



Bob's Miniatures

Specializing in Model Railroad Stuff





**My name is Bob
and I am a Model
Railroader.**

**I'm also a 3D
Model Designer**





This is my conductor.



The purpose of this presentation is to:

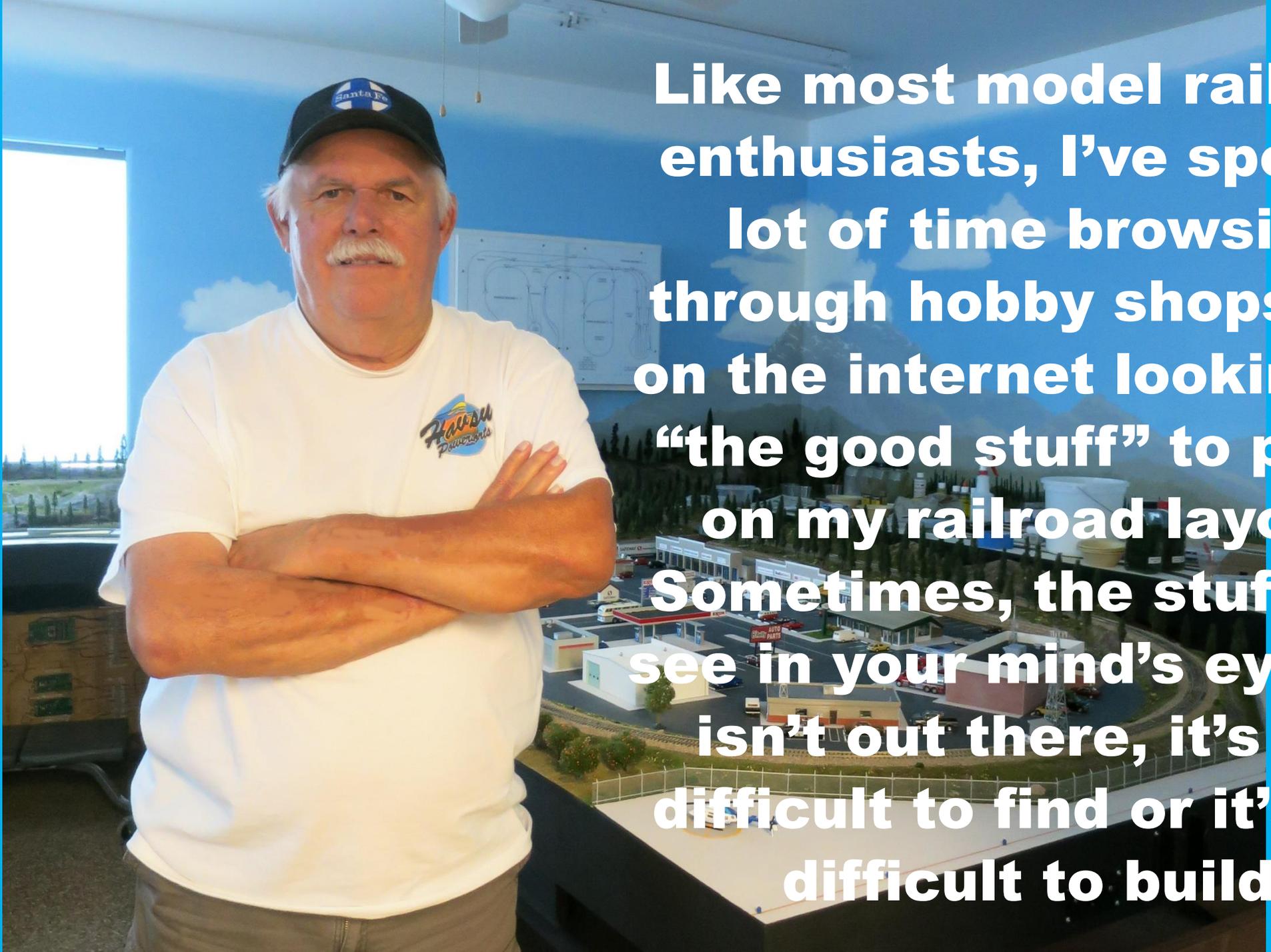
- **Tell you a little about myself.**
- **Most importantly, tell you about my internet shop and products.**





