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Scholarly Summaries of Research on Later-Life Marriage and Family Life

Over the years, a number of scholars have summarized, synthesized, and critiqued the research on later-life marriage and family life. The references below are excellent sources for further information.


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