

## Our Home

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The home I work in is a home for all,  
We live in each moment and make it special,  
Welcoming everyone with a big smile on our face,  
Each person has a story to tell, waiting to be embraced.

We love each individual for who they are,  
It's amazing to hear about their adventures so far,  
Listening is important so we know what to do,  
Our lifestyles team is always looking for something new.

Many of our residents have travelled far and wide,  
Others reminisce about when they were a groom or bride,  
The smile on their face is a wonderful sight to see,  
Their eyes light up with so much warmth and glee.

The connection between staff and residents is like no other,  
To us they are family who can turn to one another,  
It is important to us that no one feels judged,  
And for everyone to know that they are forever loved.

