





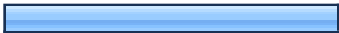













## 1. Demographics: I currently live in a

		Response Percent	Response Count
_____house		74.2%	95
_____apartment		3.1%	4
_____condo/co-op		17.2%	22
_____retirement community		3.1%	4
other_____		2.3%	3
answered question			128
skipped question			1






## 2. I am now:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____single (never married/partnered)		3.1%	4
____married		50.0%	64
-----first marriage		32.0%	41
-----second marriage		4.7%	6
-----third marriage		0.8%	1
____in a committed relationship		7.8%	10
____divorced		16.4%	21
____separated		0.8%	1
____widowed		13.3%	17
answered question			128
skipped question			1


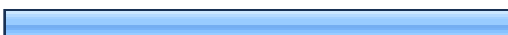


## 3. I currently

		Response Percent	Response Count
____work outside the home		21.6%	27
____am self-employed		15.2%	19
____do volunteer work		41.6%	52
-----retired		63.2%	79
answered question			125
skipped question			4

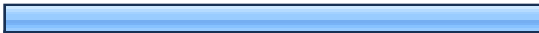



#### 4. I live in a

		Response Percent	Response Count
____large city		25.0%	32
____small city		16.4%	21
____small town		17.2%	22
____suburb		31.3%	40
____rural area		10.2%	13
answered question			128
skipped question			1







#### 5. Career and Retirement: If you have not retired or do not plan to retire in the near future, what is the most important factor in your decision not to do so?

		Response Percent	Response Count
____age (still too young)		6.8%	3
____still enjoy working		88.6%	39
____certainty of enough money to last the rest of my life		18.2%	8
____not sure of enough interests other than work to be content still financially responsible for children or parents		0.0%	0
other_____		9.1%	4
answered question			44
skipped question			85

## 6. When I retire I plan to:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____ stay in my current home		80.6%	50
____ stay in the same geographical area but change my residence		14.5%	9
____ move to a different part of the country		4.8%	3
____ move into a retirement community		0.0%	0
____ in the same geographical area		6.5%	4
____ in a different part of the country		0.0%	0
answered question			62
skipped question			67









## 7. After retirement I plan to:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____ begin a new career		6.5%	4
____ work in a new field		8.1%	5
____ do volunteer work		67.7%	42
____ study or take courses		46.8%	29
____ pursue current leisure interests		75.8%	47
____ explore new leisure interests		46.8%	29
answered question			62
skipped question			67





## 8. What courses and interests?

	Response Count
	56
answered question	56
skipped question	73





## 9. I am retired and find retirement(check all that apply)

		Response Percent	Response Count
____fulfilling		75.0%	63
____more stressful		4.8%	4
____less stressful than my previous life		45.2%	38
____keeps me growing		59.5%	50
____does not live up to my expectations		4.8%	4
____has enhanced my sense of identity		38.1%	32
____keeps me too busy		14.3%	12
____doesn't keep me busy enough		9.5%	8
	answered question		84
	skipped question		45






### 10. Health: I consider my health at present as:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____excellent		49.2%	62
____good		47.6%	60
____tolerable		2.4%	3
____poor		0.8%	1
answered question			126
skipped question			3

### 11. I rate my energy level as:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____super		24.4%	31
____regular		59.8%	76
____need occasional refueling		15.0%	19
____out of gas		0.8%	1
answered question			127
skipped question			2

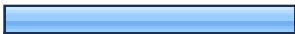








## 12. I exercise:

		Response Percent	Response Count
_____daily		34.1%	43
_____several times a week		49.2%	62
_____on weekends		1.6%	2
_____once in a while		14.3%	18
_____never		0.8%	1
answered question			126
skipped question			3

## 13. At my Age: I am satisfied with my









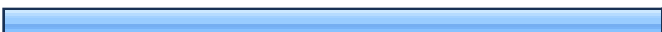





	Very satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Not satisfied	Response Count
health	58.6% (75)	37.5% (48)	3.9% (5)	128
religious/spiritual life	67.0% (75)	33.0% (37)	0.0% (0)	112
intellectual life	57.8% (74)	39.8% (51)	2.3% (3)	128
marital status	80.9% (93)	16.5% (19)	2.6% (3)	115
relationship with my spouse/significant other	77.4% (72)	21.5% (20)	1.1% (1)	93
relationship with my children/stepchildren	75.2% (88)	21.4% (25)	3.4% (4)	117
friends	73.8% (93)	23.8% (30)	2.4% (3)	126
professional life	59.1% (39)	33.3% (22)	7.6% (5)	66
answered question				128
skipped question				1

#### 14. On a personal level, I am most concerned about: (check all that apply)



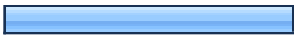





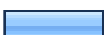






		Response Percent	Response Count
____my health/mortality		43.5%	50
____the health/mortality of my partner/parents/friends		41.7%	48
____my children's health or well- being		55.7%	64
____coping with and accepting losses		28.7%	33
____my physical safety		1.7%	2
____my present financial situation		10.4%	12
____my future financial situation		33.0%	38
____the prospect of retirement (if you haven't retired)		3.5%	4
____other		10.4%	12
answered question			115
skipped question			14











