

Vermontville Twins

Vermontville, Michigan

The Past: The Vermontville barns consist of two barns built perpendicular to each other. The smaller of the two is older and figured to be built in the 1870's. The smaller barn is 30 x 40 feet in dimension and had a dirt floor. The larger barn was built sometime in the 1890's. Measuring 30 x 60 feet, this barn had a cement floor, silo and a loft. Both barns were built using 8 x 8 inch hand hewn beams.



Barn One



Barn Two

The Present and Future: The two barns needed to come down due to roof deterioration. This deterioration allowed natural elements to weather the barns. Much has been salvaged from the barns in the way of beams, siding, doors and hardware. These barns will continue being a part of America's heritage in your project.



Barn Wood Facts:

- The rafters were the actual trusses to the barns.
- Built with a variety of wood local to the area.
- Red siding on both barns.
- Gambrel style roof on both barns

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