



TOBIN BROTHERS FUNERALS

Celebrating Lives SINCE 1934



Statement of Wishes
For the Celebration of my Life...



The decisions and choices captured in this booklet will enable us to help you plan a funeral that truly reflects your life, or the life of your loved one.

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE REMEMBERED?

When it comes to planning a funeral, people often focus on the practical details, such as when and where the funeral will be held.

Whilst these issues are very important, many people are also choosing to emphasise the celebratory aspects of a funeral, such as the style of the service and those special touches that reflect the life of the person who has died.

That's why we developed this unique *Statement of Wishes* planning tool. Please feel free to complete as little or as much of this booklet as you like. The decisions and choices captured in this booklet will enable us to help you plan a funeral that truly reflects your life, or the life of your loved one.

A STATEMENT OF WISHES CAN BE USED:

- *Shortly before or just after a death, to make the initial meeting with us a little easier.*
- *Well in advance, by those who do not wish to formalise arrangements through a Fixed Price Funeral Plan, but seek peace of mind by recording their wishes in writing.*
- *By those who wish to complement the practical details included in their Fixed Price Funeral Plan with some celebratory details.*

Once completed, we retain your *Statement of Wishes* in our database for future reference, which can be changed or converted into a Fixed Price Funeral Plan at any time.

For more information regarding this unique funeral planning service, please talk with one of our caring Funeral Advice Line consultants on:

13 19 34.

James MacLeod
Managing Director

Is this booklet being completed in conjunction with a Tobin Brothers Fixed Price Funeral Plan?

☐ Yes ☐ No

PERSONAL DETAILS

Title: ☐ Dr ☐ Mr
☐ Ms ☐ Miss
☐ Mrs ☐ Other (please specify on the below line)

Surname: *(family name)*

Given Name(s):

Surname at Birth:

Sex: ☐ M ☐ F

Usual Residence: *(suburb, state, p/code, country)*

Phone Number(s)

Home:

Work:

Mobile:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth: *(suburb, state, country)*

If born overseas, date of arrival in Australia:



my inspiration...

I am of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Origin:

- ☐ No ☐ Yes, Aboriginal Origin
☐ Both ☐ Yes, Torres Strait Islander Origin

Usual profession or occupation during working life:

Are you retired? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Are you receiving a pension? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of responsible person after my death:

Address: (suburb, state, p/code, country)

Phone Number:

This person is my Executor:

☐ Yes ☐ No

If not, name of Executor:

Address: (suburb, state, p/code, country)

Phone Number:

My Will is located at: (please provide full details)

Pension Type: ☐ Centrelink ☐ Veterans Affairs

Pension Number: (if applicable)

Organ Donor: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Reference Number:

Marital Status:

☐ Married ☐ Widow/er ☐ Domestic Relationship Registered
☐ Divorced ☐ Never Married ☐ Domestic Relationship Unregistered

MARRIAGE(S)

MARRIAGE / DOMESTIC RELATIONSHIP (1)

Given name(s) of Partner:

Surname of Partner:

☐ Male ☐ Female

Place of Marriage/Registration: (suburb, state, country)

Date of Marriage/Registration: ☐ Not registered

MARRIAGE / DOMESTIC RELATIONSHIP (2)

Given name(s) of Partner:

Surname of Partner:

☐ Male ☐ Female

Place of Marriage/Registration: (suburb, state, country)

Date of Marriage/Registration: ☐ Not registered

MARRIAGE / DOMESTIC RELATIONSHIP(3)

Given name(s) of Partner:

Surname of Partner:

☐ Male ☐ Female

Place of Marriage/Registration: (suburb, state, country)

Date of Marriage/Registration: ☐ Not registered



my achievements...

CHILDREN

Provide details of each child in order of birth, including their surname at birth. Include any legally adopted children. If a child is deceased, enter "D" in the age field. If not born alive, enter "SB" in the age field.

1. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

2. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

3. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

4. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

5. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

6. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

7. Child's Given Name(s):

DOB:

Surname at Birth:

Current Surname:

PARENTS

Mother/Parent's surname *(family name)*:
Mother/Parent's given name(s):
Mother/Parent's Surname at birth:
Occupation of the Mother/Parent during working life:

Father/Parent's surname *(family name)*:
Father/Parent's given name(s):
Father/Parent's Surname at birth:
Occupation of the Father/Parent during working life:

MY FUNERAL SERVICE

My preference is for my Funeral Service to be conducted by:
☐ Tobin Brothers Funerals ☐ Frances Tobin Funerals By Women
☐ Abbey Funerals ☐ Herbert King Funerals

I would like my Funeral Service to be held at: *(church, chapel, venue)*
Address: *(suburb, state, p/code, country)*

Phone Number:

I wish to be: ☐ Buried ☐ Cremated
I wish to Buried/Cremated at: *(please state cemetery/crematorium)*

I own an existing grave/memorial:
☐ Yes
☐ No

If yes, please provide details:

I am the deed holder:
☐ Yes
☐ No *(if no, please provide name/address of deed holder)*

Name:
Address: *(suburb, state, p/code, country)*

Please place my cremated remains at:

I would like the following person to lead my Funeral Service:

☐ Clergy ☐ Celebrant ☐ Family

Name if known:
Phone Number if known:

Coffin/Casket Selection:

Please ask these people to carry my coffin/casket:

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I would like the funeral procession to drive past:

- ☐ My home
- ☐ Other (*e.g place of significance*)
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PRESS NOTICES

I would like a Death Notice placed in:

- ☐ The Age
- ☐ The Herald Sun
- ☐ Other (*please specify*)
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I would like a Funeral Notice placed in:

- ☐ The Age
- ☐ The Herald Sun
- ☐ Other (*please specify*)
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- ☐ I would like a Funeral to be private and therefore no Death/Funeral Notice to be placed.



my memories...



my legacy...

FUNERAL SERVICE CONTENT

I offer the following information to assist those preparing my tribute/eulogy.

Details of where I grew up are:

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Some of my earliest memories are:

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The best times I ever had were:

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My hobbies & special interests are:

