

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

Funeral Planning Form

At a person's death, the church shares the grief of those who mourn and remembers the brevity of life on earth. At the funeral, we give voice to sorrow, give thanks to God for our loved one and entrust our companion into the hands of God.

What follows is not a legal document--it is simply a tool to be used in the planning of the funeral/memorial service

Name _____

Date and place of birth _____

Address _____

Spouse name _____ Wedding date _____

School(s) attended _____

Occupation/Employer _____

Contact person (other than spouse) _____

Contact person address & phone _____

Father name _____ Mother name _____

Children names _____

Grandchildren names _____

Sibling names _____

Community Organizations, hobbies, etc. _____

Thinking about the service, will it be: at church or at funeral home
 a memorial service or a funeral
 a burial or cremation

What Bible passages, prayers or other writings would you like to have included in the service?
Why are they meaningful?

Are there hymns or songs that have special meaning for you? In what way? Do you have particular wishes concerning congregational singing, vocal/instrumental solos?
If you desire a soloist, who?

Are there people who should be involved in some way? (readers, eulogists, pall bearers, etc.)

Direct memorials to _____

Please feel free to add any additional information for your service (use separate sheet if needed)

Signature

Date