

Write and Obituary for our Parish Community

We would like you to share the story of your loved one's life with our whole parish community. We invite all our parishioners to remember those who have gone before us in prayer. If you will give us a picture, preferably in digital format, we will publish the obituary and photo on our parish website and other publications. If you don't have a digital photo, just bring the photo of your choice to our parish office and our staff will convert it to a digital format. Consider including the following information in the obituary.

The basic obituary usually includes:

--Full name of the deceased

--Age

--Date of Birth

--City and state of residence where they were living when they passed away

--Name of significant other (alive or deceased)

--Time, date and place of viewing, burial, wake and memorial service arrangements

Other things that might be included:

--City and state of birth

--City and state of other residences—(previously resided...)

--Parents' names and residences--

--Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren's names and residences--

--Activities-- Include churches, clubs, organizations, volunteer groups, hobbies and other things that were important to your loved one.

--Vocation and places of employment

--Notable accomplishments

--Degrees and schools attended

--Military service

--*Date of marriage*

--*Personality traits and anecdotes*

--*Where people should make a memorial contribution. ..in lieu of flowers.*