Look at a classical concert on TV



Objective:

The aim of this activity is to provide the elderly person with the opportunity to enjoy a concert experience within the comfort of their own space. By watching and listening to a classical music concert on TV, they can experience the joy and beauty of live performances and musical art. The goal is to create a meaningful and cultural experience.

Description of how the activity should be done:

- Select a time that suits the elderly person and ensure the TV and sound system are ready for use.
- Choose a classical music concert to watch on TV. Ensure the TV is tuned to the correct channel or that you have access to the chosen concert via a streaming service or DVD.
- Explain to the elderly that they will be watching a classical music concert on TV.
- Start the concert on TV and sit together with the elderly to enjoy the performance.
- After the concert ends, you can discuss the experience. Ask the elderly person if they
 enjoyed the concert and if there was anything particular they noticed during the
 performance.

What is needed to perform the activity:

- A TV with access to the chosen concert.
- A functioning sound system to ensure good sound quality.

Time: Long



Activity: Calming



Fellowship: Alone



The length of the concert varies depending on the chosen piece. A typical classical music concert can last between 1 to 2 hours. The activity can be as short or long as the elderly person desires.

This activity can be done alone; it is designed to be enjoyed as a personal concert experience.

Source: The activity is created with inspiration from models and ideas from national material banks. <u>Äldreinstitutets material på svenska</u>, <u>Hyvä mieli – Pohdintoja mielen hyvinvointiin -työkirja ikäihmisille</u>, <u>Vahvike-aineistopankki</u>) and ChatGTP's proposal