

REQUIEM DIRECTIVE

The Book of Common Prayer (BCP) provides that “baptized Christians are properly buried from the church” and that “arrangements for the funeral should be made in consultation with the Minister of the congregation” (page 468). Please complete this form as fully as possible. Thank you!

The liturgy that will be used is the Rite I form of the Burial of the Dead (*BCP*, pages 469-84).

Full name (please print) _____
First Middle Last

Name preferred for use in the service (if other than given first name) _____

For my Requiem at Grace Episcopal Church...

1.1 I intend that my body be present. _____ yes _____ no

1.2 I intend to be cremated. _____ yes _____ no

1.3 I intend that my ashes be present. _____ yes _____ no

2.1 For the first lesson, I would like the following to be read (*check one*)

___ Isaiah 25:6-9 ___ Wisdom 3:1-5,9 ___ Isaiah 61:1-3 ___ Job 19:21-27a ___ Lamentations 3:22-26,31-33

2.2 I would like the following person to read the first lesson: _____

3.1 For the second lesson, I would like the following to be read (*check one*)

___ Romans 8:14-19,34-35, 37-39 ___ 1 John 3:1-2 ___ 1 Corinthians 15:20-26,35-38,42-44,53-58

___ Revelation 7:9-17 ___ Revelation 21:2-7 ___ 2 Corinthians 4:16-5:9

3.2 I would like the following person to read the second lesson: _____

4.1 For the Gospel, I would like the following to be read (*check one*)

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

5.1 I would like Father _____ to preach the Homily.

6.1 I would like the following hymns to be sung (*choose from those found in The Hymnal 1982*)

Offertory hymn: # _____ Communion hymn: # _____

7.1 I would like a graveside service (The Committal, *BCP* 484-86) to follow the rite in the church.

___ yes ___ no

8.1 Please use the back of this form to indicate anything you would like to be said about you at your Requiem.

Signed _____ Dated _____

*Return this form to the church. A duplicate will be made for our files and the original returned to you.
(Changes may be made at any time by notifying the office and updating the form.)*

If you have not already done so, please consider including Grace Church in your Will.

***Use the space below to write anything that you would like to be remembered by
at your Requiem.***

*(You might want to indicate how you would want your epitaph to read,
or what you would want your obituary to say.)*