

# Legacy Writing Ideas



*Your life tells a story; I can help you write it.*

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## **You Don't Have to Write a Book**

Some of the most meaningful legacy projects are simple, personal, and deeply treasured by children and grandchildren.

### **Letter-Writing Ideas**

- Write a letter to each child or grandchild.
- Share what you admire about them.
- Tell stories from your childhood.
- Offer your life lessons and prayers.
- Birthday (any holiday) letters about birthdays gone by, memories, etc.)

### **Journal and Reflection Ideas**

- Record daily gratitude and answered prayers.
- Document major turning points in your life.
- Reflect on lessons learned through hardship.
- Write about your relationship with God.

### **Mark the Miracles (Joshua 4)**

In Joshua 4, God instructed His people to set up stones of remembrance so future generations would ask, 'What do these stones mean?' Consider writing down some of the miracles that have marked your life:

- Times God clearly answered prayer
- Financial provision
- Healings and recoveries
- Unexpected blessings
- Family milestones

### **Family History Projects**

- Grandma's Story or Grandpa's Story
- A family cookbook with memories

- Timeline of your life
- Photo captions and stories
- Interview an older relative

### **Spiritual Legacy Ideas**

- Favorite Bible verses and why they matter
- Your testimony
- Prayers for future generations
- Stories of God's faithfulness

### **Creative Keepsakes**

- Christmas letters collected into a booklet
- Annotated family Bible
- 50 life lessons
- Advice to newlyweds or new parents
- Fun family stories and traditions

### **If You Do Want to Write a Book...**

- Memoir
- Family history
- Devotional or prayer journal
- Collection of letters
- Life lessons book
- Church or ministry history
- Cookbook with stories

### **A Simple Starting Point**

Choose one story, one lesson, or one person you want to bless—and start writing.

### **Final Encouragement**

God gave you a story worth preserving for the people who need it most. Your words can become a gift of faith, wisdom, and family history for future generations.