

Funeral Hymn Suggestions *(from the ELW Hymn Book)*

- Hymn #629 "Abide with Me"
- Hymn #779 "Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"
- Hymn #890 "Battle Hymn of the Republic"
- Hymn #838 "Beautiful Savior"
- Hymn #338 "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"
- Hymn #781 "Children of the Heavenly Father"
- Hymn #422 "For All the Saints"
- Hymn #856 "How Great Thou Art"
- Hymn #619 "I Know That My Redeemer Lives!"
- Hymn #661 "I Love To Tell the Story"
- Hymn #324 "In the Cross of Christ I Glory"
- Hymn #592 "Just As I Am, Without One Plea"
- Hymn #881 "Let All Things Now Living"
- Hymn #660 "Lift High the Cross"
- Hymn #765 "Lord of All Hopefulness"
- Hymn #767 "Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me"
- Hymn #597 "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"
- Hymn #818 "O Master, Let Me Walk with You"
- Hymn #787 "On Eagle's Wings"
- Hymn #623 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"
- Hymn #789 "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"
- Hymn #824 "This Is My Father's World"
- Hymn #613 "Thy Holy Wings"
- Hymn #742 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Scripture Reading Suggestions

GOSPEL

- Matthew 6: 25-34: God cares for the bird and flowers
- Matthew 11: 25-30: Come all who are weary
- Luke 12: 35-40: Be prepared for the Lord's coming
- John 6: 37-40: I will raise them up on the last day
- John 10: 1-18: I am the good shepherd
- John 11: 21-27: I am the resurrection and the life
- John 12: 23-26: Unless a grain of wheat falls...
- John 14: 1-6: In my Father's house are many rooms

NEW TESTAMENT

- Romans 5: 1-11: We have peace with God through Christ
- Romans 8: 31-35, 37-39: Nothing can separate us from Christ
- I Corinthians 15: 20-26: In Christ shall all be made alive
- I Corinthians 15: 50-57: Death is defeated in Christ
- Philippians 3: 20-21: Our citizenship is in heaven
- I John 3: 1-2: We are God's children now
- Revelation 7: 9-17: Behold a host all dressed in white
- Revelation 21: 2-7: He will wipe away every tear

OLD TESTAMENT

- Psalm 23: The Lord is my shepherd
- Isaiah 25: 6-9: He will swallow up death forever
- Isaiah 61: 1-3: Oil of gladness instead of mourning
- Job 19: 23-27a: I know that my Redeemer lives
- Lamentations 3: 22-26, 31-33: God's love is steadfast