

Writing the Stories of My Life: Remembering Through Caring and Healing

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Schedule of Topics:

Week 1: Writing For Ourselves and Writing for Others

An introduction to memoir writing, workshop-procedure and in-class writing.

Week 2: How to Give Effective and Engaging Feedback

Participants share and receive feedback on a piece of writing they have prepared during the week. Topics: Childhood and Caring

Week 3: Reflecting on Caring and Family

Participants share and receive feedback on the second piece of writing they have prepared. In-class writing.

Week 4: What have we brought back to life through caring? Is this such a thing?

Participants share and receive feedback on the third piece of writing they have prepared. In-class writing.

Week 5: How the Natural World Heals Itself / Moving Forward as Writers

Participants share and receive feedback on the fourth piece of writing they have prepared. In-class writing. Participants encouraged to collect and give a home to the writing done over the six weeks.

Week 6: The Polished Piece – Writing For Others

Participants share a longer piece and receive written feedback.