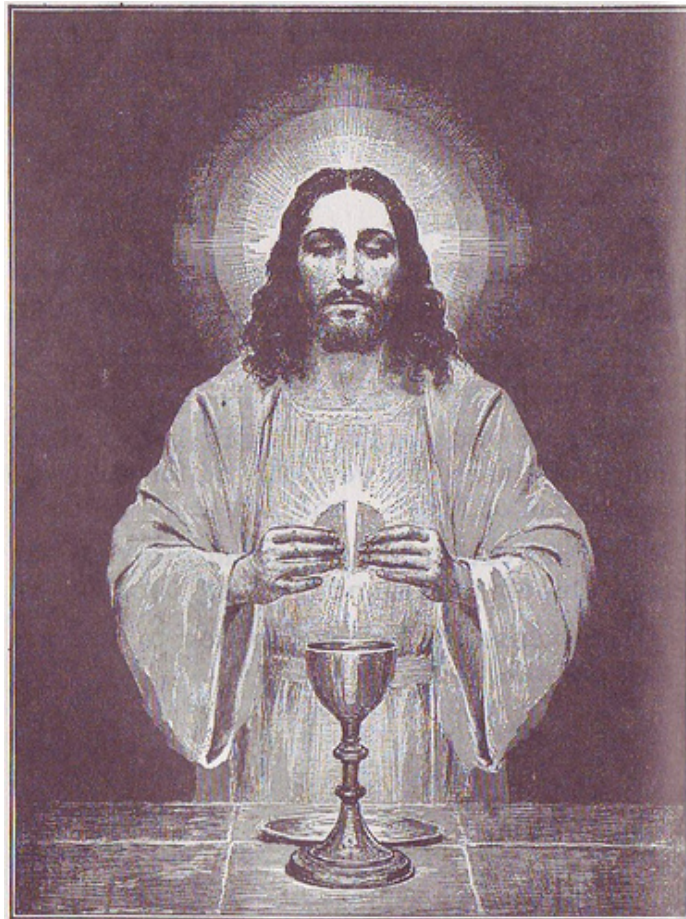




# Advance Planning for the Celebration of the Burial Office



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# Funeral/Memorial Service Information Worksheet

Name of Deceased: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Death \_\_\_\_\_

Family Contact / Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Funeral Home / Director: \_\_\_\_\_

## Service Information

Service Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Service Type (Please check):  Burial with Casket  Burial with Ashes in Garth  
 Memorial Service without a Casket or Ashes.

Holy Eucharist Rite I  Holy Eucharist Rite II  Holy Eucharist 1928 BCP  
 Rite I no Mass  Rite 2 no Mass  1928 BCP no Mass.

Estimate Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Committal:  Cemetery: \_\_\_\_\_  Garth: \_\_\_\_\_

Reserved Seating for Family: \_\_\_\_\_ Special Guests: \_\_\_\_\_

## Reception:

Place:  Mitchell Hall  Home

Reception will be at the home of: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## Staff Distribution (Photocopy will be distributed to the following by Parish Office)

Priest celebrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Altar Guild

Music Dept

Sexton

## Order of Worship

Prelude: \_\_\_\_\_

Opening Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_  Hymn sung at Altar  Hymn sung in Procession

**Readings from Sacred Scripture.** (All readings at mass must come from sacred Scripture).

The Old Testament: (The First Lesson)

Isaiah 25:6-9 (He will swallow up death in victory)

Lamentations 3:22-26, 31-33 (The Lord is good unto them that wait for him)

Wisdom 3:1-5, 9 (The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God)

Job 19:21-27a (I know that my Redeemer liveth)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Reader / Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

The Psalter:

23 (KJV)

27

42

46

90

106

116

121

130

139

Reader / Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

The Epistle: (The Second Lesson)

Romans 8:14-19, 34-35, 37-39 (The glory that shall be revealed)

1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 35-38, 42-44, 53-58 (Raised in incorruption)

