

Why a Legacy Journal?

These are critical years. We're losing one of our richest, most meaningful natural resources - the wisdom of our mothers, fathers and grandparents who fought in the war, dug deeply into life through the depression years and experienced the transition from horse and buggy days to our wired world. The wisdom of our elders are the wells from which we draw understanding, knowledge and warnings against repeating the evil elements of history. Unless their conclusions on life are recorded, they will be lost. It seems such a waste that we die at the very point in time when we have learned the most.

While an ordinary will or last testament deals with one's material possessions at the time of death, an ethical will has to do with nonmaterial gifts - the values and life lessons that people wish to leave to others.

By recording our insights, wisdom and values, we can influence not only our families, but the Seven Mountains of Culture as defined by Lance Wallnau, an international leader in personal and organizational transformation.

THE SEVEN MOUNTAINS OF CULTURE



Purpose:

- Funeral homes can customize the Legacy Journals and include them as part of a pre-planning package for those planning or booking funerals.
- Baby boomers will be able to use the Legacy Journal as a tool, not only to record their history, but to have a voice into the oncoming generations while they still have their faculties.
- Organizations will be able to customize and distribute the Legacy Journal as a tool for the impartation of the wisdom that made our country strong, making an invaluable contribution to the days and years ahead.
- Volunteers will use Legacy Journals as tools to take into nursing homes and retirement homes to help their friends and loved ones record wisdom, values and experiences while there is still time. Once completed, elderly people will have wonderful gifts to give to their families for Christmas or birthdays.
- For those looking for a mentoring tool, "To My Family...My Life" makes a wonderful vehicle for communication between the generations. See My Legacy Links brochure.
- The Legacy Journal is a great idea for a special gift of the heart for any occasion — a wonderful retirement gift.
- Families who find it difficult to engage an elderly family member in conversation could find their visits an exciting challenge by adopting the Legacy Journal as a project to complete together, perhaps at the rate of one page per visit.
- Retirement homes can customize the Legacy Journal and give it as a welcoming gift to every new resident.

Price: Journals \$20.00 including tax CDs \$15.00 including tax.

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