



# "One Day in May"

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Describe your day on May 15, 2022.

Tell us whatever you'd like at whatever length you'd like. We think future students will especially appreciate hearing about concrete details -- What can you see and hear from where you are right now? What did you do for fun today? Did you cook or eat anything special? Who did you spend time with? Was today a day of rest? a day for religion? a day to catch up on work?

My husband, Alan, and I live in the suburbs of St. Louis, MO in a retirement community (Aberdeen Heights) run by Presbyterian Manors of Mid-America. We have been attending the First Presbyterian Church of Kirkwood for 71 years. Alan and I met singing in church choir. This morning we went to Sunday School and then to church service. Afterwards we came back to Aberdeen for brunch.

*We'd also like to hear about what a typical Sunday is/was like for you at Hanover. Tell us about how you usually spend/spent Sundays at Hanover – at whatever length you'd like. We think future students will especially appreciate hearing the small details of everyday life.*

I was in the choir at Hanover. Our choir sang at the Hanover Presbyterian Church on Sunday mornings. The choir loft wasn't big enough for all of us, so we had to take turns. I would walk to the church from Donner my freshman year and from the New Women's dorm my sophomore year. I would walk from the AOPi house my junior and senior years. My first 2 years Dr. Donald Morrison was the choir director and organist; my last 2 years Dr. J. David Wagner was.

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