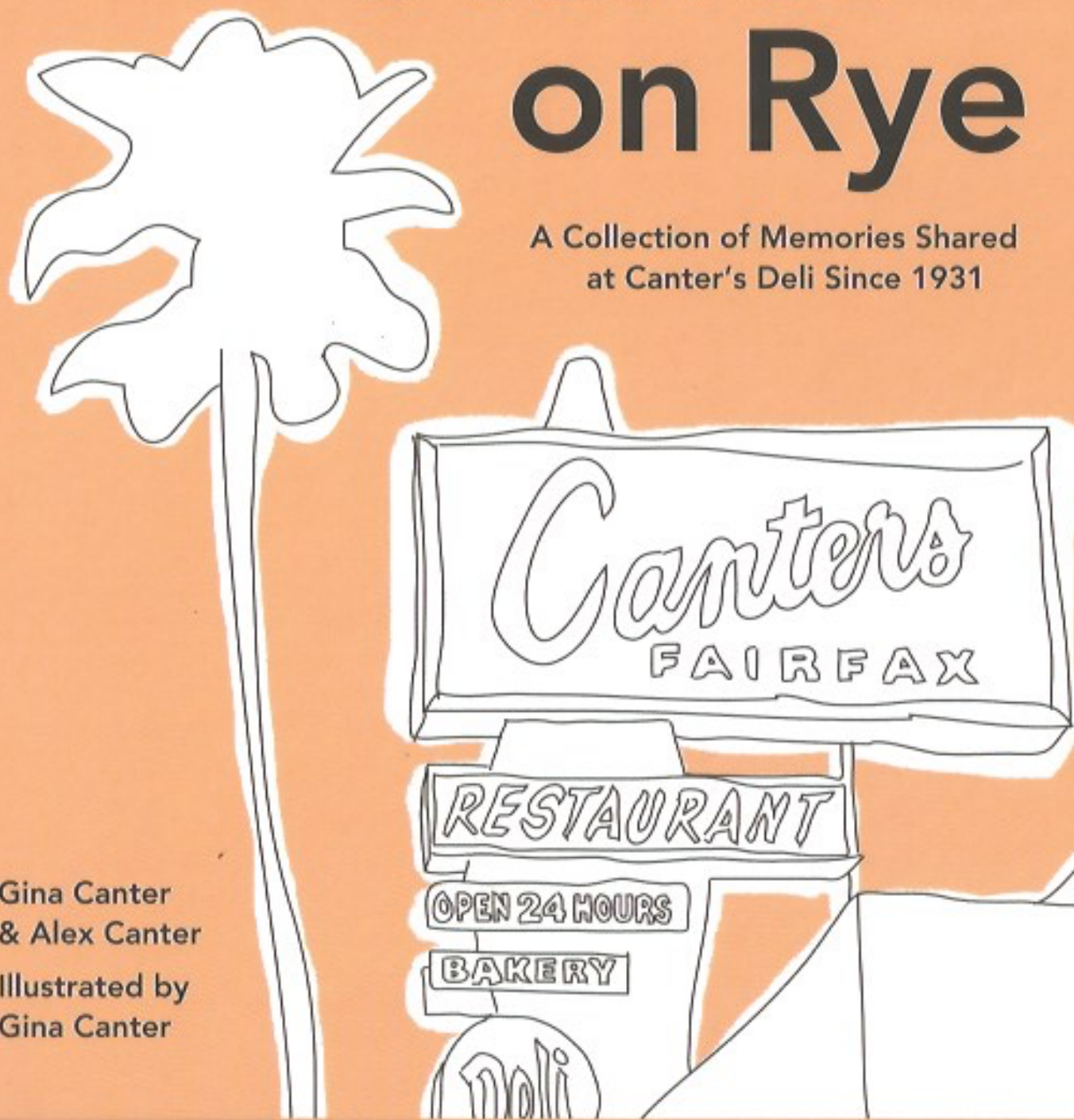


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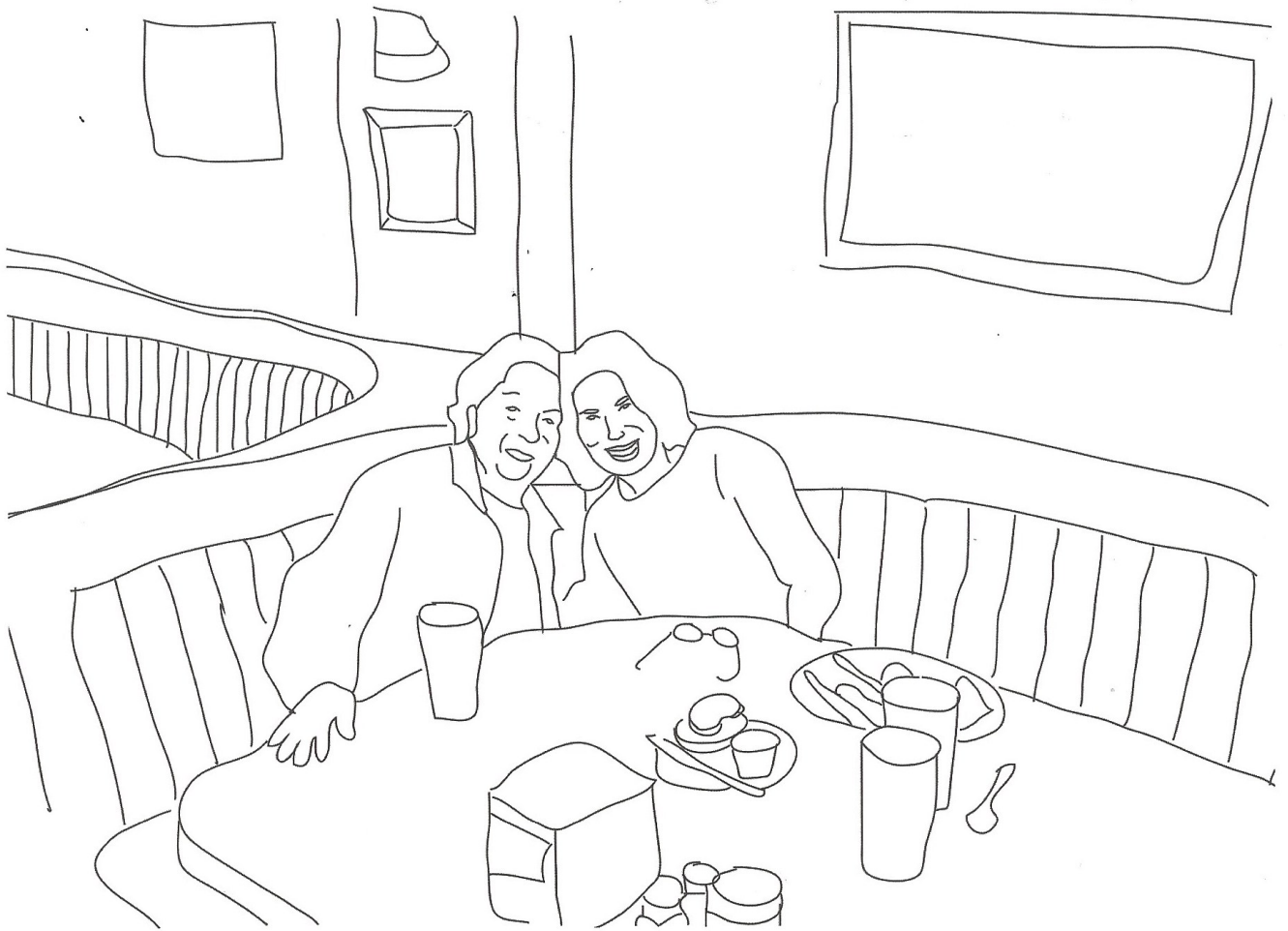
A Collection of Memories Shared
at Canter's Deli Since 1931



Gina Canter
& Alex Canter
Illustrated by
Gina Canter

"A former New Yorker, I moved to LA in 1977 to rejoin the tonight show with Johnny Carson. I moved my mom here years later after my dad died. She had beginning stages of dementia. She lived on Hayworth and I would frequently pick her up and take her to Canter's to breakfast or lunch. Sometimes at lunch, we sat in the back room, which mom loved. As her dementia worsened, we continued coming here for breakfast and she insisted on sitting in the back room which was not open for breakfast, with some exceptions. I couldn't get her to understand that, so I asked the always wonderful Shirley, the hostess, if it were possible. Her response, 'When you reach your mom's age, you should have anything you want.'

Barbara





Barbara and Mom



Barbara in the same booth with
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