

### Dandelion Wine Vignette Suggestions

While reading the book, certain topics may spawn responses. You are to write 10 vignettes in response to ideas presented in the book. They may be in any order although I would appreciate a sentence explaining the connection between the book and your memoir (just in case I don't get the connection.) The following are suggestions:

Some object you believed to be magical (new shoes)  
A family tradition (hanging the porch swing)  
Unwanted inventions (special grass)  
A special neighbor (the man who told the stories)  
Being in a time warp (the man and woman who would have been in love if they had been the same age)  
Your version of a happiness machine  
Trash to treasure or the other way around  
A childhood fear (Lonely One)  
Something you refused to believe (the woman who was once young)  
You know it is summer when... (lightning bugs)  
Grandparents...a connection

These should all be personal narratives although you are allowed to exaggerate as appropriate for the voice and tone of the piece.

Also as you read, pick out 5+ places where Bradbury's language "speaks to you."