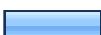


## 15. I use (check all that apply)

		Response Percent	Response Count
____a computer		100.0%	128
____a VCR		51.6%	66
____a DVD player		84.4%	108
____a cell phone		96.1%	123
____a personal data device (i.e., Palm Pilot)		21.9%	28
____an answering machine or service		93.0%	119
____a modem		55.5%	71
____a fax machine		56.3%	72
____an email address		99.2%	127
____a personal web page		13.3%	17
____Ipod		18.8%	24
____wireless connection		71.9%	92
____digital camera		81.3%	104
-----an I Pad		20.3%	26
answered question			128
skipped question			1





## 16. I would like more(check all that apply):

		Response Percent	Response Count
____income		46.6%	54
____free time		25.0%	29
____family time		43.1%	50
____activities		13.8%	16
____spiritual life		7.8%	9
____energy		40.5%	47
____political clout		25.0%	29
-----other		1.7%	2
____exercise time		14.7%	17
____mental challenges		17.2%	20
____social time		19.0%	22
____friends		19.8%	23
____grandchildren		19.0%	22
____intimacy		19.0%	22
____solitude		8.6%	10
answered question			116
skipped question			13













**17. I devote a substantial amount of volunteer time to: (check all that apply)**

		Response Percent	Response Count
____ culture and the arts		34.0%	36
____ education		34.0%	36
____ the environment		18.9%	20
____ politics (local/state/national)		20.8%	22
____ social service		24.5%	26
____ feminism		4.7%	5
____ MHC		13.2%	14
____ church, synagogue or mosque		31.1%	33
____ profession-related		14.2%	15
____ youth organizations		4.7%	5
-----other		22.6%	24
answered question			106
skipped question			23




## 18. Currently, I would describe myself as:

		Response Percent	Response Count
____radical		1.6%	2
____liberal		73.4%	94
____centrist		20.3%	26
____conservative		4.7%	6
____extremely conservative		0.0%	0
answered question			128
skipped question			1











### 19. In the last 5 years I have become more (check all that apply):

		Response Percent	Response Count
____liberal		40.5%	49
____conservative		10.7%	13
____optimistic		14.0%	17
____pessimistic		31.4%	38
____religious		9.9%	12
____ambitious		4.1%	5
____laid back		30.6%	37
____tolerant		43.8%	53
____fun-loving		16.5%	20
____patient		40.5%	49
____impatient		12.4%	15
____other		5.8%	7
answered question			121
skipped question			8










### 20. . The Big Picture On the whole, the last five years have been

		Response Percent	Response Count
____relatively productive and happy		79.0%	98
____uneven		16.1%	20
____difficult		4.8%	6
answered question			124
skipped question			5











## 21. In the last 5 years, the biggest change in my life has occurred in the area of

		Response Percent	Response Count
____intimate relationship(s)		15.5%	17
____sexuality		5.5%	6
____family relationships		21.8%	24
____work/career		20.0%	22
____financial situation		18.2%	20
-----other		5.5%	6
____health		<b>26.4%</b>	<b>29</b>
____spiritual life		7.3%	8
____sense of self		21.8%	24
____creative pursuits		16.4%	18
answered question			<b>110</b>
skipped question			<b>19</b>



## 22. Who has had the greatest influence on your personal growth in the past ten years?

		Response Percent	Response Count
____children		29.8%	34
____husband/partner		41.2%	47
____peers/colleagues		26.3%	30
____friends		<b>45.6%</b>	<b>52</b>
____family		26.3%	30
____lover		3.5%	4
____teacher		2.6%	3
____clergy/religious		7.9%	9
____psychologist		7.0%	8
answered question			<b>114</b>
skipped question			<b>15</b>

### 23. What do you consider to be the greatest threats facing American society?

		Response Percent	Response Count
___ Gap between rich and poor, poverty, welfare		80.6%	104
___ lack of social concern, selfishness		60.5%	78
___ decline of educational system and standards		63.6%	82
___ breakdown of family		21.7%	28
___ crime, violence, terrorism		10.9%	14
___ breakdown of values, ethics, materialism, greed		54.3%	70
___ illegal drugs		7.8%	10
___ racism		14.0%	18
___ wars		22.5%	29
___ environmental pollution		60.5%	78
answered question			129
skipped question			0

### 24. Do you think a woman has the right to a legal abortion?

		Response Percent	Response Count
___ Yes		97.6%	122
___ No		2.4%	3
answered question			125
skipped question			4





