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Principles of Software Engineering

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Project Overview

Project Summary

• This project proposes the development of a **Digital Memory Keeper** application designed to modernize the traditional family photo album by integrating multimedia and personal reflection in an organized digital space.

Project Title



Problem Statement

- Current memory-keeping methods are not so practical: Physical photo albums are easily and permanently destroyed, while digital photos are disorganized and lack the crucial personal thoughts and emotional context necessary for meaningful retrieval.
- This means families and individuals risk losing their most cherished milestones because the memories are either physically vulnerable or digitally fragmented and meaningless. We lack a dedicated platform that allows users to permanently merge photos with personal reflections to build cohesive, lasting narratives.

Target Users

- Families with Young Children: Seeking a secure, organized way to document and narrate their children's milestones (first words, daily life, growth) in detail.
- Individuals & General Users: Anyone looking for a dedicated digital space to combine and permanently preserve their personal memories, photos, and private thoughts/reflections.

Core Features

- **Memory Packages:** A single, unified unit that combines photos and videos with the user's personal thoughts and reflections.
- Connections (Narrative Linking): The ability to link multiple Memory Packages together to create continuous stories or timelines (e.g., from an event's beginning to its end).
- Archiving & Retrieval: A system for digital storage, organization, and efficient searching of all saved packages.

What Makes It Unique?

• Our platform is the only solution that guarantees the preservation of why the photo was taken (the thought/reflection) and how it connects to other life events (the connection/narrative), solving the problem of digitally scattering precious memories.

Comparison With Competitors

- Cloud StorageGoogle Photos: Excellent for storing photos, but it is purely file-based. The emotional context and reflection are absent, and memories are isolated, not connected to form a narrative.
- Family Album: is primarily a photo-sharing app that organizes memories automatically by date. Our app, however, is unique because it forces the permanent combination of a photo with a personal thought into a single "Memory Package." This allows users to create connected, continuous life stories rather than just a disorganized collection of files, offering deep personal context that simple chronological sharing cannot match.

Monetization plan



Technology Stack

Technologies and Tools



Frameworks or Libraries

Programming Language

Service Providers

Database and System

Tools for Hosting



Fitting of Technology Choices to our Team

Initial Design

Wireframes



Main Pages/Views

User Flow Diagram

Basic Architecture Diagram

Development Setup

GitHub Repository Link

GitHub Project Board Created

Initial Issues

