



**ALABAMA BOARD OF FUNERAL SERVICE**  
**AUTHORIZING AGENT AFFIDAVIT**

\*\*\*AFFIDAVIT MUST BE EXECUTED BEFORE A NOTARY PUBLIC.

State of Alabama

County of \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ designate \_\_\_\_\_ to  
control the disposition of my remains upon my death. I ☐ HAVE ☐ HAVE NOT attached  
specific directions concerning the disposition of my remains.

If specific directions are attached, the designee shall substantially comply with those directions, provided  
the directions are lawful and there are sufficient resources in my estate to carry out those directions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

SUBSCRIBED TO AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_,  
20\_\_\_\_.

SEAL

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Pursuant to Section 34-13-11(2b) of the Code of Alabama, 1975, any person at least 18 years of age and of sound mind, may  
authorize another person to control the disposition of his or her remains pursuant to this affidavit.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2011

## Funeral Planning Form



*As your loved one makes his or her funeral plans, use this form to record all of his or her wishes for final arrangements.*

**Final Arrangements for:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Memorial Services

Funeral home:

Funeral director:

Location of service:

To be officiated by:

Military/fraternal/social organization or lodge members to be present:

Pallbearers:

Veteran's flag: ☐ Folded ☐ Draped on casket

Music:

Reading or scripture selections:

Flowers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Memorial donations: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of charitable organization:

Casket: ☐ Open ☐ Closed **OR** Cremated remains present? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Preparation and printing of the order of memorial services (*usually provided as part of service by funeral director with assistance from family*):

### Burial

Name, address, and phone of cemetery:

Cemetery documents located:

Casket: ☐ Wood ☐ Bronze ☐ Copper ☐ Steel

Burial Vault *(usually required by cemetery/may be purchased through funeral home or cemetery-check on pricing):*

Property or crypt purchased? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Location:

No. of spaces:

Type of burial: ☐ Earth burial ☐ Crypt ☐ Mausoleum ☐ Other:

Inscription to read:

Other information or instructions:

### **Cremation**

Name, address, and phone number of funeral home or cremation society:

Urn: ☐ Bronze ☐ Wooden ☐ Marble ☐ Other:

### **Location of cremated remains:**

Cemetery:

Private estate:

Final Disposition: ☐ Earth Burial ☐ Mausoleum ☐ Crypt ☐ Columbarium ☐ Other:

Alternative disposition:

Type of memorial or monument:

Inscription:

## Preparing My Obituary

*On a separate sheet of paper, make a record of the following information.*

Name:

Spouse's name:

Date and place of death:

Children/cities where they reside:

Grandchildren/cities where they reside:

Siblings/cities where they reside:

Parents/cities where they reside (or resided, if deceased):

Date, time, and place of funeral or memorial service and burial:

Clergy/person officiating:

Address of funeral home:

Address of cemetery:

Memorial contributions may be made in lieu of flowers to: (optional)

Photo preferred:

Place and date of birth:

Education:

Wedding date:

Military service:

Employment:

Religious affiliation:
Other affiliations:
Significant achievements:

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