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Shannon McMillan is Coordinator of the Restoring Family Links Program of the Canadian Red Cross, <http://ow.ly/xdFkb>. She talks about her career and experience of family caregiving. She highlights the histories of the Red Cross and its Restoring Family Links Program. She explains the separations of the people the program serves, the effects on families and loved ones, and the humanitarian needs. She explains Family Links, how the program decides that one has been lost, and the procedure if the person sought is too ill to be connected with, or is detained in some way. She describes how the Link

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Shannon McMillan is Coordinator of the Restoring Family Links Program of the Canadian Red Cross, <http://ow.ly/xdFkb>. She's worked for the Canadian Red Cross for 25 years. From 1987 until 1997 she coordinated Home Support Services for Seniors for the District of Algoma at the local branch in Sault Ste Marie, Ontario. In 1997 she moved to Ottawa and the National office where she joined the Restoring Family Links Program. As the Coordinator, she works with the Manager, Christine Bloch, and a team of 4 volunteers. Her work included attending an Annual Meeting of the European RFL Network in Bad Arolson, Germany. The network includes Canada, US, Australia and New Z

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