Abstract
This Diploma thesis is telling the story of the village Kralupy u Chomutova that had to be demolished because of coal mining. It is following the life of people of the village from the time before World War I until the 70’s. It is the time when the village was demolished. Kralupy u Chomutova were located in so called Sudetenland. Therefore its residents were changing during the 20th century. In the end it was them who were witnesses of the demolition and their stories are part of this thesis.