

AGING

- DO YOU BELIEVE OLDER PEOPLE'S OPINIONS ARE WORTH MORE BECAUSE OF THEIR GREATER EXPERIENCE; OR WORTH LESS BECAUSE THEY'VE BECOME TOO SET IN THEIR WAYS?
- WHICH IS MORE IMPORTANT TO YOU ?-THAT A PERSON MAINTAIN YOUTH IN THEIR BODY, MENTAL ABILITIES, OR ATTITUDE?
- DO YOU WORRY ABOUT GROWING OLD?
- IF THEY COULD SLOW DOWN THE AGING PROCESS WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO LIVE MUCH LONGER THAN IS CURRENTLY NOW POSSIBLE?
- WHAT ARE YOUR FEELINGS ABOUT AGING? FEARS? HOPES?
- HOW PATIENT ARE YOU WITH OLD PEOPLE?
- HOW WOULD YOU FEEL ABOUT PUTTING YOUR PARENT IN A NURSING HOME?-WHAT DO YOU BELIEVE ABOUT NURSING HOMES? FOR YOURSELF? FOR LOVED ONES? DO CIRCUMSTANCES MAKE A DIFFERENCE?
- HOW WOULD YOU FEEL ABOUT BEING PLACED IN A NURSING HOME YOURSELF? WHAT WOULD YOU DO?
- DO YOU TEND TO LOOK AT THE ELDERLY IN TERMS OF WHAT THEY CAN DO OR CAN'T DO?
- WHAT AGE SEEMS TO BE THE IDEAL ONE FOR YOU?
- HOW LONG WOULD YOU LIKE TO LIVE?
- HOW OLD DO YOU EXPECT TO LIVE?
- HOW WOULD YOU HANDLE LIVING TO A VERY OLD AGE?
- WHEN WAS A TIME YOU FELT DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF YOUR AGE? HOW DID YOU FEEL? WHAT DID YOU DO?
- WHEN WAS A TIME WHEN BEING YOUR AGE WAS AN ADVANTAGE?
- WHAT DO YOU FEEL WOULD BEST ENHANCE THE LIVES OF THE ELDERLY?-OPPORTUNITIES TO SHARE THEIR WEALTH OF EXPERIENCE?, VISITS?, ACCEPTANCE? KEEPING THEM INVOLVED IN THE LARGER COMMUNITY?
- DO YOU EVER SPEND TIME WITH OLDER PEOPLE? DO YOU ENJOY IT?