

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
1120 Darley Road
Wilmington, Delaware 19810

Telephone: 302-475-5495
Fax: 302-475-5402
E-Mail: office@trinitypresby.org
Website: www.trinitypresby.org

IMPORTANT PERSONAL and
MEMORIAL GARDEN INFORMATION

FULL NAME:

First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

ADDRESS:

Street _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Resident Since _____
Telephone () _____ E-mail: _____

PLACE OF BIRTH: City _____ State _____

DATE OF BIRTH: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

OCCUPATION: _____

EMPLOYED BY: _____

PREVIOUS OCCUPATION (if retired): _____

MARITAL STATUS: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____

NAMES OF CHILDREN:

Name _____	Name _____
City _____ State _____	City _____ State _____
Telephone () _____	Telephone () _____
E-mail _____	E-mail _____

Name _____	Name _____
City _____ State _____	City _____ State _____
Telephone () _____	Telephone () _____
E-mail _____	E-mail _____

NOTIFICATIONS AND CONTACTS

In the event of my serious illness, death or other emergency, please notify the following people:

Name _____ Relationship _____
 Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____
 Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

Name _____ Relationship _____
 Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____
 Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

Name _____ Relationship _____
 Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____
 Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

Other important contacts include:

My physician is _____ Telephone _____
 My lawyer is _____ Telephone _____

Funeral home to contact:

Name _____ Individual Contact _____
 Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____
 Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

Pre-arrangements have been made () have not been made () with the funeral home.

Cemetery Arrangements:

Name of Cemetery _____ Overseer or owner _____
 Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____
 Country _____ Telephone () _____ E-mail _____
 Grave site location, section or number _____

Wills and Health Care Directives:

I have ____ have not ____ executed a will.

My will does ____ does not ____ include an Advance Health Care Directive (Living Will).

(Forms are available from the church office.)

I have ____ have not ____ made provisions for organ donation.

These and other valuable papers will be found _____

ADDITIONAL MEMORIAL OR FUNERAL SERVICE INFORMATION

Memorial Donation Recipients

If there are memorial donations in my memory, I suggest the following as recipients:

- () Trinity Presbyterian Church
- () Memorial Fund () Other (specify) _____

() Other charitable, educational or service organization:

Name of Organization _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

Memorial or Funeral Details:

Favorite scriptures that might be read are: _____

Other suggested readings: _____

Music:

I suggest these hymns be sung at my service (see page 5 for suggested hymns):

For music, I prefer: organ only (), voice and organ (), none (), other ().

If other, please describe: _____

You are encouraged to file a copy of this form and any health care directives with the Rev. Brad Martin at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 1120 Darley Rd., Wilmington, DE 19810. Telephone (302) 475-5495. If you have questions about items on this form, please contact him.

The above information indicates my current preferences as to notification, services, and burial. However, since circumstances may occur which cannot now be anticipated, my family may make any necessary changes.

Date: _____ Signed: _____

SUGGESTED HYMNS APPROPRIATE FOR FUNERAL SERVICES

The Presbyterian Hymnal

543	Abide With Me	371	Lift High the Cross
142	All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name	376	Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
220	All People That On Earth Do Dwell	469	Morning Has Broken
119	Alleluia! The Strife Is O'er	383	My Faith Looks Up to Thee
280	Amazing Grace	555	Now Thank We All Our God
339	Be Thou My Vision	396	O, For a Closer Walk With Thee
438	Blest Be the Tide That Binds	388	O Jesus. I Have Promised
316	Breathe On Me, Breath of God	384	Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go
417	Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation	357	O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee
151	Crown Him With Many Crowns	327	Word of God Incarnate
306	Fairest Lord Jesus	476	O Worship the King
526	For All the Saints	210	Our God, Our Help in Ages Past
229	From All That Dwell Below the Skies	478	Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
262	God of Our Fathers	481	Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show
275	God of Our Life, Through All the Circling Years	155	Rejoice, the Lord is King
281	Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah	539	Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name
525	Here I am, Lord	442	The Church's One Foundation
138	Holy, Holy, Holy	118	The Day of Resurrection
360	Hope of the World	488	The God of Abraham Praise
467	How Great Thou Art	171	The King of Love, My Shepherd Is
441	I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord	175	The Lord's My Shepherd, All My Need
234	I to the Hills Will Lift Mine Eyes	170	The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want
282	If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee	398	There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit
303	Jesus, Lover of My Soul	122	Thine Is The Glory
423	Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun	293	This is My Father's World
310	Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee	403	What a Friend We Have In Jesus
464	Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee	487	When Morning Guilds the Skies
447	Lead On, O King Eternal	451	Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

