



ESSENTIAL FAMILY RESOURCE GUIDE

Provided by the Archdiocese Presbyters Council, National Sisterhood of Presvyteres and Archdiocese Benefits Committee



"The soul that loves God has its rest in God and in God alone. In all the paths that men walk in the world, they do not attain peace until they draw near to hope in God."

Saint Isaac the Syrian - 7th Century



PERSONAL INFORMATION

REVEREND FATHER

Legal Name: _____

Birth Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____

Social Security Number: _____

My Social Security Card is Located: _____

Current Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Passport Number: _____

Issuing Country: _____

My Passport is Located: _____

Driver's License Number: _____

Issuing State: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Wedding Date: _____

Place of Wedding: _____

Father's Name: _____

Father's Birthplace: _____ Father's Birth Date: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Birthplace: _____ Mother's Birth Date: _____

Notes: _____

* Please note: It is strongly recommended that all passwords be stored in a secure and separate location.

PRESVYTERA

Legal Name: _____

Birth Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____

Social Security Number: _____

My Social Security Card is Located: _____

Current Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Passport Number: _____

Issuing Country: _____

My Passport is Located: _____

Driver's License Number: _____

Issuing State: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Father's Name: _____

Father's Birthplace: _____ Father's Birth Date: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Birthplace: _____ Mother's Birth Date: _____

Notes: _____

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REVEREND FATHER

Name of High School (Graduation Year): _____

Name of College (Graduation Year): _____

Degree: _____

Name of Graduate School (Graduation Year): _____

Degree: _____

Post-Graduate Degree (Graduation Year): _____

Military Service: _____

Rank: _____

Date of Ordination to Holy Diakonate: _____

Ordaining Hierarch: _____

Parish in which I was Ordained: _____

Date of Ordination to the Holy Priesthood: _____

Ordaining Hierarch: _____

Parish in which I was Ordained: _____

Current Offikion (Year it was granted): _____

PARISHES SERVED

Name of Parish: _____

Location of Parish (City/State): _____

Ministry Highlights: _____

Name of Parish: _____

Location of Parish (City/State): _____

Ministry Highlights: _____

Name of Parish: _____

Location of Parish (City/State): _____

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Name of Parish: _____

Location of Parish (City/State): _____

Ministry Highlights: _____

COMMITTEES - ASSIGNMENTS

Current Committees and Assignments:

Committees and Assignments that I have served on it the past:

AWARDS RECEIVED

Awards or Honors Received:

Notes:

PRESVYTERA

Name of High School (Graduation Year): _____

Name of College (Graduation Year): _____

Degree: _____

Name of Graduate School (Graduation Year): _____

Degree: _____

Post-Graduate Degree (Graduation Year): _____

Military Service: _____

Rank: _____

Occupation: _____

Positions Held: _____

Ministry Highlights: _____

COMMITTEES - ASSIGNMENTS

Current Committees and Assignments:

Committees and Assignments that I have served on it the past:

AWARDS RECEIVED

Awards or Honors Received:

Notes:

CHILD

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

Spouse Mobile Phone: _____

CHILD

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

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Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

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GRANDCHILDREN

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

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Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

Spouse Mobile Phone: _____

GRANDCHILDREN

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Spouse (If Applicable): _____

Spouse Mobile Phone: _____

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____



MEDICAL INFORMATION

REVEREND FATHER

Medical Conditions: _____

Medications / Dose: _____

Allergies: _____

Prior Surgeries (Dates): _____

Primary Care Physician

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Specialists

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Preferred Hospital: _____

Preferred Pharmacy: _____

Location: _____ Phone Number: _____

Blood Type: _____

Health Insurance

Insurer Name: _____ ID Number: _____

Group Number: _____ Phone Number: _____

My Health Insurance Card is Located: _____

Medicare/Medicaid

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Dental Insurance

Insurer Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

Vision

Insurer Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

My Living Will is Located: _____

My Health Care Power of Attorney Document is Located: _____

My Appointed Agent is: _____

My DNR / Do Not Resuscitate Order is Located: _____

Notes: _____

PRESVYTERA

Medical Conditions: _____

Medications / Dose: _____

Allergies: _____

Prior Surgeries (Dates): _____

Primary Care Physician

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Specialists

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Name / Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Notes: _____