**I am retired.
I am a certified
Architectural and
Mechanical AutoCad
Draftsman.
I've been an HO Scale
Model Railroader since I
was fourteen and now I
am a 3D model designer.**



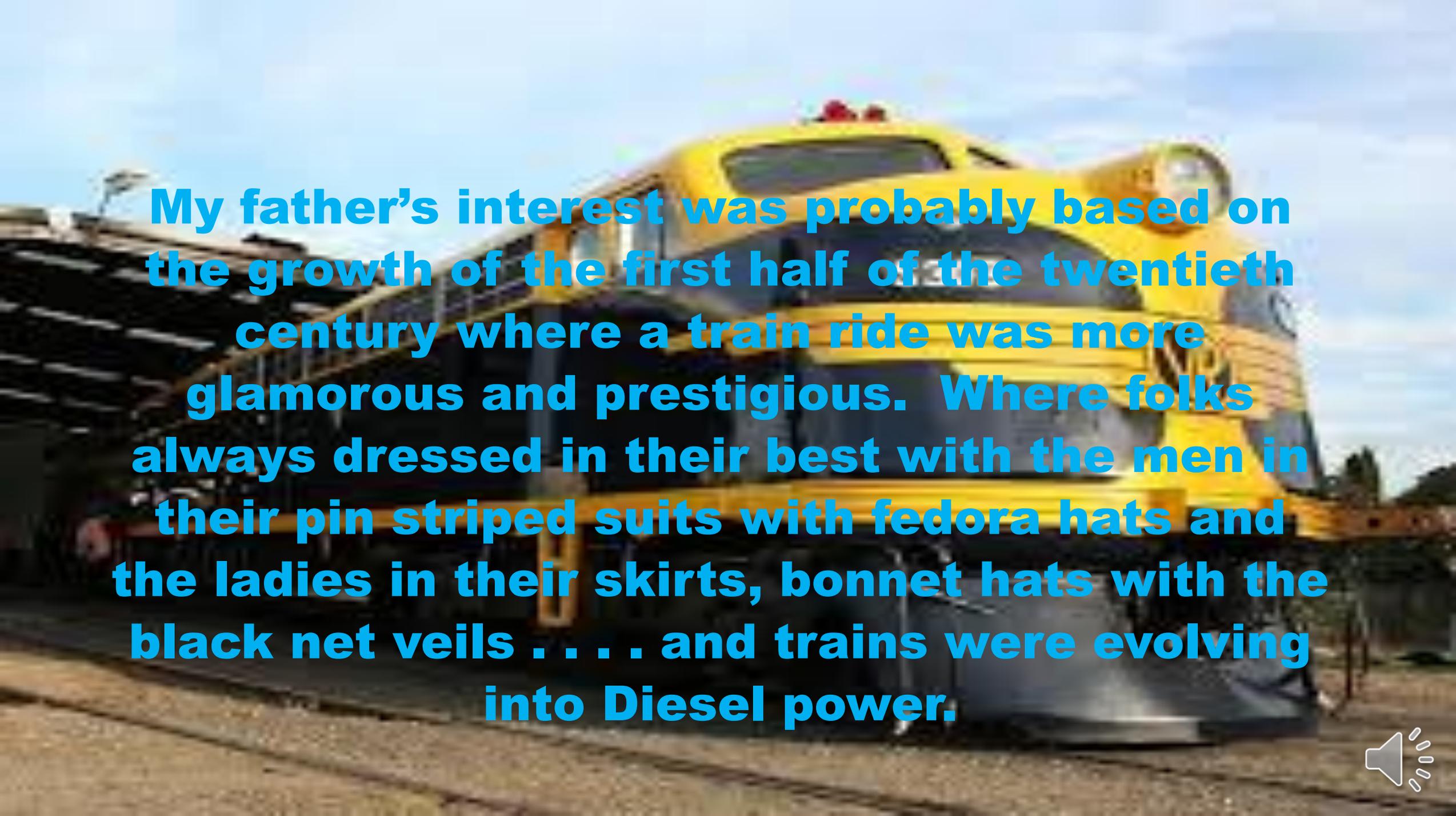


Like most model railroad enthusiasts, I've spent a lot of time browsing through hobby shops and on the internet looking for "the good stuff" to place on my railroad layout. Sometimes, the stuff you see in your mind's eye just isn't out there, it's too difficult to find or it's too difficult to build.



