

**A Statement for the Guidance of my Parish and Family**

Services are to be conducted at St. James' Episcopal Church in Austin, Texas. The parish priest will be in charge of the services and all related arrangements. Funeral Directors should be so informed and given the priest's phone number. It is my desire that the services be conducted as instructed by the parish priest and as provided in the Book of Common Prayer. The priest will make selections when no preference is expressed below.

1. Full Name as you would like it on service booklets \_\_\_\_\_

In the course of the service the first name of the one who had died will be used often. What name would you like being used here? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please use

\_\_\_\_\_ The Burial of the Dead: Rite One (BCP p. 469)

\_\_\_\_\_ The Burial of the Dead: Rite Two (BCP p 491)

3. I would like a Vigil before the Service Yes No

4. The Liturgy of the Word (Please choose from the following category)

a. Old Testament

\_\_\_\_\_ Isaiah 25: 6-9

He will swallow up death forever

\_\_\_\_\_ Isaiah 61: 1-3

To comfort those who mourn

\_\_\_\_\_ Lamentations 3:22-26,31-33

The Lord is good to those who wait for him

\_\_\_\_\_ Wisdom 3: 1-5,9

The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God

\_\_\_\_\_ Job 19: 21-27aa

I know that my Redeemer lives

Choice of Reader: \_\_\_\_\_

b. After the lesson

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 42: 1-7

As the deer longs for the water brooks

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 46

God is our refuge and strength

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 90: 1-12

Lord, you have been our refuge

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 121

I lift my eyes to the hills

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 130

Out of the depths have I called

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 139: 1-11

Lord, you have search me out

\_\_\_\_\_ Hymn

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Silence

c. New Testament

\_\_\_\_\_ Romans 8: 14-19 34-35, 37-39

The glory that shall be revealed

\_\_\_\_\_ I Corinthians 15: 20-26, 35-38,

The imperishable body

42-44, 53-58

\_\_\_\_\_ II Corinthians 4:16-5:9

Things that are unseen are eternal

\_\_\_\_\_ I John 3: 1-2

We shall be like him

\_\_\_\_\_ Revelation 7: 9-17

God will wipe away every tear

\_\_\_\_\_ Revelation 21: 2-7

Behold, I make all things new

Choice of Reader: \_\_\_\_\_

d. After the lesson

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 23

The Lord is my Shepherd

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 27

The Lord is my light and my salvation

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 106: 1-5

Hallelujah! Give thanks to the Lord

\_\_\_\_\_ Psalm 116

I love the Lord, because he has heard my the voice of my

supplication

\_\_\_\_\_ Hymn

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Silence

e. The Gospel

- \_\_\_\_\_ John 5: 24-27
- \_\_\_\_\_ John 6: 37-40
- \_\_\_\_\_ John 10: 11-16
- \_\_\_\_\_ John 11: 21-27
- \_\_\_\_\_ John 14: 1-6

He who believes has everlasting life  
All that the Father gives will come to me  
I am the good shepherd.  
I am the resurrection and the life  
In my Father's house are many rooms

5. The Holy Eucharist

- a. I would like the following people to present the offerings of bread and wine to the deacon or presider at the Offertory

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Eucharistic Prayer:

When using Rite I:

\_\_\_\_\_ I on page 333

\_\_\_\_\_ II on page 340

When using Rite II:

\_\_\_\_\_ A on page 361

\_\_\_\_\_ B on page 367

\_\_\_\_\_ C on page 369

\_\_\_\_\_ D on page 372

\_\_\_\_\_ Supplemental Texts

6. Music - Please list several hymns you would like

7. Additional requests for the service:

8. Please make all memorial gifts to the following:

9. I would like my remains 1) buried in a casket, 2) cremated, 3) donated for research, 4) an organ to be donated for transplant.

10. My will is on file at:

11. My attorney is: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

12. My next of kin is (name, address, phone)

13. Names and birthplaces of your parents

14. Information about you\

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name

These instructions should be placed on file in the parish office and a copy given to a close friend or relative.