Preferred Hospital: _____

Preferred Pharmacy: _____

Location: _____ Phone Number: _____

Blood Type: _____

Health Insurance

Insurer Name: _____ ID Number: _____

Group Number: _____ Phone Number: _____

My Health Insurance Card is Located: _____

Medicare/Medicaid

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Dental Insurance

Insurer Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

Vision Insurance

Insurer Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

My Living Will is Located: _____

My Health Care Power of Attorney Document is Located: _____

My Appointed Agent is: _____

My DNR / Do Not Resuscitate Order is Located: _____

Notes: _____



FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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Financial Power of Attorney Document is located: _____

Our Appointed Agent is: _____

Notes: _____

BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Checking Account

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

Checking Account

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

Savings Account

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Type of Account: _____

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Type of Account: _____

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Type of Account: _____

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

ATM Card: _____

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Pin: _____

Debit Card: _____

Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Pin: _____

Notes: _____

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION

MasterCard Visa American Express Discover Other _____

Issuing Bank: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Phone Number: _____

Notes: _____

MasterCard Visa American Express Discover Other _____

Issuing Bank: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Phone Number: _____

Notes: _____

MasterCard Visa American Express Discover Other _____

Issuing Bank: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

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Phone Number: _____

Notes: _____

MasterCard Visa American Express Discover Other _____

Issuing Bank: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Phone Number: _____

Notes: _____

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION

Store Credit Card: _____

Account Number: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

Store Credit Card: _____

Account Number: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

Store Credit Card: _____

Account Number: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

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Store Credit Card: _____

Account Number: _____

Name(s) on Account: _____

INVESTMENTS

Description: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact: _____

Notes: _____

Description: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact: _____

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Account Number: _____

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Description: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact: _____

Notes: _____

Additional Notes on Investments: _____

OTHER ACCOUNTS

Frequent Flyer, Rewards Programs, etc.

Name of Account: _____

Information: _____

Name of Account: _____

Information: _____

Name of Account: _____

Information: _____

TAX RECORDS

Federal and State Records are Located: _____

Online Tax Account: _____

User Name: _____

Password: _____

Notes: _____

SAFE DEPOSIT BOX

Box and Location: _____

Number: _____

Key is Located: _____

Contents: _____

Notes: _____

LIABILITIES

MORTGAGE

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Property Tax Information: _____

Notes: _____

HOME LOAN

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

CAR LOAN

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

LIABILITIES

STUDENT LOAN

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

STUDENT LOAN

Lender Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

PERSONAL LOAN

Contact Information: _____

Account Number: _____

Location of Papers: _____

Notes: _____

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES

Type of Policy: _____

Issuing Company: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Amount: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Type of Policy: _____

Issuing Company: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Amount: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Type of Policy: _____

Issuing Company: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Amount: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Type of Policy: _____

Issuing Company: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Amount: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Social Security

Name: _____

Account Information : _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Name: _____

Account Information : _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Archdiocese Pension

Name of Insured: _____

Contact Information: Archdiocese Benefits Office - Phone: 212-570-3535 E-mail: benefits@goarch.org

Amount: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Retirement Account

Name: _____

Type of Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Name: _____

Type of Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Name: _____

Type of Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Beneficiary: _____

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Retirement Account

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Beneficiary: _____

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Name: _____

Type of Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Name: _____

Type of Account: _____

Account Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Beneficiary: _____

Notes: _____

Real Estate

Residence: _____

Address: _____

Co-Owners: _____

Location of Legal Documents: _____

Location of Keys: _____

Home Security Company Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

If Renting Property, Location of Lease: _____

Lease Expires: _____

Location of Keys: _____

Property Manager Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Second Home, Condo, Land, Etc. (Specify): _____

Address: _____

Co-Owners: _____

Location of Legal Documents: _____

Location of Keys: _____

Home Security Company Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Commercial Property

