HEINLEIN GENEALOGY

Former Greater Pittsburgh International Airport Terminal

From when it opened in the Summer of 1952 until its closing on September 30, 1992, the terminal would grow from a small regional airport to the main hub for USAir. The terminal would see numerous expansions and renovations over its 40 years of service. Expansions in 1959, 1972, and 1980 increased the capacity at the terminal; but by the 1980s, the main terminal was overcrowded, outdated, and becoming obsolete. With funding secured, the Allegheny County Airport Authority would begin construction on the new Landside Terminal in 1987. The new terminal would be located on the opposite end of airport property in Findlay Township. The new modern terminal would open October 1, 1992.



The old entrance way to the main pick-up and drop-off at the old terminal. (October 1998)