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### ~ ~ ~ About the Cover ~ ~ ~

"Red Barn & Wheat Field" was taken by Natalie Schuler from Roann, Indiana. This is Natalie's first year in 4-H and she is nine years old. Natalie said, "My aunt bought me a camera and taught me how to use it. I enjoy taking pictures to remember that event."

"Big Jake" was taken by Elese Hacker from New Castle, Indiana. Elese is a five year member of 4-H and is thirteen years old. The bull can be found on her grandparents farm. Elese enjoys the challenge of capturing photos that are show worthy. She likes to use her camera lens to turn the ordinary into extraordinary.

The photograph on the back of the cover is named "Best Buds", and was taken by nine year old Saige Dunafin of La Grange, Indiana. Saige is a first year 4-H member, and says she likes to capture memories so that she can look at them over and over again.

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