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1	crafts, travel	Apr 7, 2012 4:18 PM
2	art, history	Apr 2, 2012 12:19 PM
3	history, religion bridge, gardening	Mar 21, 2012 7:43 AM
4	learn to play the piano.....gardening.....hiking and biking	Feb 29, 2012 4:38 PM
5	will try to get prior writing published will seek editing clients	Feb 28, 2012 4:11 PM
6	I am a retired piano teacher but would like to return to the piano for myself	Feb 27, 2012 1:56 PM
7	Early childhood science and math education, education as transformation, girls and womens education.	Feb 27, 2012 3:44 AM
8	i don't plan to retire.	Feb 26, 2012 11:37 AM
9	art history	Jan 28, 2012 2:17 PM
10	Landscape design, environment	Jan 26, 2012 5:38 AM
11	Interests	Jan 24, 2012 2:51 PM
12	art, literature, bridge (both courses and interest). Travel	Jan 24, 2012 2:08 PM
13	art, music, theater, literature, exercise, kayaking	Jan 11, 2012 9:50 AM
14	fitness & exercise literature reading	Jan 1, 2012 8:50 AM
15	courses in music, political science and education; travel; reading; gardening at our farm in the country; grandchildren; volunteer work as an advocate for NYC's children	Dec 29, 2011 8:26 AM
16	A class in Memoir writing	Dec 20, 2011 2:36 PM
17	italian, geo-politics, geology	Dec 20, 2011 9:47 AM
18	swimming church work and visiting	Dec 19, 2011 10:32 AM
19	Volunteer work can cover a broad range of activities. I am currently serving on many boards, local, state, and national. My goal is to save the world!	Dec 13, 2011 6:48 PM
20	Women's education and social / economic change; not for profit and post-crisis aid.	Dec 13, 2011 4:05 AM
21	Literature, history courses, Staying physically active; Political activity or volunteer work in the community or internationally.	Dec 12, 2011 4:27 AM
22	Travel Courses at local university	Dec 10, 2011 10:26 AM
23	Reading, Gardening, visiting family	Dec 9, 2011 8:41 AM
24	Have pursued Latin, French, Anglo-Saxon courses.	Dec 9, 2011 7:22 AM

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25	languages, more travel, reading, tennis, hiking, etc...	Dec 9, 2011 1:19 AM
26	travel, crafts/knitting, gardening, bridge, mahjonn, music	Dec 8, 2011 9:13 PM
27	Language History	Dec 8, 2011 9:09 PM
28	I'm writing fiction and doing literary translations from the Italian.	Dec 8, 2011 1:21 PM
29	1) Native plant identification, photography, propagation. 2) Family histories, genealogies. 3) Travel.	Dec 8, 2011 5:48 AM
30	Writing Animal Rights	Dec 7, 2011 4:23 PM
31	Foreign language (farsi), learning about the middle east.	Dec 7, 2011 3:00 PM
32	LANGUAGE COURSES, HIKING, READING, COOKING	Dec 7, 2011 1:53 PM
33	Music	Dec 7, 2011 9:35 AM
34	Italian, historical preservation; progressive politics, youth, environment	Dec 7, 2011 7:41 AM
35	questions not easy to answer 3.I am currently unemployed looking for work 7. don't plan on retiring - can't afford to; 9. not retired	Dec 6, 2011 9:17 PM
36	Since retirement, I have begun oil painting and continued writing, including a published book. Am now working on an extensive family history for my children and grandchildren, in addition to volunteer board work. Life is good!	Dec 6, 2011 8:50 PM
37	Courses in world affairs, music, art, and literature. Leisure interests include reading, film, theater. grandchildren (especially those).	Dec 6, 2011 7:13 PM
38	Photography, music - Hammered Dulcimer, cooking for health and special needs	Dec 6, 2011 7:07 PM
39	photography, yoga, hiking, tennis, travel	Dec 6, 2011 6:16 PM
40	History, Political Science, International Relations, Literature, Art	Dec 6, 2011 6:00 PM
41	History, music, travel	Dec 6, 2011 5:15 PM
42	Travel. reading, walking, taking care of grandkids	Dec 6, 2011 4:43 PM
43	Creative experimental art poetry	Dec 6, 2011 4:35 PM
44	languages, art and arts, refugee work, live abroad, work as long as my brain does.	Dec 6, 2011 3:42 PM
45	Golf, skiing, hiking, snowshoeing, music, govt.	Dec 6, 2011 3:18 PM
46	tai chi	Dec 6, 2011 3:06 PM
47	computer science, political science	Dec 6, 2011 3:04 PM
48	writing poetry, photography, travel, attend cultural events, exercise, continue in book group	Dec 6, 2011 3:02 PM

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49	Sailing,Kayaking,xc skiing, downhill skiing.hiking	Dec 6, 2011 2:34 PM
50	art, music, poetry, animal cruelty prevention, ministries to the poor in the city, including the children, the environment crisis, and my christian faith which is overarching.	Dec 6, 2011 2:28 PM
51	Science and music	Dec 6, 2011 2:20 PM
52	I am involved with the Osher Lifelong Learning Inst. where I teach a course on intergenerational relationships and take courses on genetics, the New Yorker, Literature and Aging, Bioethics, poetry	Dec 6, 2011 1:52 PM
53	Exercise, caring for animals, yoga...	Dec 6, 2011 1:14 PM
54	Learn italian, take classes in current policies and politics and literature.	Dec 6, 2011 1:08 PM
55	spanish, travel	Dec 6, 2011 1:06 PM
56	History, literature, art history, studio art Quilting, political activitsm	Dec 6, 2011 1:01 PM