

The Five People *You* Meet in Heaven
Summer Reading Project—50 points

Necessary Supplies:

1. Quarter sheet of poster board or other **sturdy** surface (i.e. core board, etc.)
2. Markers, glue, scissors (anything you need for creativity)
3. Photographs, magazine cutouts, pics from the internet, etc.

Project:

→On the poster, you will make a storyboard collage of the five people you think YOU would meet in Heaven. Consider why you would meet the people you would, what lessons you think they would teach you, and what their Heavens would look like. All of this needs to be reflected on the poster. (NOTE: you can include people who are still alive and/or people you've never met...be creative! Think of how Albom did this in the book.)

→On the back of the poster board, write an explanation for each of your people, letting me know who each is, and explaining his/her lesson and Heaven to me. Keep this short and sweet; bullet points are fine. However, the written portion is very important because you will not be presenting this, so I will use your writing as a guide to understand your project.

Scoring:

Grading will be reflected in clear/relevant use of setting and symbolism, neatness, visual appeal/quality of work, effort, and thoroughness of completion. This project is a good time for creativity!

NOTE: a collage surface should be **completely** covered; you may choose the size of your project, but no smaller than a ¼ of a sheet of poster board and no larger than ½ a sheet. Obviously a ¼ sheet will have less space to cover.

NOTE: photographs of your chosen people are great!...BUT you need more than just a sheet of pics of your favorite friends. I need to see some symbolic representations and setting because that's what shows your critical thinking. A project that has unclear/insufficient symbolic representation and setting will result in a lowered grade.

Due date:

Projects are due Monday, August 24th.

Cut this part off and turn rubric in with project

Name

Rubric:

Project meets all requirements:	/25
Five people are selected	
Each person is represented by symbols which indicate who they are, where their heavens are, and what they will teach you.	
Project is neat and creative:	/10
Collage covers the entire poster surface	
Vivid colors and pictures are used	
No messiness!	
Each person/their heaven/their lesson is explained on the back of the poster.	/15
Total	<u>/50</u>

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The Five People I Meet in Heaven

Vincent Petix ~ Bryant-Denny Stadium ~ My husband's father ~ Vince will calm me down and explain the process in heaven. He'll teach me that good things come to those who are patient.

Kimberly Spain ~ Home with Her Four Boys ~ My former sister-in-law ~ Kim will teach me that, even when I felt silly about it, good always came from telling the people that I love how I feel. I will be reminded that it's never too late to tell someone you care.

Deanna ~ Prom ~ A former student ~ Deanna will show me the impact I have made on students' lives. I hope she shows me that they learned more than just reading and writing.

Robin Williams ~ A Stage with Laughing Audience ~ Beloved comedian and actor ~ Robin will point out all of the times in my life that I *thought* were horrible and stressful, but he'll show me that they were laced with funny moments. He'll remind me that it's okay to laugh and not take things too seriously sometimes.

Jeremy Petix ~ Top of the Kress Building ~ My husband ~ Jeremy will teach me that the toil and struggle of our lives built something great. He'll show me our legacy—our children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren—and what they became because of our influence.