Address: _____

Co-Owners: _____

Location of Legal Documents: _____

Location of Keys: _____

Notes: _____

Home Owners Insurance / Renter's Insurance

Issuing Company : _____

Agency / Agent Name: _____

Policy Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Vehicles

Year/Model/Make/Color: _____

VIN/ID: _____

Location of Title: _____ Location of Keys: _____

Year/Model/Make/Color: _____

VIN/ID: _____

Location of Title: _____ Location of Keys: _____

Notes: _____

Car Insurance

Issuing Company : _____

Agency / Agent Name: _____

Policy Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Car Insurance

Issuing Company : _____

Agency / Agent Name: _____

Policy Number: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Pets

Pet Name: _____

Breed / Age: _____

Veterinarian Name and Contact Information: _____

Who will care of my pet: _____

Pet Name: _____

Breed / Age: _____

Veterinarian Name and Contact Information: _____

Who will care of my pet: _____

Other Important Accounts

Utilities

Gas and Oil Provider: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Electric Provider: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Water Provider: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____

Cable Television and/or Internet Provider: _____

Account Number: _____ Phone Number: _____

Notes: _____

Mobile Phone Provider: _____

Account Number: _____

Notes: _____

Other Accounts



KEY CONTACT INFORMATION

Executor: _____

Contact Information: _____

Attorney: _____

Contact Information: _____

Accountant: _____

Contact Information: _____

Tax Preparer: _____

Contact Information: _____

Financial Advisor: _____

Contact Information: _____

Insurance Agent: _____

Contact Information: _____

Notes: _____



**IMPORTANT INFORMATION
FROM ARCHDIOCESE BENEFITS OFFICE
REGARDING THE REPORTING OF:
THE RETIREMENT OF A CLERGYMAN
THE DEATH OF A CLERGYMAN OR PRESVYTERA**

Greek Orthodox Archdiocese Benefits Office
Procedure for Reporting the Retirement of a Clergyman

1. Retirement Age

- A. The normal retirement age for Clergy is 65. Clergymen may continue serving and contributing to the Pension Plan until age 70.
- B. At age 70, monthly retirement benefits begin, even if the Clergyman continues serving full-time in a parish.

2. Retirement Notification Timeline

- A. Four months prior to retirement (or his 70th birthday), the Clergyman should contact the Benefits Office:
 1. Phone: (212) 570-3535
 2. Email: Vicky Yotides: vyotides@goarch.org

3. Discussion will include retirement planning and available options under the Pension Plan.
- B. Three months prior to the 65th birthday the Clergyman should contact the third-party administrator (currently G.D.C. Financial Group – George Caravakis) to discuss Medicare enrollment and health insurance options.

3. Clergyman's Responsibility

- A. It is the responsibility of the Clergyman to notify the Benefits Office of his retirement or 70th birthday.
- B. Pension payments do not begin automatically at age 70; the Clergyman must initiate the process with the Benefits Office.

Greek Orthodox Archdiocese Benefits Office

Procedure for Reporting the Death of a Clergyman or Presvytera

1. Contact the Benefits Office:

- A. Phone: (212) 570-3535**
- B. Email: Vicky Yotides: vyotides@goarch.org**

2. Be prepared to provide the following information:

- A. Name of the deceased Clergyman or Presvytera**
- B. Date of birth**
- C. Date of death**
- D. Name and contact information of surviving spouse and children (address, email, phone number)**
- E. Certified copy of the Death Certificate showing the cause of death**
 - 1. This may be obtained through the Funeral Director.**
 - 2. Once received by the Benefits Office, the life insurance claim will be processed with the third-party administrator (currently G.D.C. Financial Group – George Caravakis).**
 - 3. G.D.C. will also check for any supplemental insurance purchased directly and, if applicable, will file a claim on behalf of the family.**

F. Pension Benefits

- 1. The Benefits Office will notify Mercer (the Pension Plan administrator).**
- 2. If the deceased Clergyman designated a benefit for his Presvytera, the Benefits Office will coordinate with Mercer to process the claim.**
- 3. If reporting the death of a Presvytera (pre-deceased by her husband), the Office will also need to confirm whether she was receiving a monthly pension.**

G. Notifications

- 1. The Benefits Office will also inform the Office of the Archbishop and the National Chancellor's Office.**



GUIDELINES WHEN A PRIEST FALLS ASLEEP IN THE LORD

WHEN A PRIEST FALLS ASLEEP IN THE LORD

Notification

Upon the falling asleep in the Lord of a priest the family is asked to inform the Archbishop/local Metropolitan as soon as possible (At the time that they are notifying the immediate family). If the local Presiding Hierarch cannot be reached then the family is asked to please contact the Chancellor of the Metropolis.

