



Artifacts

This is a picture of a bar that is very special to my family. The wood from this bar was originally a hay wagon that has been passed down through generations. This hay wagon connects many people in my life. My great-grandpa had started with it and he passed it down to my grandpa Wayne. Then it was left for my dad and by time that the wagon was very old. It was bound to break and one time when my mom was using it the boards just gave up and fell apart. After my mom died we took the wood from the wagon and a close family friend of ours built a bar. This is a symbol of my mom and my dad's family.

This artifact shows change in many ways. It shows that things that are important stay around for generations and generations. It also shows that eventually things will break and we will have to find a new use for them. That is exactly what my dad was thinking when he decided to take the wood and build a bar.

This hay wagon connects many families on my dad's side and some of my family friends we camp with. We are reminded of our grandparents. This artifact's current function is a bar on our camper deck. It is stabler than a table and we eat and play games on it. Now the bar lives at our camper. We attached this wooden bar to our camper deck this past summer. It is very important to my family because it reminds us of our mom. A lot of people who were close to my mom are involved in the building of this. Yes this bar used to be a wagon was first a hay wagon my great-grandpa used.

I think this should be kept nice. It has already been around in my family for three generations. It would mean a lot if it was kept around longer. I think my siblings and I should try hard to keep it nice and not ruin it. It is a very special thing to my dad especially and I think I would make him happy if it was kept around.

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