Helping the Person by Sustaining Relationships

Overhead/Handout 7.1. What People with Dementia Need from Their Families

- Affection, love
- A sense of belonging
- Adequate care and supervision if they are living at home
- Visits
- A way to sustain roles
- To relate to them as they are now
- To take responsibility for their care, safety, and finances
- To relate to the staff so that care is effective

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