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Introduction

The Micro-Activity # 13 subject is based on Flashbulb memory; Flashbulb memories are a

type of autobiographical memory. They are based on elements of personal importance,

consequence, emotion, and surprise. My example used for Flashbulb memory is I can say the

earthquake that held in my country (Haiti) on January 12, 2010. The Micro-Activity #14 is divided

into two sections; USA today, covid-19 and its ravage in meat plants, and the middle-class in the

American family.

Citation: Roger Hock," Flashbulb memory."

Textbook: Forty studies that changed psychology.

Citation: USA today, covid-19 ravaged meat plants (Published October 1, 2020, at 5:00

a.m.)

**Citation: NBC NEWS** 

What happened to the middle-class American family? (Published March 18, 2015)

Conclusion

For the flashbulb memory, many areas of research concerning emotion and memory

involve the phenomenon known as flashbulb memories. They call it flashbulb memory in

psychology because it is the memory of learning something so shocking or surprising that it creates

a strong and seemingly very specific memory of learning about an event. The example I took for

the earthquake that happened in Haiti in 2010, I can explain it as it happened yesterday. For COVID-19, the coronavirus has transformed all of our lives, including a meat factory business, which is a business that hires people. However, this company did not care about the lives of its employees during the pandemic. For middle-class Americans, more than 40% of American children are now born to single parents, up from just 5% in 1960, according to the Pew Research Center. Pew defines the middle class as those whose annual household income is two-thirds to double the national median, which was \$ 57,617 in 2016. Then, the middle-class American family is of stable size but is losing ground financially for the benefit of high-income families.