

FAMILY HELP LIST

We are sincerely sorry to have to meet you under these circumstances of great personal loss. Please be assured that we will do everything that is humanly possible to assist you in your time of need. Our experience has been that families simply forget important items that are essential when they come in to finalize funeral arrangements for a loved one. The following is a list of the most common that we will need for the various legal and functional duties we are asked to provide. Please do not hesitate to contact us at Magnolia Funeral Home (318) 487-1197 should you have additional questions or concerns.

Best Recent Photograph of Deceased (for hair styling, cosmetics, newspaper and memorial folders, if desired)

Photos for Memorial DVD (if desired, holds approximately 100 photos)

Any Burial or Life Insurance Policy(s)

Deceased's Information: Full Name, City and State of Birth, Social Security Number, etc. and if a Veteran, Discharge Papers (DD-214 or Discharge Certificate if Military Honors and flag are desired)

Parents Names and places of birth (inclusive of Mother's Maiden Name)

List of Survivors

Pallbearers Names (at least six, but can be more)

Minister/Pastor/Priest Name(s)

Cemetery Information

Dentures (if Deceased wore them the majority of the time)

Full Set of Underclothing (if Deceased wore them)

Deceased's Dress, Suit or Desired Clothing for Burial (Shoes are optional)

Eyeglasses (if Deceased wore them the majority of the time)

Jewelry (if desired)