Contact Information

Archbishop (Name): _____

Archbishop's Office Phone Number: _____

Local Metropolitan (Name): _____

Metropolitan's Cell Phone Number: _____

Archdiocese Chancellor (Name): _____

Archdiocese Chancellor's Office Phone Number: _____

Metropolis Chancellor (Name): _____

Chancellor's Cell Phone Number: _____

Local Vicar (Name): _____

Vicar's Cell Phone Number: _____

Please Note

The Archbishop/Metropolitan will immediately make arrangements for an area clergyman to travel to the place where the priest has passed (i.e. home/hospital) to offer a Trisagion for their departed brother in Christ. Following the Trisagion, the departed priest may be transferred to a funeral home.

Name of preferred Funeral Home: _____

Name of Funeral Director: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Planning the Date for the Funeral

The family is asked to work together with the Archbishop/Metropolitan's Office to determine the date, place and time of the wake and funeral. As a reminder, the funeral for a priest is proceeded by the celebration of the Divine Liturgy.

Helpful Information that can be relayed to the Archbishop/Metropolitan to receive their blessing when planning the date for the funeral.

1. I humbly request that Rev. _____ celebrate the Divine Liturgy the morning of the funeral (if he is able).

2. I humbly request that the following three clergy (if they are able) be present in the funeral home to perform the washing and anointing of the body as prescribed in the Mega Euchologion and described in the text that follows later in this section.

A. Name: _____

Phone: _____

B. Name: _____

Phone: _____

C. Name: _____

Phone: _____

3. I humbly request that the following Clergyman offer a few words following to the Funeral Service (in addition to the Archbishop/Metropolitan).

A. Name: _____

Phone: _____

4. I humbly request that the following clergy offer a few words either during the Wake or Makaria.

A. Name: _____

Phone: _____

B. Name: _____

Phone: _____

C. Name: _____

Phone: _____

Obituary

The family is asked to please forward the obituary of the departed priest which can then be included in a Press Release issued by the Archdiocese, Metropolis and Parish. This should include the date, place, and time of the Wake, Divine Liturgy, and Funeral that has been agreed upon with the Archbishop/Metropolitan's input and approval.

Clergy (and Presvyteres) are encouraged to prepare a preliminary obituary (if they are so inclined) which will assist their family at the time of their death. You may include this preliminary obituary in the following pages.

Rev. Father's Preliminary Obituary

Presytera's Preliminary Obituary

Preparation of the body before the funeral

The family of the departed priest should provide the funeral director with a complete change of clean clothing (undergarments, shoes, pants, socks, shirt etc.), as well as a full set of white or gold vestments including an Aer and pectoral cross and/or epigonation (if the priest had been bestowed the Offikion).

These are the vestments that I wish to be buried in.

Place photo of vestments here

The vestments are located here:

This is the Pectoral Cross I wish to have placed on me.

It is located here:

