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FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

DATE REC'D BY EPIPHANY: _____

FULL NAME: _____

LAST RESIDENCE: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ PLACE OF BIRTH: _____

DATE OF DEATH _____ CAUSE OF DEATH _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____

FUNERAL HOME OR CREMATION SOCIETY SELECTED: _____

PERSON/S RESPONSIBLE FOR ARRANGEMENTS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

FAMILY MEMBERS AND OTHERS TO BE CONTACTED: _____

FOR MY FUNERAL, I WOULD PREFER THE FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENTS:

_____ FUNERAL SERVICE _____ MEMORIAL SERVICE

(TIME AND DATE ARRANGED IN CONSULTATION WITH THE RECTOR) _____

IN ADDITION TO THE PARISH CLERGY, I WOULD LIKE THE FOLLOWING CLERGY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SERVICES: _____

_____ RITE I (BK. OF COMMON PRAYER PAGE 469) _____ RITE II (BK OF COMMON PRAYER PAGE 491)

HOLY EUCHARIST: YES _____ NO _____

IN ADDITION TO THE HOMILY, WOULD YOU LIKE SOMEONE TO SPEAK AT THE SERVICE? ___ YES ___ NO

IF YES: _____

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: PAGE 465 _____ PAGE 480 _____ PAGE 497 _____

MUSIC: YES _____ NO _____
IF YES, I WOULD _____ WOULD NOT _____ LIKE A CHOIR, IF AVAILABLE.
OFFERTORY ANTHEM: YES _____ NO _____
HYMNS DURING COMMUNION: YES _____ NO _____

PLEASE SELECT READINGS, PSALM, AND HYMNS:

The following readings, Psalms and Hymns are only suggestions. You may suggest others to the clergy.

OLD TESTAMENT READINGS (CHOOSE 1)

_____ Isaiah 25:6-9 The divine banquet
 _____ Isaiah 61:1-3 The spirit of the Lord is upon me
 _____ Lamentations 3:22-26, 31-33 The love of the Lord
 _____ Wisdom 3:1-9 The souls of the upright
 _____ Job 19:21-27a My Redeemer lives

PSALMS

LITURGY OF THE WORD: (CHOOSE 1)

_____ 42:1-7 As the deer longs for the water-brooks
 _____ 46 God is our refuge and strength
 _____ 90:1-12 Lord you have been our refuge
 _____ 121 I lift up my eyes to the hills, from where is my help to come?
 _____ 130 Out of the depths have I called to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice
 _____ 139:1-11 Lord, you have searched me out and known me

FOLLOWING THE NEW TESTAMENT READING: (CHOOSE 1)

_____ 23 The Lord is my shepherd
 _____ 27 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear?
 _____ 106:1-5 Hallelujah! Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good
 _____ 116 I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication

NEW TESTAMENT READINGS (CHOOSE 1)

_____ Romans 8:14-19, 34-35, 37-39 Christian hope in the love of God
 _____ 1 Corinthians 15:20-26,35-38,42-44,53-58 Hope in the Resurrection
 _____ 2 Corinthians 4:16-5:9 Confidence in facing death
 _____ 1 John 3:1-2 We are children of God
 _____ Revelation 7:9-17 The rewarding of the saints
 _____ Revelation 21:2-7 The renewal of creation – the new Jerusalem

GOSPEL READINGS (CHOOSE 1)

_____	John 5:24-27	Promise of eternal life to believers
_____	John 6:37-40	The Father's will – eternal life
_____	John 10:11-16	The Good Shepherd
_____	John 11:21-27	Jesus is the resurrection and the life
_____	John 14:1-6	In the Father's house there are many dwelling places

MUSIC

The music at funerals should be appropriate for the occasion and sacred in nature. The music serves to support, clarify, and complement the action and words of the liturgy at all times. It should suggest ideas of triumph, resurrection, strength, comfort, thanksgiving and repose; Easter hymns are especially appropriate. When the family of the deceased meets with the clergy, suitable hymns and music can be discussed. It is appropriate to sing hymns or have organ music according to the wishes of the family.

The following hymns are only suggestions. Other favorite hymns of the deceased or family may be suggested.

SUGGESTED PROCESSIONAL / RECESSIONAL HYMNS & ANTHEMS (CHOOSE 2)

_____	207	Jesus Christ is risen today
_____	208	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! The strife is o'er
_____	287	For all the saints
_____	356	Into Paradise may angels lead you (<i>Processional</i>)
_____	388	O worship the King, all glorious above!
_____	397	Now thank we all our God
_____	473	Lift high the cross
_____	618	Ye watchers and ye holy ones
_____	636	How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord
_____	665	All my hope on God is founded
_____	680	O God, our help in ages past
_____	688	A mighty fortress is our God
_____	690	Guide me, O thou great Jehovah

OFFERTORY / COMMUNION HYMNS & ANTHEMS (CHOOSE 2)

- 188,189 Love's redeeming work is done
- 191 Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts and voices heavenward raise
- 194 Jesus lives! thy terrors now
- 204 Now the green blade riseth
- 335 I am the bread of life
- 429 I'll praise my Maker
- 448,449 O Love how deep
- 487 Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life
- 490 I want to walk as a child of the Light
- 517 How lovely is Thy dwelling place
- 635 If thou but trust in God to guide thee
- 658 As long as the deer for cooling streams
- 671 Amazing Grace
- 664 My Shepherd will supply my needs
- 618 Ye watchers and ye holy ones
- 692 I heard the voice of Jesus say

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS:

PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS **HAVE** **HAVE NOT BEEN MADE**

NAME OF FUNERAL HOME: _____

ADDRESS OF FUNERAL HOME: _____

TELEPHONE OF FUNERAL HOME: _____

VISITATION INSTRUCTIONS: _____

I **DO** **DO NOT** **WISH TO HAVE MY COFFIN OPEN AT THE FUNERAL HOME.**

COFFIN SPECIFICATIONS: **LEAST EXPENSIVE** **MID RANGE** **ELABORATE**

CREMATION INSTRUCTIONS: **BEFORE FUNERAL** **AFTER FUNERAL**

PLACE OF BURIAL: _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DONATION OF ORGANS: _____

NAMES OF USHERS AND/OR PALL BEARERS: _____

IN LIEU OF FLOWERS, PLEASE SEND DONATIONS TO: _____

MY WILL IS LOCATED: _____

THE EXECUTOR OF MY WILL IS: _____

ADDRESS / PHONE: _____

THE ATTORNEY WHO PREPARED MY WILL IS: _____

ADDRESS / PHONE: _____

YOUR SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

WITNESS: _____

DATE: _____

GIVE A COPY OF THESE INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CHURCH OFFICE, YOUR EXECUTOR, AND KEEP ONE WITH YOUR WILL. THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY BE CHANGED AT ANY TIME.