

## Gift Of Age Questions

In the first part of the project, you will need to ask questions and record answers about the relative you have chosen. For you to understand how it is done, study the example below.

Example: Q; What was your work ethic when you were a child?

A: First I got up at 7 o'clock. My mom had breakfast ready for me when I came into the kitchen. It was usually oatmeal or pancakes- something hot to start the day. I walked about a mile and a half to school, unless it was raining. If it was raining one of the moms would drive us to school. Our school started at nine. Our desks were in rows. I worked very hard in school because I didn't want to get in trouble. When I came home from school, I ate dinner, went outside for an hour and then did my homework. I took dance classes until 8:30, ate supper, took a shower, read a little bit and went to bed at 9:30.

### **Childhood-**

1. When were you born?
2. Where were you born?
3. Where did you live?
4. Tell me about your family.
5. Which school did you go to and what was it like?
6. What were your grades and academic performance in school?
7. What was the first day of school like?
8. What did you see when you looked out your bedroom window?
9. What was your attitude towards life?
10. What were your family interests?
11. What were your wishes and dreams?
12. What was your most embarrassing moment?
13. Were you a member of any clubs and what activities did you take part in?
14. What did you think about the world you lived in?
15. What was your attitude in school?
16. What are some happy memories and sad moments?
17. What are the work ethics that you followed?
18. Tell me about your friends in school.
19. What were your favorite games, and what type of entertainment did you enjoy?
20. What were your important holidays and how did you celebrate?
21. What major inventions/innovations influenced the world?
22. What major events changed the world?

### **Teen Years-**

1. Where did you live when you were a teenager?
2. Did your view change from your bedroom window?
3. Which school did you go to and what was it like?
4. What were your grades and academic performance in school?
5. What activities did your family enjoy together?
6. Were you involved in any clubs and what activities did you like?
7. What was your first driving experience like?
8. What work ethics did you follow?
9. What were your important holidays and how did you celebrate?
10. Who were your friends?
11. What was your first job?
12. What was your most embarrassing moment?
13. What was your attitude towards life?
14. Did you date anyone? If so, what was your first date like?
15. What are some happy memories and sad moments?
16. What were your hobbies and interests?
17. What type of entertainment did you enjoy?
18. What did you think about the world you lived in?
19. What major inventions/innovations influenced the world?
20. What major events changed the world?
21. What were your wishes and dreams?

### **Adulthood-**

1. What work ethic do you follow?
2. Tell me about your family and children.
3. What is your view from your bedroom window?
4. What activities do/did your family enjoy together?
5. What are your wishes and dreams?
6. What was your most embarrassing moment?
7. What type of entertainment do you enjoy?
8. Who are your friends?
9. Tell me about your job.
10. What are your hobbies?
11. When and where did you move?
12. How is your adulthood different from your childhood?
13. What are your important holidays and how did you celebrate?
14. What are some happy memories and sad moments?
15. What do you think about the world we live in?
16. What major inventions/innovations influenced the world?
17. What major events changed the world?

18. What is your attitude towards life?
19. What obstacles have you overcome in your life?
20. What are you most proud of?
21. What is your advice for me?