this Facebook group will share them with you. That's why the exhibit area at the annual RootsTech conferences are always a hot bed for showcasing these latest developments. If the RootsTech 2021 conference becomes virtual, you will definitely desire that option in attending it. Do take advantage of the RootsTech conference exhibit areas as it is always a mecca of interest to me because we live in such a fast-changing world well suited for both temple and family history.