

Obituary Guide

*****Note: We cannot publish details of upcoming memorial services on our website.*****

Use this guide as an outline, checklist, sample format, or template to write an obituary. The following headings are meant as a general suggestion. You may submit the final draft to a director at Crevasse's via email (as a Word document or embedded in the body of an email message so it can easily be copied and pasted by our team) along with a photo of your loved one if you wish.

NAME / ANNOUNCEMENT

- Full name of the deceased as you would like it displayed (including nickname, if any)
- Age at time of passing
- City and state of residence at passing
- Day, date, year, and place of passing

LIFE

- Place of birth
- Names of parents
- Childhood: siblings, stories, schools, friends
- Marriage(s): date of, place, name of spouse
- Education: school, college, university and other
- Designations, awards, and other recognition
- Employment: jobs, activities, stories, colleagues, satisfactions, promotions, union activities, frustrations
- Military service
- Hobbies, sports, interests, activities, and other enjoyment
- Charitable, religious, fraternal, political, and other affiliations; positions held
- Achievements
- Unusual attributes, humor, other stories

FAMILY

- Surviving relatives: Spouse, children (in order of date of birth, and their spouses), grandchildren, great-grandchildren, parents, grandparents, siblings (in order of date of birth), pets, etc...
- Preceded in death by: Spouse, children (in order of date of birth), grandchildren, siblings (in order of date of birth), etc...

ENDING

- Memorial funds established
- Memorial donation suggestions, including addresses
- Thank you to people, groups, or institutions
- Quotation or poem
- Three words that sum up the life

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