



INTEREST GROUP
“Writing Our Lives”

Facilitated by:

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7400 York Road, Room 113B

Free and Open to All Osher Members

In *Saving Our Stories: A Legacy We Leave*, Richard L. Morgan has written, “Your life and mine is a once-told story, a blending of cherished memories of happy days, special moments, regrets, and losses. But it remains bits and pieces, fragments along the road, unless, as a result of being in touch with our story, the pattern emerges.” Join us as we set aside time from our busy lives to get in touch with our stories, write them, and explore how they create the patterns of our lives. We will begin each session with a memory jog or prompt, spend time writing and then if the group decides, have time for sharing and critiquing (for those who want feedback). We will begin with one hour and extend the time if the group decides to do so.

Thursdays

1:00 p.m.

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Linda Silvern, an Osher member, took “Writing Our Lives” at Auburn University OLLI in Auburn, Alabama for several semesters before coming to Baltimore in 2011. She now misses the camaraderie, dedicated time and the stories that this writing group made possible, and she wishes to assist our Osher members with writing and sharing (if they wish) their stories. Linda is a retired early childhood educator and is a weaver and quilter. She called upon her friend and mentor from AU, Dr. Terry Ley, to assist her in planning this interest group.

To join the group, contact Linda at 443-835-1991
lrsilvern@gmail.com or simply show up.