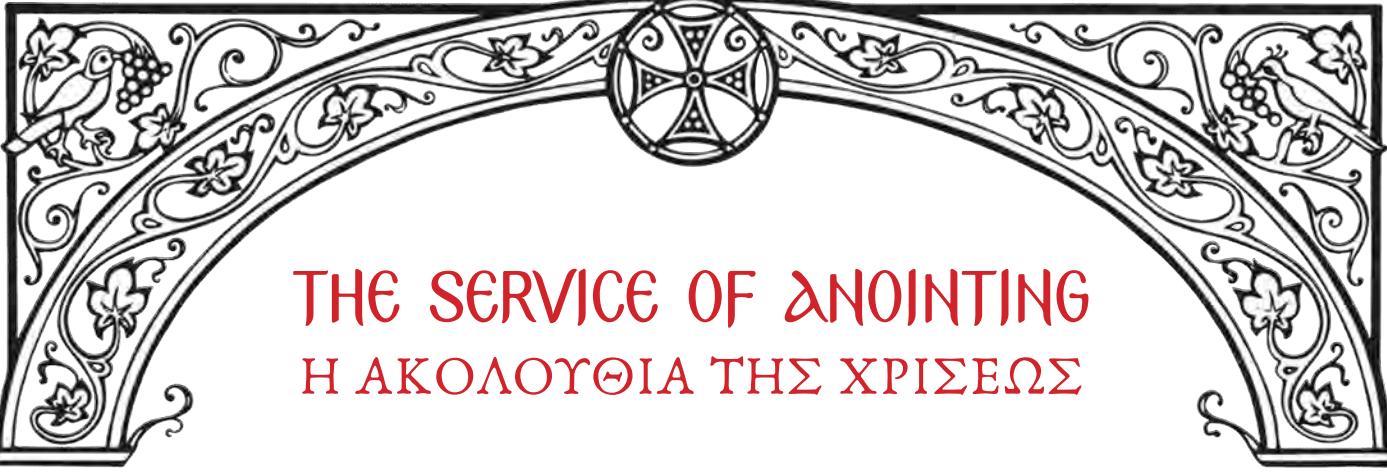
Place photo of
Pectoral Cross here

The funeral director should have the body prepared and dressed in undergarments pants and shirt, except for the shoes and socks so that the feet are available for anointing. (The Service of Anointing can be found on the website of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America website under 'Official Documents.) Once the anointing, vesting, and Trisagion have been completed, the departed priest is transferred to the church in which the funeral will take place.

Position and preparation of the priest inside the church

After the body is transported to the church by the priests to lie in state, the casket is opened and the Holy Gospel is placed on the breast of the departed priest (with the Resurrection side of the Gospel Icon facing up) and the priest facing the Holy Altar (East). The priest's right hand, which is placed in the blessing form, is then rested upon the Gospel available for veneration, by the faithful.

At the conclusion of the Funeral Service and before the closing of the casket, the pectoral cross and the Holy Gospel are removed.



THE SERVICE OF ANOINTING

Η ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΗΣ ΧΡΙΣΕΩΣ

Άπαραίτητα ἀντικείμενα

- 1) Μικρὰ λεκάνη.
- 2) Έλαιολάδον.
- 3) Σπόγγος.
- 4) Ὅλωρ.

Κατ' ἀρχὴν τὸ ὄλωρ ἀναμείγνυται μετὰ τοῦ ἔλαιολάδου εἰς τὴν μικρὰν λεκάνην. Οἱ ἱερεῖς φέροντες ράσον καὶ ἐπιτραχήλιον, χρίουν τὰς χεῖρας, τοὺς πόδας, καὶ τὸ μέτωπον τοῦ ἐκδημητσάντος ἱερέως ἐνῷ ἀναγινώσκουν τὸν 50ὸν Ψαλμόν. Εἴθισται νὰ σχηματίζεται ὁ τύπος τοῦ σταυροῦ μετὰ τοῦ σπόγγου ὃνταν χρέεται ὁ ἱερεὺς.

Ψαλμός 50

ΕΛΕΗΣΟΝ με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου· ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἀμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ὁπι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἀμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἐσπήδιαπαντός. Σοὶ μόνῳ ἡμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, δύως ἀν δικαιωθῆσε ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαι σε. Ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίας συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν ἀμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἀλήθειαν ἡγάπησα, τὰ ἀδηλὰ καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ρανπεῖς με ὑσσώπῳ, καὶ

Items Needed

1. Bowl
2. Bottle of olive oil
3. Sponge
4. Water

Before beginning, some water and oil are mixed in a bowl. The priests vested in their Rasson and Epitrachilion, proceed with anointing the hands, feet, and forehead of the departed priest while reciting the 50th Psalm. It is customary to make the sign of the cross with the sponge over the areas of the body that are anointed.

PSALM 50

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love; according to Your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you only, have I sinned, and done that which is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified in Your sentence and blameless in Your judgment.

Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me. Behold, You loved truth, You have manifested to me the hidden and secret things of Your wisdom.

καθαρισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Ἀκουπεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην, ἀγαλλίασονται ὅστεα τεταπεινωμένα. Ἀπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν μου καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἔξαλειψον. Καρδίαν καθαρὰν κπίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθές ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψῃς με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον μὴ ἀντανέλῃς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Ἀπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῷ στήριξόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδούς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ρῦσάι με ἔξ αιμάτων, ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεός τῆς σωτηρίας μου. ἀγαλλίασεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἵνεστν σου. Ὁπ εἰ ἥθελησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἀν· ὀλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμένον, καρδία συντετριμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεός οὐκ ἔξουδενώσει. Ἀγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ εὐδοκίᾳ σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ιερουσαλήμ. Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὀλοκαυτώματα. Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους.

Εἰς τὸ τέλος τῆς χρίσεως, οἱ ιερεῖς, λέγοντες τὰς εὐχὰς τῆς ἐνδύσεως τῶν ιεραπικῶν ἀμφίων, ἐνδύουν τὸν ἀδελφὸν αὐτῶν μέ πλήρη ιεραπικὴν στολὴν.

ΕΝΔΥΣΙΣ ΤΟΥ ΙΕΡΕΩΣ

(Η ἐνδύσις γίνεται εἰς τὸ Γραφεῖον Τελετῶν)

Οι ιερεῖς, προτοῦ ἐνδύσουν τὸν ἐκδημήσαντα ἀδελφὸν αὐτῶν, εὐλογοῦν καὶ ἀσπάζονται ἔκαστον ἀμφίον.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμην.

You shall sprinkle me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Fill me with joy and gladness; let the bones which You have broken rejoice. Hide Your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit. Then I will teach transgressors Your ways, and sinners will return to You. Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of Your righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall show forth Your praise. For You have no delight in sacrifice; were I to give a burnt offering, You would not be pleased. The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, You will not despise. Do good to Zion in Your good pleasure; rebuild the walls of Jerusalem, then will You delight in right sacrifices, in burnt offerings and whole burnt offerings; then bulls will be offered on Your altar.

At the conclusion of the anointing service, the priests, while reciting the vesting prayers, dress their departed brother with his priestly vestments.

VESTING OF THE PRIEST

(The vesting takes place in the Funeral Home)

Before the priests vest their departed brother they bless each vestment and kiss it.

Blessed is our God always, now and forever, and unto to the ages of ages. Amen.

Εἰς τὸ σπιχάριον.

Ἄγαλλιάσεται ἡ ψυχή μου ἐπὶ τῷ Κυρίῳ· ἐνέδυσε γὰρ με ἴματιον σωτηρίου, καὶ χιτῶνα εὐφροσύνης περιέβαλέ με· ὡς νυμφίῳ περιέθηκε μοι μήτραν καὶ ὡς νύμφην κατέκόσμησέ με κόσμῳ.

Εἰς τὸ ἐπιτραχήλιον.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἐκχέων τὴν χάριν αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς ἱερεῖς αὐτοῦ· ὡς μῆρον ἐπὶ κεφαλῆς τὸ καταβαῖνον ἐπὶ πώγωνα, τὸν πώγωνα τοῦ Ἀαρὼν, τὸ καταβαῖνον ἐπὶ τὴν ὁσιὰν τοῦ ἐνδύματος αὐτοῦ.

Εἰς τὴν ζώνην.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεός ὁ περιζωννύων με δύναμιν καὶ ἔθετο ἀμάρματον τὴν ὁδὸν μου.

Εἰς τὰ ἐπιμάνικα, ἐν μὲν τῷ δεξιῷ.

Ἡ δεξιά σου, Κύριε, δεδόξασται ἐν ἰσχύι· ἡ δεξιά σου χείρ, Κύριε, ζθραυσεν ἐχθρούς· καὶ τῷ πλήθει τῆς δέξης σου συνέτριψας τοὺς ὑπεναντίους.

Ἐν δὲ τῷ ἀριστερῷ.