2 Corinthians 4:16-5:9 (Things which are not seen are eternal)

1 John 3:1-2 (We shall be like him)

Revelation 7:9-17 (God shall wipe away all tears)

Revelation 21:2-7 (Behold, I make all things new)

Other reading from Holy Scripture: \_\_\_\_\_

Reader / Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Sequence Hymn (before Gospel Reading): \_\_\_\_\_

Gospel Reading:

- John 5:24-27 (He that believeth hath everlasting life)
- John 6:37-40 (All that the Father giveth me shall come to me)
- John 10:11-16 (I am the good shepherd)
- John 11:21-27 (I am the resurrection and the life)
- John 14:1-6 (In my Father's house are many mansions)
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Offertory: Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_ Soloist \_\_\_\_\_

Prayers of the People: \_\_\_\_\_

Reader / Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

**Communion Music:**

Special Music: \_\_\_\_\_

Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_

Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_

Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_

Recessional Hymn: \_\_\_\_\_

**Altar Flowers**

Please contact Margaret Moseley or Fr. Klein for more information. If not St. John's Floral Guild, then Florist: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Garth**

No Urns may be buried in the Garth. Cremated remains are placed in a white linen bag and buried directly in the ground. Please instruct the Funeral home or crematory to deliver the cremated remains in a sealed container that can be opened.

Burial in the Parish Garth

For centuries, Christians were buried in the cathedrals and churches where they spent so much of their lives. Today it is common to bury our loved ones in secular cemeteries that are usually far from our homes and churches. And yet Christian burial is as much a part

of our sacramental life as our baptisms and marriages, all of which properly take place in the church.

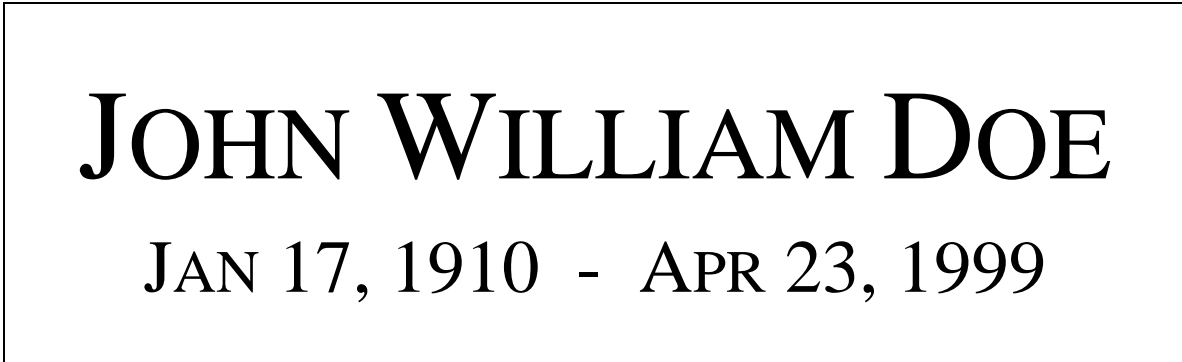
It is appropriate for us to be laid to rest in holy ground, at the church that has been our spiritual home. The Parish Garth was built for this purpose. It is a reverent and beautiful setting for the interment of cremated remains. It is also a place for people, not just for ashes. The Parish Garth was dedicated in 1985.

*There is no charge for the use of the Garth. A fee of \$100.00 is charged to cover the cost of the bronze name plate. A contribution to the Garth Fund is appropriate for the maintenance of the Garth. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.*

If the burial is to be in the Garth, please specify exact spelling of the name as it should appear on the bronze plate as well as the date of birth and death.

Depending on the length of the name the middle name is sometimes indicated by initial only.

Example:



Bronze Plaque information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle name:  Use initial only     Spell out full name if space permits

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

Date of Death: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Contributions**

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to:

Saint John's Episcopal Church Memorial Fund

Other charity: \_\_\_\_\_