Ned Valentine

I started school (nursery school) with Pauline at age two. I have several vague memories but one that has stayed with me always was one time several nursery classmates and I were being driven home from a picnic by Pauline.

I was on some kind of a roll about "bees wax" that everyone thought was hilarious. We were all quite loud and the incident is one of my flashes of memory from my first four years of life. I think I remember the incident because she was so calm about it all.

Not many months ago I sat down with Pauline and, without my mentioning it, she brought up the incident! I told her that not only do I remember it but told her what it was all about.

She didn't understand it any better once it was explained. Don't know whether she believed me or not. 98 and she remembered!

A remarkable lady and our world is brighter just knowing she remains with us.

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