

**PRE-FUNERAL QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY MEMBERS—HOMILY PREP**

1. HOME: Where did the deceased grow up? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Size of family (siblings \_\_\_\_\_, children \_\_\_\_\_, grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_, great-grand \_\_\_\_\_)  
If spouse is deceased, how long? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Did he/she work outside home? Where? \_\_\_\_\_  
Retired? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No How long? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Any military service? \_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No Will there be military honors at funeral or cemetery??
5. Hobbies/ interests/ organizations/clubs? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Parish involvement/ministries? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What words best describe the **personality** of the deceased (for those who may not have met him/her? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. How would you describe their FAITH life? What do you know of their  
9. relationship with God?? A favorite prayer/saint/hymn??  
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10. Any other significant facts Father would need to know?? \_\_\_\_\_  
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