

## LESSON 3

# Gathering Information from Home

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### TALKS BY GENERAL AUTHORITIES

"Bridges and Eternal Keepsakes" by Elder Neuenschwander (Ensign, May 1999, 83).

"The Phenomenon That Is You" by President James E. Faust (Liahona, Nov 2003, 53-56).

"President Kimball Speaks out on Personal Journals" by President Spencer W. Kimball (New Era, Dec 1980, 26).

"O Remember, Remember" by President Henry B. Eyring (Ensign, November 2007, 66-69).

### ASSIGNMENTS

1. Begin or continue to keep a personal journal. Your descendants will want to know what your life entailed and about the experiences that you had. Journals are of great value. Record not only your daily experiences, but also spiritual experiences. Your ancestors will benefit greatly from your testimony. The only way they will know what that testimony is, is if you record it.

A great way to do this is to create a Journal Jar. There are various websites with instructions for creating a Journal Jar. One is: [http://www.scrapjazz.com/topics/Themes/About\\_Me/874.php](http://www.scrapjazz.com/topics/Themes/About_Me/874.php)

If you are more interested in blogging than keeping a journal, see: <http://www.bloggingtips.com/guides/starting-your-first-blog/>

2. Make a list of possible relatives that you can ask for family information, and then begin to contact them.

3. Organize and cite any copies of documents you received this week in your three ring binder or folder. Bring your binder to class the next week.

### NOTES

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