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Recent Presentations

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Bengtson, V. L. (2017, October). *Religiosity and Aging: Patterns of Change When Approaching the End of Life*. Presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

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Bengtson, V. L., Endacott, C., Sung, S., Johnson, M., & Silverstein, M. (2016, November). *Older adults' religious trajectories: Accounts of spiritual and religious change in later life*. Presented at the 71st Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

Bengtson, V. L., Endacott, C., Kang, S., Gruhn-Bengtson, H., & Silverstein, M. (2016, October). *The greying of churches: Perspectives of clergy and older congregants*. Presented at the 58th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Atlanta, GA.

Bengtson, V. L. (2016, October). *The new aging: How we are unique and how American society isn't prepared for us—yet.* Presented to the Cosmopolitan Group, Santa Barbara, CA.

Bengtson, V. L. (2016, September). *Intergenerational solidarity: A model that became a theory of intergenerational relationships*. Presented at the International Conference on Families, Caregiving, and Public Policy at Yezreel Valley College, Jezreel Valley, Israel.

Bengtson, V. L. (2016, June). *New directions in theories of aging*. Presented at the Nordic Congress of Gerontology, Tampere, Finland.

Bengtson, V. L. (2016, February). *Families, religion, and aging: Results from a 35-year study*. The 2016 Leon and Josephine Winkleman Memorial Lecture. Presented at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

Bengtson, V. L. (2016, February). *The importance of theory in social work research*. Presented at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.