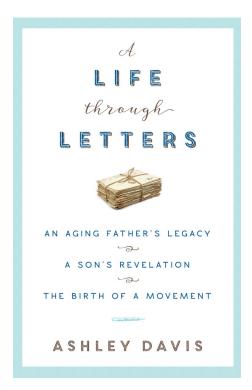
Ash Davis Releases *A Life Through Letters* in Correspondence with National Letter Writing Day



November 29, 2016 (CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA) – It's a lost art – letter writing – but author Ashley (Ash) Davis is hoping to get people once again putting pen to paper with the launch of his new book, *A Life Through Letters* this fall.

The book will be released on December 7th, 2016, a day celebrated as National Letter Writing Day. Davis will host a letter-writing event that evening at Rush Espresso to inspire all in attendance to write a letter to someone in his or her life.

A Life Through Letters is a memoir/ collection of letters written by Davis's late father, Robert Davis, who wrote letters to each person who impacted and touched his

life. In an age where letter writing seems like a lost means of communication, Davis encourages people to see the value in this meaningful form of communication.

National Letter Writing Day encourages people of all ages and walks of life to put technology aside and pick up a pen and paper. This day encourages reflection on the sentiments often lost to the convenience of technology.

Davis is passionate about reinstilling the importance of handwritten messages, which he believes have been lost in today's technology-filled and fast-paced world. He believes that connecting with others through writing has the power to create a huge and lasting impact on others, and he invites you to find inspiration in his father's words and to share in the letter writing movement inspired by "A Life Through Letters."

"The letters my father wrote have affected our whole family and the way I raise my own sons. This project isn't just about a book, it's about connecting with people in a meaningful way, through a medium we oftentimes forget. Ask yourself, who has helped shaped your life? What would you like to you say to them? And then... write it down," says Davis. "Letters last longer than tweets or texts, they last a lifetime, and sometimes beyond..."

Meet the author at Rush Espresso (Ballantyne) on December 7th from 6 pm to 8 pm. Davis will be signing first edition copies of "A Life Through Letters." In addition, stationery and advice will be provided to help readers get started on sharing their story or appreciation of others through the art of letter writing. Davis plans to mail everyone's letters that night in hopes to create the birth of a letter writing movement.

Connect with Ash through social media and learn more at www.alifethroughletters.com.

More thoughts on A Life Through Letters:

"My brother has always been a dreamer. Of the sons born to Robert Gray Davis and Harriet Black Davis, Ash was always the one chasing rainbows at the end of the storm; it came as no surprise that he was able to take on the task of sharing the series of letters penned by our father," says Benjamin Davis, the youngest of the three Davis boys.

"A Life Through Letters is more than a beautiful tribute," says Phil Macko, Founder of Second Starters. "It is a deeply personal, beautifully presented invitation into the mind of both the author and his father, as well as a powerful view of the relationships that mattered to a man of character. And finally, it is an elegant reminder that we all must take the time to honor those who matter to us, by word and by deed."

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