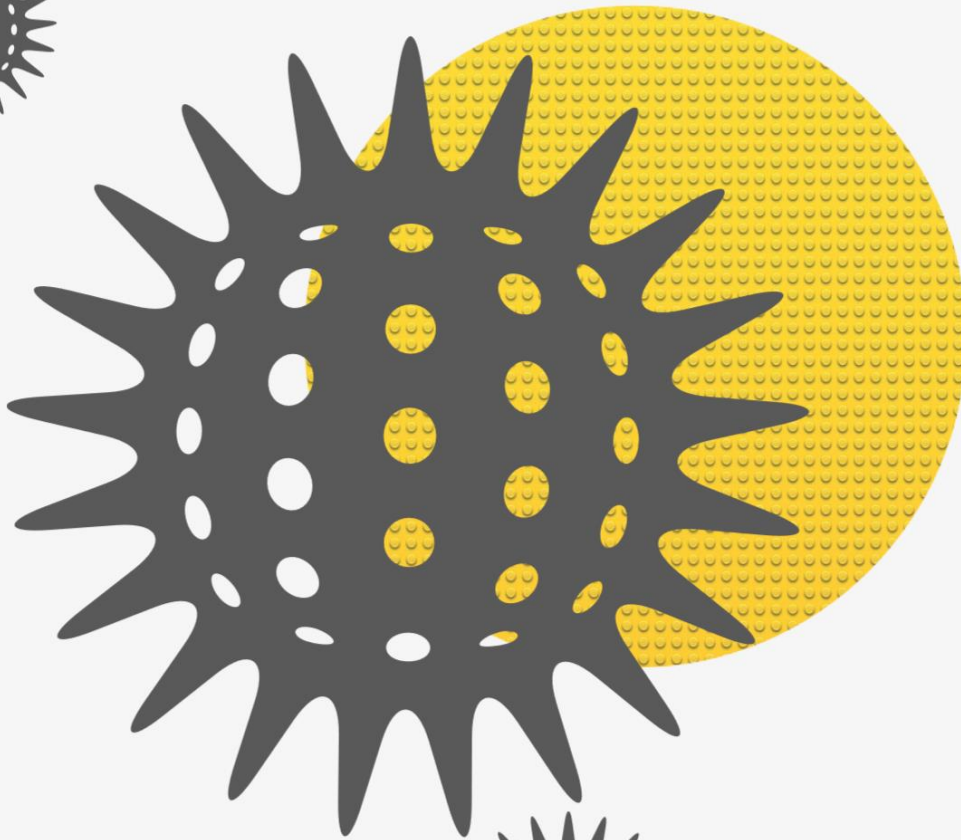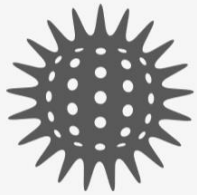# MAPUTIATOTA'S CORONA-STUCK NANO EBOOK 6

PRACTICAL TIPS ON WHAT TO DO WHILST STUCK AT HOME.

Live productively during the Corona Virus lockdown!

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Introduction

Hello! Welcome to my **sixth** book in a **14 part** nano-ebook series. I'm Maputiatota*, and I live in this amazing country, Zimbabwe. Very little content is available about how to live **productively** during the Corona Virus lockdown, and I am on a mission to leave you better than you were when the lockdown began.

Excited? Well so am I! I hope you will enjoy this short read!

Family Trees

Well, since we have so much time on our hands, why not use it to get to know more about our family members, and ancestors? Who knows where this fun adventure could lead us. Before I begin, I'll give a basic introduction, then share how we can do this.

What is a family tree?

A family tree is a historical record which shows the links between family members. This can be quite useful for preserving your family history.

What can the family tree be used for?

Well these are quite necessary for identifying genetic diseases. Medical professionals will find this information quite handy, and you can use it to establish the likelihood of passing a disease to your descendants.

Also, you can use the information to do preventative planning. If you know which diseases your family usually succumb to, then you can do some sort of preventative planning to address the issues. This includes modifying your diet, including exercise, etc.

The tree can be used to prove or disprove important questions of law. Example: Imagine all the chaos that happened after the world wars. Land disputes could be settled by establishing family trees.

In addition, they can be used to give great stories to your children as you will explain how you are related to that crazy uncle and that drama-queen aunt.

What should be included?

- Names of individuals
- Professions of the individuals
- Dates of marriage
- History of any genetic problems
- What you found pleasant about that individual
- Any important achievements done by individuals

Creating a family tree could be a fun activity to do:

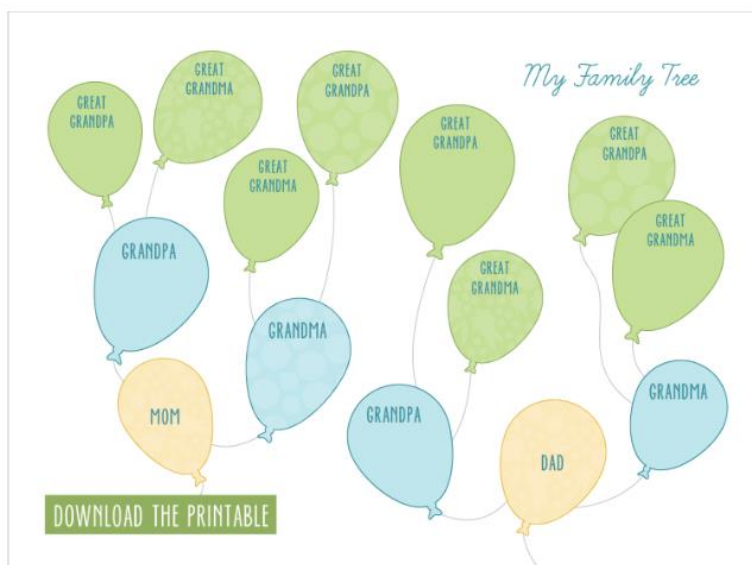- On your own,
- With your family, or,
- With your partner

So let's see how you can get started

P.S. This is quite an exciting but fun project which involves a lot of work. So make sure you eat before you start because your brain will surely need all those calories!

Concept 1

Concept 2

Head over to https://www.personalcreations.com/blog/family-tree-ideas to get more templates.

You can then customize the family tree to suit your exact needs.

Hey! What about us techies?

Fear not. I haven't left you out. Here's a list of free software that you could find handy:

- [Lecacy Family Tree Standard](),
- [RootsMagic Essentials]() and;
- [TreeView Lite]().

Is it the end already?

Well no. After finishing the family tree project, the next best step is to start the family history project. This will be rather long. Here's how it could work:

- Create a family tree
- Find pictures of everyone in that family tree
- Try to get short videos interviewing each of the members (that are still alive).
- Compile all of this into a video project
- Create a mini documentary from the video project

Bonus Tip: Make sure your crazy uncle gets a good chunk of time in the video project. That will make it quite fun.

Your descendants will be very happy to get to "know" you many years after your move onto the afterlife.

Conclusion
This brings us to the end of this nano ebook
Tomorrow we will talk about the words Thank You.

I hope you enjoyed it. For more material, feel free to head over to my blog
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