21 Questions Page

"There are no wrong answers. Skip a question, tell a story, laugh, get off topic-that's part of your story."

If you need instructions on recording your voice message and posting it to this page scroll down below the 21 questions.

1. **What is your full name, and were you named after anyone?**
2. **Where and when were you born, and where did you grow up?**
3. **What do you remember most about the home you grew up in?**
4. **What were your parents and grandparents like?**
5. **What did you like to do for fun as a kid?**
6. **What is one childhood memory that still makes you laugh?**
7. **What were holidays and family gatherings like when you were growing up?**
8. **What foods or family recipes remind you most of home?**
9. **Who were you closest to growing up, and what did you do together?**
10. **What was school like for you?**
11. **What was your first job, and what do you remember about it?**
12. **What was your first car—or the first car you remember your family having?**
13. **How did you meet your husband, wife, or someone special in your life?**
14. **What was one of the happiest days of your life?**

15. **What was one of the hardest times you went through, and what did it teach you?**
16. **What are you most proud of in your life?**
17. **What is something about you that your family might be surprised to learn?**
18. **What are some of your favorite things—food, music, cake or candy, hobbies, places, or anything else?**
19. **Who had the biggest influence on the person you became, and why?**
20. **What advice or life lesson would you like to pass down to your children, grandchildren, and future generations?**
21. **If your family listens to this recording many years from now, what would you like to say to them?**

Instructions on how to get your voice heard

Step 1. Find the voice recorder or voice memo on your phone, laptop, desktop, or tablet.

Step 2. Record your message and save it to your device.

Step 3. Email (share) it to me and I can post it on the **Family Voices page.**

Email Example:

To: adrian.mallett@gmail.com

Subject: Short description of recording

Body of email: You can add more detail but it's not neccessary.

Important info

When you record your 21 Questions message on the voice recorder split it into 2 or 3 recordings so the files can be emailed. You don't want a recording over 20 minutes because if the file is too large it will not let you attach it to the email. If it takes 5 twenty minute recordings so be it. Just label the emails accordingly so I can post them in order.

Thanks for your cooperation. Future generations will appreciate hearing you.

Until I see you later,

Adrian Mallett