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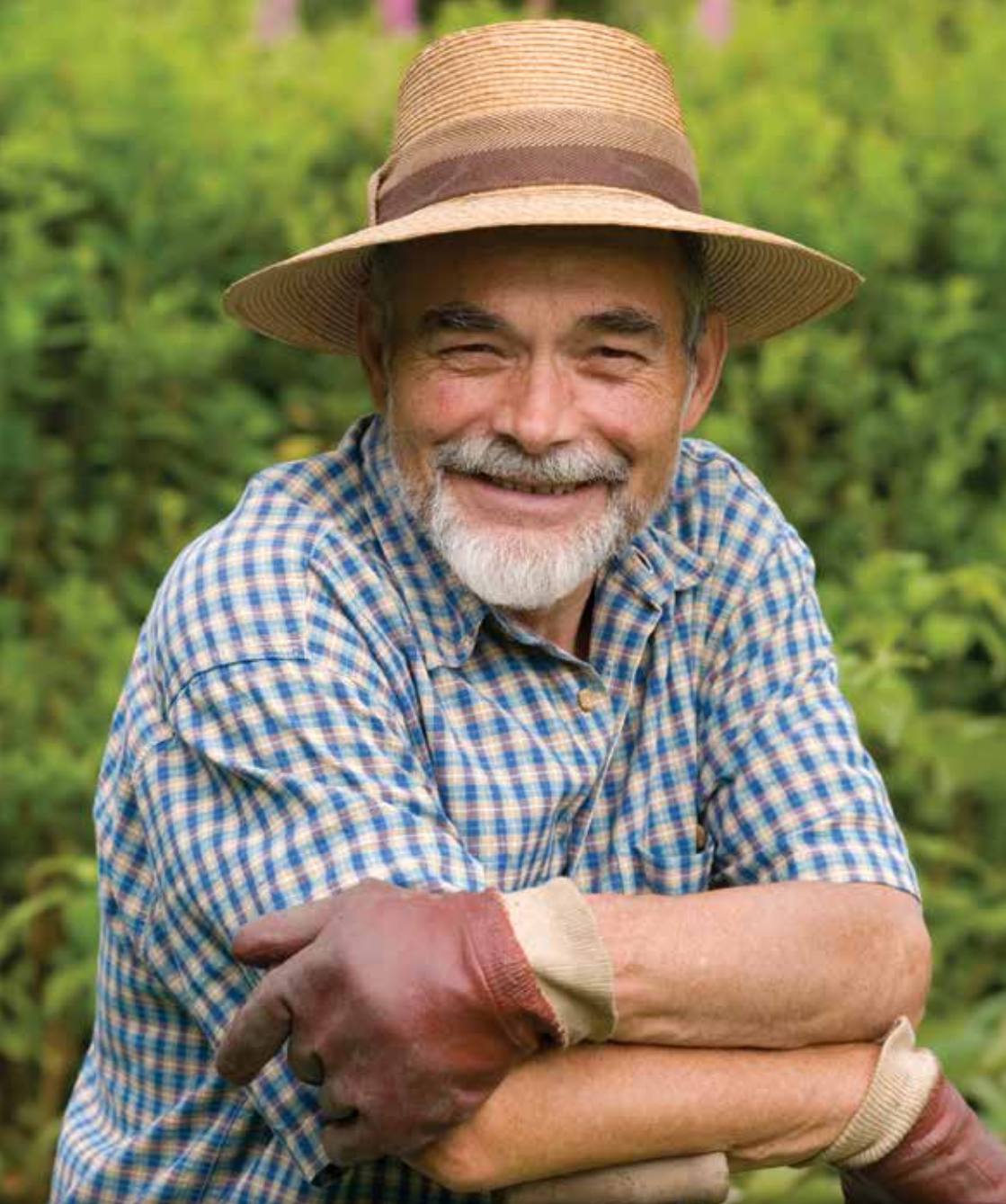
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my passion...

The most important people in my life are:

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Places I worked during my life were:

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Some of my life accomplishments are:

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Some of the proudest moments in my life are:

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Something that most people don't know about me is:

[illegible]

My hobbies & special interests are:

[illegible]

My involvement in clubs/community groups includes:

- ☐ Lions
 ☐ Rotary
☐ RSL
 ☐ Golf/tennis/bowling clubs
☐ Other (*please specify*)

[illegible]

Please reflect the following acknowledgments on my behalf at my funeral service:

[illegible]

I would like the following read at my funeral: (e.g. poem/letter)

[illegible]

I would like the following life symbols displayed at my funeral:

- ☐ Medals ☐ Art/craft work
☐ Photographs ☐ Sporting items
☐ Other (*please specify*)

[illegible]

Any additional thoughts/information:

[illegible]

The spirit of this booklet is to assist my family and those left behind in preparing for my funeral service.

- ☐ I provide permission for my family to make any appropriate changes.
- ☐ My preference is for these arrangements to remain unchanged.

Signature.....
Date.....

On completion of your *Statement of Wishes* please send the original copy to:

Funeral Advice Line
Tobin Brothers Funerals
PO Box 251
North Melbourne Victoria 3051

We will place your details and requests on our *Statement of Wishes* database. We will then forward you the original plus one copy in the mail and recommend that you place one copy with your other important papers. We advise you to give the second copy to the person who will be responsible for finalising your funeral arrangements.

For further details, or if you would now like to proceed with a Fixed Price Funeral Plan with Tobin Brothers Funerals, please telephone our Funeral Advice Line on: **13 19 34** or email your enquiry to: info@tobinbrothers.com.au



how would you like to be
remembered?



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Frances Tobin
FUNERALS BY WOMEN

Abbey
FUNERALS

Herbert King
FUNERALS

Peter  **Tobin**
FUNERALS

For 24 Hour Service and Enquiries please telephone
our Funeral Advice Line: 13 19 34

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