BONNEY WATSON

FOR THE DEATH CERTIFICATE

# Vital Information

*About me*

This is what will go on my death certificate one day. Spell names exactly as they should appear, and leave blank anything I'm not sure of.

## 1 My name

*Legal name. Birth name only if different.*

FIRST | MIDDLE | SUFFIX

LAST | LAST NAME AT BIRTH

DATE OF BIRTH | SOCIAL SECURITY NO. | OTHER NAMES USED

SEX ○ Male ○ Female ○ X ○ Unknown

SEX AT BIRTH only if different ○ Male ○ Female

## 2 Where I live

*My home now*

STREET ADDRESS | APT OR UNIT

CITY | COUNTY | STATE | ZIP

INSIDE CITY LIMITS? ○ Yes ○ No ○ Not sure

YEARS AT THIS ADDRESS

ON A TRIBAL RESERVATION? ○ Yes ○ No

## 3 Where I was born

*Common country name is fine*

CITY | COUNTY | STATE | COUNTRY

## 4 Race and Hispanic origin

*Check all that apply*

HISPANIC, LATINO OR SPANISH?

☐ No, not Hispanic ☐ Mexican or Chicano
☐ Puerto Rican ☐ Cuban
☐ Other, which?

RACE

☐ White ☐ Black ☐ Am. Indian / AK
☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese
☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Asian Indian
☐ Other Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Samoan
☐ Chamorro ☐ Other Pac. Isl. ☐ Other

TRIBE, OR OTHER RACE

## 5 My family

MARITAL STATUS

○ Married ○ Widowed ○ Divorced
○ Never married ○ Domestic partner ○ Separated

MY SPOUSE OR DOMESTIC PARTNER

FIRST | MIDDLE | LAST

SUFFIX | THEIR LAST NAME AT BIRTH if different

FATHER OR PARENT

FIRST | MIDDLE | LAST | SUFFIX

MOTHER OR PARENT

FIRST | MIDDLE | LAST NAME AT BIRTH

## 6 My education and work

HIGHEST SCHOOL COMPLETED

○ 8th grade or less ○ Some high school
○ High school or GED ○ Some college
○ Associate degree ○ Bachelor's degree
○ Master's degree ○ Doctorate or professional

USUAL JOB not "retired" | KIND OF BUSINESS not the company

*The work I did most of my life, and the field it was in. For example: teacher, education. Mail carrier, postal service.*

HAVE I SERVED IN THE U.S. ARMED FORCES? ○ Yes ○ No

## 7 Who we should call

*The person who'll give us this*

NAME | RELATIONSHIP TO ME

PHONE | EMAIL

MAILING ADDRESS

# My Wishes and Papers

*Not on the death certificate*

None of this goes on the death certificate. It's what I'd want my family, and Bonney Watson, to know when the time comes. I can fill in as much or as little as I like.

## 8 My wishes

**FINAL ARRANGEMENTS**

- ○ Burial
- ○ Cremation
- ○ Mausoleum
- ○ Body donation
- ○ Not decided

**KIND OF SERVICE**

- ○ Funeral
- ○ Memorial
- ○ Graveside only
- ○ Celebration of life
- ○ No service
- ○ Not decided

**WHERE**

- ☐ Funeral home
- ☐ Place of worship
- ☐ Other venue
- ☐ Other

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PLACE**

**CLERGY OR OFFICIANT**

**THEIR PHONE**

**CEMETERY OR RESTING PLACE**

**I OWN PROPERTY THERE**

- ○ Yes
- ○ No
- ○ Not sure

**SECTION, LOT OR NICHE**

## 9 Personal touches

**MUSIC I'D LIKE**

**READINGS, PRAYERS OR TRADITIONS**

**INSTEAD OF FLOWERS, GIFTS IN MY MEMORY TO**

**FOR MY OBITUARY**

## 10 Where my papers are

*Where each one is kept*

**WILL OR TRUST**

**LIFE INSURANCE** company and where the policy is

**PREPAID FUNERAL OR CEMETERY PAPERS**

**CEMETERY DEED** Certificate of Interment Rights

**MILITARY DISCHARGE** DD-214, if I served

**ANYTHING ELSE**

**WHERE IT IS**

## 11 People to call

**EXECUTOR OF MY ESTATE**

**PHONE**

**PLEASE ALSO TELL**

| NAME | RELATIONSHIP | PHONE |
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## 12 Anything else

*Keep this with your important papers, and tell your family where to find it.*