On the basis of our knowledge and individual skills we can use photograph of the 19th century as historical source to improve understanding about this historical period.

Target of this thesis is to prove a connection between legends of photos in family album and family history. Chosen methods of this thesis are method of the sond, comparision method and method of a reading of photograph.

Each of album was evaluated based on predefined standards and the results are that family album in aristocracy family were used as a communication and information medium from which we can get much information related to this social class in second half of the 19th century.