

Booklet Template for Funeral Without Mass

- *Delete everything in boxes and replace it with required material.*
- *Texts must not be changed, nor other material added without consultation with priest.*

Name in full

Insert Photo or Image

Born..... – Died.....

<name of church>

1. ENTRANCE PROCESSION

(Please Stand)

-Insert gathering hymn or music details here-

2. INTRODUCTION

Priest ✠ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Priest The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All **And with your spirit.**

3. PLACING OF CHRISTIAN SYMBOLS:

Holy Water, Pall, Baptism Candle, Bible, Crucifix, Photo, other symbols.

(A reflection about the person may be said here.)

4. OPENING PRAYER

-Insert opening prayer-

5. FIRST READING

(Please be seated)

-Insert first reading-

6. RESPONSORIAL PSALM

-Insert Responsorial Psalm; this may also be sung-

7. OPTIONAL SECOND READING

-Insert second reading-

8. GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

(Please stand)

-Insert Gospel Acclamation-

9. GOSPEL

-Insert Gospel reading-

(10. If not shared earlier, the reflection about the person may be done at this point)

11. HOMILY

(Please be seated)

12. THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

(Please stand)

**-Insert prayers of intercession
please make sure that the him/her are in the correct form-**

13. FINAL COMMENDATION

**-Please ensure that those parts of the following prayer in italics
(him/her) are in the correct form-**

Priest Saints of God, come to *his/her* aid!

Hasten to meet *him/her*, angels of the Lord.

All **Receive *his/her* soul and present *him/her* to God the most high.**

Priest May Christ, who called you, take you to himself;
may angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham.

All **Receive *his/her* soul and present *him/her* to God the most high.**

Priest Eternal rest grant unto *him/her*, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon *him/her*.

All **Receive *his/her* soul and present *him/her* to God the most high.**

The priest says the final prayers of commendation:

14. RECESSIONAL HYMN

-Insert hymn or music here-

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