Resources for Working With Older Adults
Materials used in the “Sharing Memories” workshop, November 5, 2014

Reminiscence and Memoir


Aging and Serving Seniors


_____. *Life gets better: the unexpected pleasures of growing older*. Tarcher/Penguin, 2011.


Magazines

Go beyond *Reminisce* and *Good Old Days* to discover titles like *Lapham’s Quarterly* that features short pieces on interesting topics, or special interest magazines like *Hemmings Classic Car* and *Poetry Magazine*. 
Sample Sources for Readings

Authors such as Erma Bombeck, Studs Terkel, Garrison Keillor, Roy Blount, Jr., Bill Cosby, David Sedaris, and Bill Bryson are some excellent sources for discussable pieces.


Auster, Paul, ed. *I thought my father was God – and other true tales from NPR’s National Story Project.* Henry Holt, 2001.


_____. *It was on fire when I lay down on it.* Villard, 1988.


Harrison, Ian. *Where were you when? 180 unforgettable moments in living history.* Reader’s Digest, 2006.


_____. *Ties that bind: stories of love and gratitude from the first ten years of StoryCorps.* Penguin, 2013.


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