

Living Memorial Planning Worksheet

A Gentle Plan for Something That Can Grow Over Time

A living memorial does not need to be large or permanent. It may be a houseplant, a seasonal flower, a favorite walking route or a small act of care repeated over time.

Choose What Fits

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| ☐ Indoor potted plant | ☐ Balcony or patio plant |
| ☐ Seasonal flower | ☐ Small garden corner |
| ☐ Tree or shrub | ☐ Favorite walking route |
| ☐ Recurring nature visit | ☐ Conservation donation |
| ☐ Wildlife-supporting project | ☐ Something else |
| ☐ I am only gathering ideas | |

Why this idea feels meaningful

Available space

Approximate budget

Who may help

Questions I need to research

Indoor or outdoor

Climate or growing conditions

Time and energy available for care

What I already have

Before choosing a plant, confirm that it is suitable for your climate and safe around pets, children and local wildlife. Ask a qualified local nursery, veterinarian or relevant professional when needed.

My Gentle Plan

Begin with one manageable step. Other decisions can wait.

The memorial idea I may choose

The first manageable step

Materials or support I may need

Where it may be placed

A possible planting or dedication date

Words, name or message I may include

How I may care for it

What I may do if it changes over time

One decision that can wait

A rough sketch or placement idea

If a plant is not practical, a favorite route, seasonal walk, nature donation or recurring act of care can still become a living memorial. Its meaning is not measured by how long a plant survives.