

Funeral Order of Service Booklet Verses

- Those we love and lose are always connected by heartstrings into infinity. Like a bird singing in the rain, let grateful memories survive in time of sorrow. As a well-spent day brings peaceful sleep, so a life well-lived brings peaceful death.
- John 11:25-26.

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die.

- Psalm 23:4

Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

- People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. – Maya Angelou

- As long as hearts remember
As long as hearts still care
We do not part with those we love
They're with us everywhere
- May the roads rise up to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back,
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
May the rains fall soft upon fields
And until we meet again
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.
- Life can never stay the same
No matter how we try
Our hands can never stop
The clock of life from ticking by
But love remains, unchanging
In the care of sorrowing hearts
For as the love of life is stilled
The love of memory starts
- Because I have loved life, I shall have no sorrow to die.
I have sent up my gladness on wings, to be lost in the blue of the sky.
I have run and leaped with the rain,
I have taken the wind to my breast.
My cheek like a drowsy child
to the face of the earth I have pressed.
Because I have loved life,
I shall have no sorrow to die.

- Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened. – Dr. Seuss
- We are reminded how short life really is, and how we are just passing through. So, all the people you haven't told you love lately, tell them, and live your days like you mean it. – Hal Sutton
- What we have once enjoyed deeply we can never lose. All that we love deeply becomes a part of us. – Helen Keller
- Even death is not to be feared by one who has lived wisely. – Buddha
- There is a sacredness in tears. They are not the mark of weakness, but of power. They speak more eloquently than ten thousand tongues. They are the messengers of overwhelming grief, of deep contrition, and of unspeakable love. – Washington Irving
- Death ends a life, not a relationship. – Morrie Schwartz
- A death is not the extinguishing of a light, but the putting out of the lamp because the dawn has come. – Rabindranath Tagore
- One life on this earth is all that we get, whether it is enough or not enough, and the obvious conclusion would seem to be that at the very least we are fools if we do not live it as fully and bravely and beautifully as we can. – Frederick Buechner
- That best portion of a good wo/man's life, her/his little nameless unremembered acts of kindness and love. – William Wordsworth
- A new life begins for us with every second. Let us go forward joyously to meet it. We must press on, whether we will or not, and we shall walk better with our eyes before us than with them ever cast behind. – Jerome K. Jerome
- Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. – Anonymous
- There are no goodbyes for us. Wherever you are, you will always be in my heart. – Gandhi
- Say not in grief 'he is no more' but live in thankfulness that he was – Hebrew Proverb