Hymns From Other Sources

Be Still My Soul
 Beyond the Sunset
 He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought
 Hymn of Promise
 I Am the Bread of Life
 I Love to Tell The Story
 In Christ Alone
 It is Well With My Soul

In the Garden
 I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry
 Lord of All Hopefulness
 Nearer My God, to Thee
 Psalm 91
 Rock of Ages
 Sweet Hour of Prayer
 Yahweh I Know You Are Near

Guidelines for the Memorial Garden

The Memorial Garden of Trinity Presbyterian Church has been established for meditation, prayer and for the committal of ash remains.

Persons Eligible: The Memorial Garden is intended for the use of members of Trinity Presbyterian Church and their immediate families, or former members who have moved away. Placement of remains of those who have had close ties with the church shall be at the discretion of the pastor.

Markers: The Garden provides a lovely burial place for the interment of ashes. Cremated remains are deposited in the Garden by the pastor at a service for the family. No urns are used except biodegradable containers, nor are there any markers. The entire Garden becomes the memorial place rather than the exact place where the ashes are buried.

Services: Arrangements for placement of ashes and an appropriate service should be made directly with the pastor through the church office.

Records: The Office Administrator shall maintain records with name, date of death, and date of interment of all persons whose ash remains are placed in the Memorial Garden.

Name Plates: The name of each person whose ashes have been committed to the Memorial Garden, with the dates of birth and death, will be listed on individual brass name plates. The name plates will be attached to a permanent memorial plaque in chronological order. The plaque hangs inside the sanctuary. Since families of Trinity who have made other arrangements for their loved ones might want them remembered with a memorial name plate, a separate memorial plaque, with similar brass name plates, is also maintained.

Applications: The church office shall be responsible for receiving and recording applications and collection of fees.

Fees: A fee of \$25.00 should be included at the time of application. At the time of committal, there is a fee of \$300.00. The fee for the brass name plate in memory of a loved one whose remains are interred elsewhere, shall be \$50.00.

Plantings: Flowers, plants, or other materials shall not be placed or left in the Garden even temporarily. Flowers may be part of an interment service as agreed with the pastor, and then removed.

Applicant's Signature

Application for Interment in the Memorial Garden

Trinity Presbyterian Church
1120 Darley Road
Wilmington Delaware 19810
(302) 475-5495

Background

Trinity's Memorial Garden was created in 1991 to serve as an offering of thanksgiving for the lives of loved ones in our church family. The Garden provides a lovely burial place for the interment of ashes.

Cremated remains are interred in the Garden by the Pastor at a service for the family. No urns are used, except biodegradable containers, nor are there any markers. The entire Garden becomes the memorial rather than the exact spot where the ashes are buried.

The Memorial Garden is a place to visit for meditation, prayer, or giving thanks for the memories of those special lives that have been shared. The quiet beauty of the Memorial Garden speaks of eternal life.

Application

I hereby request permission to have the ashes of _____ deposited in the Memorial Garden of Trinity Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Delaware. The date of birth is _____ and date of death is _____.

I have received a copy of the Guidelines for the Memorial Garden of Trinity Presbyterian Church. I have read these Guidelines and agree to abide by them.

Name of Applicant _____ Phone _____
Street Address _____
City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Relationship to the Deceased _____

Date _____ Signature _____

Application Acceptance

Date _____ Pastor's Signature _____