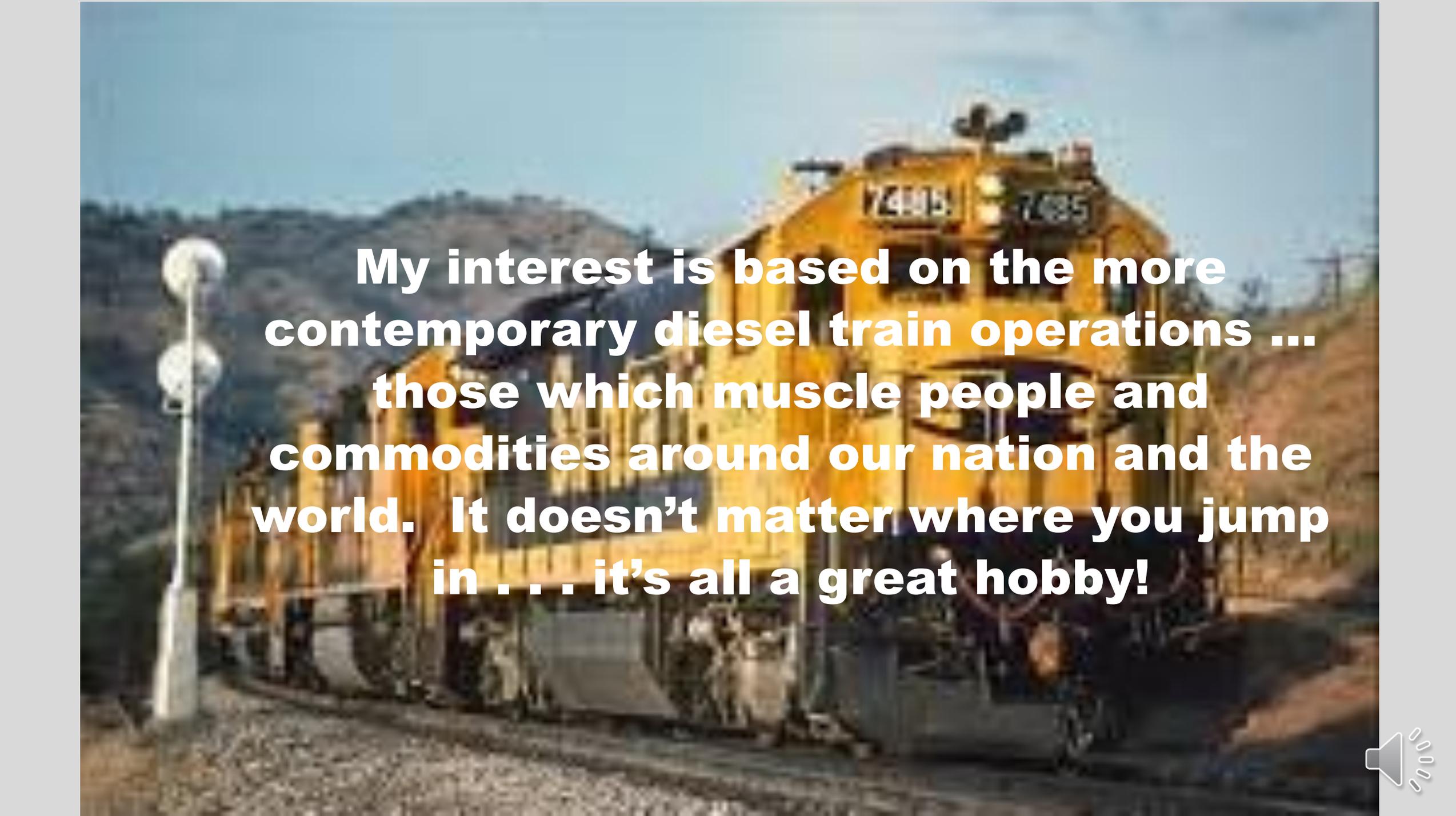
I believe that most of the model train layouts out there are from a love from our former childhoods and what was contemporary at the time. My grandfather's love was probably based on the old steam engines and everywhere they chugged across America and how these iron horses caused small towns to spring up across the nation due to the maintenance demands of their infrastructure (i.e. fuel and water stops).



