

Just as every life lived is unique, so too is the celebration of your loved one's life. You may not yet know the type of ceremony you'll choose for your loved one. Here are some things to consider when planning together as a family:

- Look through photo albums or electronic media devices and gather pictures to create photo-memory boards or display photos in frames. That will allow us to create a complimentary video tribute.
- Bring in items for display to share your loved one's favorite hobbies, activities, work, etc.
- Consider choosing special music to play during the visitation or during the service.
- Discuss any tributes, unique processional vehicles, or other special requests the family may require.

Checklist of items that may be needed during the arrangement meeting. Meaningful services take careful planning, many decisions and, therefore, some thought on your part. We are here to help and guide you honor your loved one.

To help you be prepared for meeting with a director, please bring the following items:

- **Social Security Number** We will notify the Social Security office for you. Also the Social Security Number is needed for the Death Certificate.
- Photos We will need a photo to use for the obituary. We will also display
 photographs throughout your loved ones life during the visitation and service.
 All photos will be returned to you.
- **Clothing** Please bring with you a full set of clothing including all undergarments for your loved one to wear. You may also wish to provide footwear, eye glasses, dentures, jewelry, and other items you would like to use prior to the service.
- Veterans Please bring a copy of the DD214 Discharge Papers (Honorable Discharge). We will need these documents in order to obtain a burial flag (if requested) or to assist in interment in a national/veterans cemetery. These may also be used in the application for any other veterans benefits.
- **Insurance Policies** Please bring any insurance policies and/or information with you. We will assist you in the filing of claims.
- **Pre-arrangement** Please bring any prior pre-arrangement paperwork, if applicable.
- **Cemetery Information** Please bring any cemetery information if applicable.