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Growing Up in the '50s and '60s



Did you grow up in the days when cars had tailfins, girls wore circle skirts and the Fuller Brush man came right to your house? In this nostalgic talk, we'll look back at what life was like for kids in the '50s and '60s, from comic books to drive-in movies to TV dinners. Check out some vintage paper dolls, S&H Green Stamps and Tupperware bowls. We'll also explore the darker side of this era, from duck-and-cover drills in school to the rebellious music called rock-and-roll. It was an era of prosperity and harmony, but that harmony was fragile, and it fragmented in the tumultuous years to follow.