A yellow and black diesel locomotive is the central focus of the image, positioned on a set of train tracks. The locomotive is viewed from a low angle, making it appear imposing. The background shows a clear blue sky and some blurred structures, possibly part of a train yard or station. The text is overlaid in a bright blue, bold font.

My father's interest was probably based on the growth of the first half of the twentieth century where a train ride was more glamorous and prestigious. Where folks always dressed in their best with the men in their pin striped suits with fedora hats and the ladies in their skirts, bonnet hats with the black net veils and trains were evolving into Diesel power.





My interest is based on the more contemporary diesel train operations ... those which muscle people and commodities around our nation and the world. It doesn't matter where you jump in . . . it's all a great hobby!



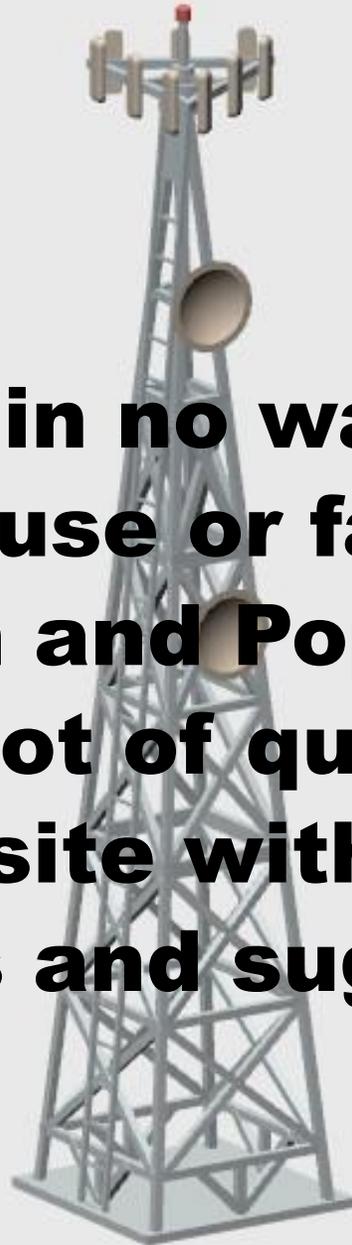


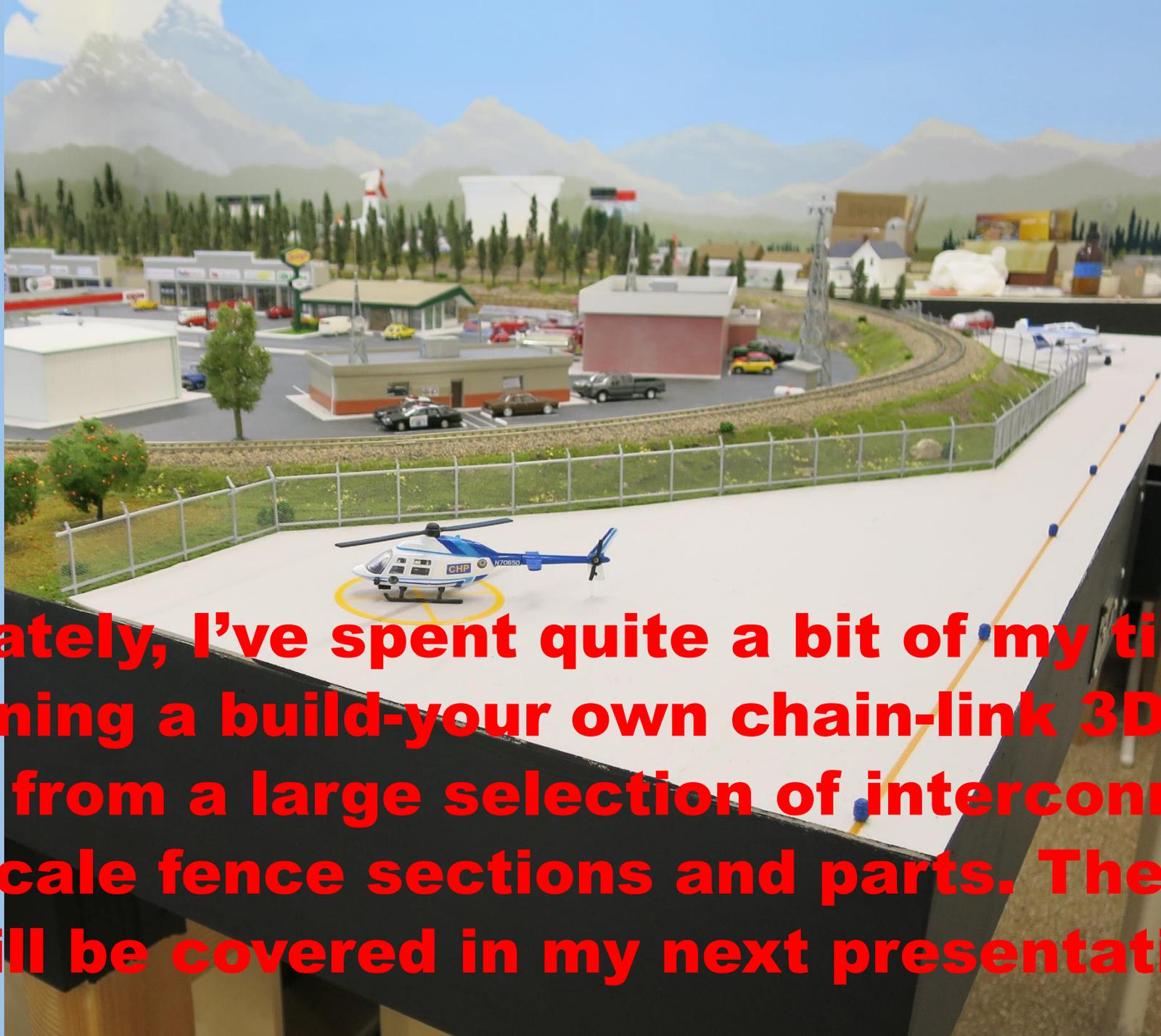
This is where I decided to design and build my own stuff. I began designing and 3D printing some of my own trackside accessories. I liked them so much, I decided to open an internet shop and offer these accessories to the public, hence:

Bob's Miniatures
bobsminiatures.com



Bob's Miniatures is in no way a giant trackside accessory warehouse or factory. So far, it is simply a small Mom and Pop 3D internet model shop with a whole lot of quality control. I will try and supply my site with pertinent product directions and suggestions.





Lately, I've spent quite a bit of my time designing a build-your own chain-link 3D fence, made from a large selection of interconnecting HO scale fence sections and parts. The fence will be covered in my next presentation.



Bob's Miniatures shop is actually 2-interactive web sites:

- **<https://www.bobsminiatures.com> is a Godaddy site which introduces Bob's Miniatures, supplies web address of affiliated sites, a photo gallery and description of my products, a price list, and a how-to do-it section. It will also have a section for free down-loads of logos and emblems, i.e. Salt, Cement, USPS, etc.**



- <https://www.shapeways.com/shops/bob-s-miniatures>

is the Shapeways, Inc. web site where I have my physical shop. This is where all my products are exclusively ordered, printed and shipped to the purchaser. None of the products are preprinted and just sitting on a shelf for shipment. Each product is printed for each individual order, carefully packaged with plenty of cushion and sent to you address via USPS.



Please Visit My Store

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