

In the spirit of the risen Lord and with the sure and certain hope of the fullness of life after death, it is my wish to spare you as much anxiety, expense and inconvenience as I can. The information contained and the request made will help you carry out my wishes at the time of my death and are meant to be a reassurance to you in time of grief.

Name: _____ **Today's Date:** _____

My Funeral Service

Location Preferred:

Pastor(s) Officiating:

Some Scripture readings to considered:

Some hymns/music to be considered. (two to three songs)

Some thoughts I think would be important to express in my funeral sermon or some words of comfort and consolation I would like to say to those who mourn my death:

Other preferences for the service:

Specific requests regarding memorial gifts: _____

The funeral home I request is _____

I have already made funeral arrangements with this funeral home: Yes / No

Pallbearers:

Honorary Pallbearers:

Cemetery: _____

I prefer cremation: Please place my cremains: Location: _____

Additional notes or instructions to my loved ones:

I would like obituaries sent to the following publications: check out online helps for writing obituaries such as: <https://www.obituaryhelp.net/>

**Important Information/Documentation your loved ones need to be aware of and able to access:
(Highlight areas that apply)**

- ✓ An original signed will, or revocable trust, dictating who inherits assets
- ✓ A durable financial power-of-attorney form(s)
- ✓ Durable health-care power-of-attorney form(s)
- ✓ Letter of instruction
- ✓ Social Security numbers and cards.
- ✓ Marriage Certificate, Divorce/Separation papers, Adoption papers. Birth Certificate
- ✓ Information about, and the keys to, any safety deposit boxes (specific location and box number)
(Check with the financial institution to verify their procedure for accessing a Safe Deposit Box and whether you need to be designated as a co-owner, deputy, or some other designation. Understand that just because you have a key and the deceased's permission, does not grant access)
- ✓ Vehicle titles (cars, boats, motorcycles, etc.)
- ✓ Real estate deeds
- ✓ Stock, bond and annuity certificates
- ✓ A list of brokerage and escrow mortgage accounts
- ✓ Tax documents for the last three years
- ✓ A list of all banking-related accounts (checking, savings, money-market funds, or bank-related investment or retirement accounts), along with online log-in information
- ✓ Insurance policies, including life, disability, homeowners, renters, automobile, and long-term care insurance (Family members need to know the name of the carrier, the policy number and the agent associated with the policy)
- ✓ Pension, 401K, IRA, or plan information. Account #'s, contact #'s, and beneficiaries.
- ✓ Information about debts (credit cards, mortgages, personal or business loans, utilities, and taxes owed)
- ✓ Military Records
- ✓ Passwords, websites, and other digital information

All policies, documents, account information, etc. that are noted above may be found in:

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My attorney is _____ **Phone:** _____

NOTE: If you are interested in donating all or some of your bodily organs, please make that known when you renew your driver's license so it can be noted as "Donor". If you are interested in preparing a "Living Will," you should make those arrangements with the assistance of an attorney. Inform others such as family members, hospitals, physicians, clergy, etc., of your wishes. After your death, or during a debilitating illness, it may be difficult or impossible to carry out your wishes if these people have not already been informed of your intentions.

You may wish to complete this form on your own or together with your spouse or a relative or friend. After completion, make sure your loved ones know about its existence, and how to access it when they need it.