Αἱ χεῖρές σου ἐποίησάν με καὶ ἐπλασάν με· συνέπισθν με καὶ μαθήσομαι τὰς ἐντολάς σου.

Εἰς τὸ ἐπιγονάτιον (ἔάν ἔχει).

Περίζωσαι τὴν ρόμφαλαν σου ἐπὶ τὸν μηρόν σου, δυνατέ, τῇ ὠραίᾳ τῇ σου καὶ τῷ κάλλει σου· καὶ ἔντεινε καὶ κατευοδοῦ καὶ βασίλευε, ἔνεκεν ἀληθείας καὶ πραότητος καὶ δικαιοσύνης· καὶ ὁδηγήσει σε θαυμαστῶς ἡ δεξιά σου.

Εἰς τὸ φελόνιον.

Οἱ ἱερεῖς σου, Κύριε, ἐνδύσονται δικαιοσύνην καὶ οἱ ὄσιοι σου ἀγαλλιάσει ἀγαλλιάσονται.

For the Sticharion:

My soul shall rejoice in the Lord, for He has clothed me with the garment of salvation, and with the robe of gladness has He encompassed me. As a bridegroom He has set a crown upon me, and as a bride He has adorned me with ointment.

For the Epitrachelion:

Blessed is God, Who pours out His grace upon His priests, as ointment upon the head, which runs down upon the beard, the beard of Aaron, which runs down to the hem of his garment.

For the Zone (belt):

Blessed is God, Who girds me with strength, and has made my path blameless.

For the right Epimanikion:

Your right hand, O Lord, is glorified in strength; Your right hand, O Lord, has shattered Your enemies, and in the multitude of Your glory have You crushed adversaries.

For the left Epimanikion:

Your hands have made me and fashioned me; teach me, and I shall learn Your commandments.

If the departed priest has been bestowed with the offikion of wearing an Epigonation:

Gird Your sword upon Your thigh, O Mighty One, in Your comeliness and in Your beauty, and go forth and prosper, and reign because of truth, and meekness, and righteousness; and Your right hand shall guide You wondrously.

For the Phelonion:

Your priests, O Lord, shall clothe themselves with righteousness, and Your holy ones shall joyfully rejoice.

Ἐὰν ὁ κεκοιμημένος ἵερεὺς ἔχῃ ἐκκλησιαστικὸν ὄφρικον ἵνα φέρῃ ἐπιστήθιον σταυρόν, ὁ πρῶτος τῶν ἱερέων τοποθετεῖ αὐτὸν (μέ κομιμένην τὴν ἀλυσίδαν εἰς τὸ ἄνω ἄκρον, ὥστε ὁ σταυρὸς νὰ δύναται νὰ ἀφαιρεθῇ εὐκόλως πρὸ τῆς ταφῆς) λέγων.

Εἰς τὸν Σταυρόν.

Οσπις θέλει ὀπίσω μου ἐλθεῖν, ἀπαρνησάσθω ἑαυτὸν καὶ ἀράτω τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀκολουθείτω μοι.

Εἶτα, οἱ ἱερεῖς ποιοῦσιν τὸ Τρισάγιον ὑπὲρ αἰώνιου ἀναπαύσεως τοῦ κεκοιμημένου ἀδελφοῦ.

ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΝ

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, πάντοτε· νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμην.

Ἄγιος ὁ Θεός, Ἄγιος Ἰσχυρός, Ἄγιος Ἀθάνατος ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (γ)

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Γιῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμην.

Παναγία Τριάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύριε, ἵλασθητι ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα, συγχάρησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν. Ἁγιε, ἐπίσκεψου καὶ ἰασαὶ τὰς ἀσθενεῖας ἡμῶν, ἐνεκεν του ὄνόματός σου. Κύριε ἐλέησον. (γ)

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Γιῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμην.

Πάτερ ἡμῶν, ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου, ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου, γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

If the departed priest has the offikion of wearing a pectoral cross, the attending priests put it on him (open the back of the chain on the pectoral cross and drape the chain over the shoulders of the departed priest, so that after the funeral, it may be easily removed)saying:

Placement of the Pectoral Cross:

He who wishes to come after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross and follow me.

