GUN VAULT

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FIREARM INVENTORY RECORD SHEETS

One record per firearm. Print it, fill it in by hand, keep it in the safe.

This is the paper half of a firearm inventory. The sheets that follow have one block per firearm with every field an insurer, a police report or a probate court is going to ask for. Fill them in with a pen, put them in a binder, and tell the person who will handle your estate where that binder is.

There is an Excel and a CSV version of the same thing at the address in the footer. Also free, also no email.

FILLING IT IN

Model	Write the complete official designation, not the family name. "Model 70 Classic Super Grade", not "Model 70". Value tracks the variant.
Serial number	Exactly as stamped, including letter prefixes and suffixes. This is the single field a theft report, an insurance claim and a probate inventory all turn on. Check it against the firearm, not against an old receipt.
NFA item	Circle Y for a suppressor, short-barreled rifle or shotgun, machine gun, AOW or destructive device — anything that came in on a Form 1, Form 4 or Form 5. Note where the stamp is filed.
Condition and standard	A grade means nothing without the scale it came from. Write both: "Excellent / NRA Modern", or "95% / Blue Book".
Value, date and source	Fair market value is what insurance pays and what probate uses. Always write the date you set it and where the number came from. An undated value is not evidence.
Storage location	Describe it for someone who has never opened your safe.
Beneficiary	Who the firearm is intended for. This sheet is a record, not a will — keep it consistent with the actual document.
Photo reference	Photograph each firearm, both sides, plus a close-up of the serial. Write the filename here. Keep the photos somewhere other than the phone you took them on.

TWO WARNINGS ABOUT PAPER

Paper burns, and paper gets stolen along with the safe. Photograph or scan the completed sheets and keep that copy somewhere else — a relative's house, a bank box, cloud storage you actually remember the password to.

Values go stale. Review the estimated value once a year and write the new date beside it. A fifteen-year-old figure will underpay a claim by more than the premium ever cost you.

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FIREARM RECORD

No. _____ Verified (date) _____

MAKE

MODEL (FULL DESIGNATION)

SERIAL NUMBER

CALIBER / GAUGE

TYPE

YEAR MADE

NFA ITEM Y / N

CONDITION

GRADING STANDARD

ACQUIRED FROM

DATE ACQUIRED

PRICE PAID

EST. VALUE

VALUE DATE

VALUE SOURCE

STORAGE LOCATION

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