From a Scribble on a Scrap of Paper, Our Mission Was Born!

"It was a Friday night, and my friend's birthday party was due to start in an hour. After a particularly busy week at work, I'd totally forgotten to get her a present. I needed something personal and I needed it fast.

As she loves traveling, I tried to find a hotel gift card with a choice of hotels, but I couldn't find anything. I ended up making a note on a piece of paper saying that we'd go on a trip to London to celebrate her birthday.

My friend loved it, but I couldn't help thinking how great it'd be to provide a genuine gift card that could be redeemed in a hotel of her choice.

It was this that led to the birth of Hotel Gift."

- Loes Daniels, Founder Hotel Gift.

Life Is Busy - We Get It!

Have you ever forgotten a favourite friend's birthday?

That *sinking feeling* as you realise that all the shops are shut and you didn't remember to buy them a gift... *The worst part is, you really care about this person!*

It happens to the best of us.

When it happened to our founder Loes, it sowed a seed in her mind.

She realised that it would be great to offer a service whereby people could purchase a hotel gift card, easily and immediately, for those occasions when you didn't have time to get a present.

Hotel Gift was born.

Giving The Gift of An Experience

After launching the company we watched it grow. Then we began to receive feedback from our customers:

They reported that when they'd given hotel gift cards to their loved ones, the response was that it was the **most cherished gift** they'd received, and that the **experience** would ALWAYS be remembered!

An experience knocks the socks off another 'trinket'.

We were moved - What started as the desire to provide a convenient and useful service had become so much more.

Most people today are overrun with 'stuff' so giving them more stuff has become pretty meaningless.

Compare that to giving them a travel experience that they'll never forget... Well, what would your loved ones prefer?

We Believe That Time Spent With Loved Ones, Is Time Well Spent!

We believe that it's the quality time spent with loved ones which *really* counts! Not the 'stuff' we accumulate.

No-one reaches their death bed and says "I wish I'd worked harder, bought more stuff and spent less time with my family and friends"!

We're all so busy, sometimes we miss the important things in life - We forget to show how much we care.

This is our way to help you show just how much you really care about them...

Our ethos is 'experiences over stuff' and 'time spent together is meaningful'.

We've made it the focus of Hotel Gift to provide experiences at hotels around the world, which can be shared and enjoyed together - Whether they prefer exotic travel, intrepid expeditions or a pampering resort break.

The gift card can be used at 110,000 hotels worldwide.

And because we know how busy life can get, we've made it super easy and convenient to order your gift card.

You can order it at any time of the night or day and it'll be delivered straight to their inbox. Or you can set a date for delivery. *It's really easy to do.* So no worries if you forgot to buy a gift!

It doesn't even matter if the shops are closed. It's no problem if their birthday or anniversary is TODAY - We've got you covered.

We believe that your gift should be *special* and *personal*, as well as convenient - You can personalise the gift card with a customised design (or a picture you upload yourself) and a note. *Tailor it especially for your intended recipient*.

The best part is that the gift card has no expiry date - It can be used *whenever* you want. (You could even stock up on them to give to all your loved ones on special occasions!)

Hotel Gift gift cards are: Personal... Meaningful... And easy.

Because we believe that life should be personal, meaningful and easy.

(Of course if you wanted to treat YOURSELF to a hotel gift card, we wouldn't tell anyone! ;-))

"True giving is about creating memories and spending time with your loved ones, rather than just buying more materials possessions" ~ Loes Daniels