At this time the vesting priests will offer a Trisagion for the eternal repose of the soul of their departed brother.

TRISAGION

Blessed is our God, always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us. (3)

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our infirmities for Your name's sake. Lord, have mercy. (3)

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us

Τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δός ἡμῖν σήμερον καὶ ἀφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν, καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

Ὅπι σοῦ ἐστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Μετὰ πνευμάτων δικαίων τετελειωμένων τὴν ψυχὴν τοῦ δούλου σου, Σῶτερ, ἀνάπτασον, φυλάττων αὐτὴν εἰς τὴν μακαρίαν ζωήν, τὴν παρὰ σοί, φιλάνθρωπε.

Εἰς τὴν κατάπαυσίν σου, Κύριε, ὅπου πάντες οἱ ἄγιοι σου ἀναπαύονται, ἀνάπτασον καὶ τὴν ψυχὴν τοῦ δούλου σου, ὅπι μόνος ὑπάρχεις ἀθάνατος.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίᾳ Πνεύματi.

Σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ὁ καταβὰς εἰς Ἀδην καὶ τὰς ὁδύνας λύσας τῶν πεπιθημένων, αὐτὸς καὶ τὴν ψυχὴν τοῦ δούλου σου, Σῶτερ, ἀνάπτασον.

Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Ἡ μόνη ἀγνὴ καὶ ἀχραντος Παρθένος, ἡ Θεὸν ἀφράστως κυήσασα, πρέσβευε ὑπὲρ τοῦ ἐλεηθῆναι καὶ συγχωρηθῆναι τὴν ψυχὴν τοῦ δούλου σου.

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, δεόμεθά σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Among the spirits of the righteous perfected in faith, give rest, O Savior, to the soul of Your servant. Bestow upon it the blessed life which is from You, O loving Lord.

Within Your peace, O Lord, where all Your Saints repose, give rest also to the soul of Your servant, for You alone are immortal.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.

O Savior, You are our God who descended into Hades and delivered from suffering those who were bound there. Grant rest also to the soul of Your servant.

Now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Most pure and spotless Virgin, who ineffably gave birth to God, intercede with Him for the salvation of the soul of your servant.

Have mercy upon us, O God, according to Your great mercy; we pray to You, hear us and have mercy.

Κύριε ἐλέησον. (2)

Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἀναπαύσεως τῆς ψυχῆς τοῦ κεκοιμημένου δούλου τοῦ Θεοῦ (δεῖνα) ἵερέως, ἀδελφοῦ καὶ συλλειτουργοῦ ἡμῶν γενομένου, καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ συγχωρηθῆναι αὐτῷ πᾶν πλημμέλημα ἑκούσιον τε καὶ ἀκούσιον.

Κύριε ἐλέησον. (2)

Οπως Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς τάξῃ τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ ἐνθα οἱ δίκαιοι ἀναπαύονται, τὰ ἐλέη τοῦ Θεοῦ, τὴν βασιλείαν τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ ἀφεσιν τῶν αὐτοῦ ἀμαρτιῶν, παρὰ Χριστῷ τῷ ἀθανάτῳ Βασιλεῖ καὶ Θεῷ ἡμῶν αἰτησώμεθα.

Παράσχου, Κύριε.

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Ο Θεὸς τῶν πνευμάτων καὶ πάσης σαρκός, ὁ τὸν θάνατον καταπατήσας τὸν δὲ διάβολον καταργήσας καὶ ζωὴν τῷ κόσμῳ σου διωρισάμενος· αὐτός, Κύριε, ἀνάπαυσον καὶ τὴν ψυχὴν τοῦ κεκοιμημένου δούλου σου (δεῖνα) ἵερέως, ἀδελφοῦ καὶ συλλειτουργοῦ ἡμῶν γενομένου, ἐν τόπῳ φωτεινῷ, ἐν τόπῳ χλοερῷ, ἐν τόπῳ ἀναψυχεως, ἐνθα ἀπέδρα πᾶσα ὁδύνη, λύπη καὶ στεναγμός. Πᾶν ἀμάρτημα τὸ παρ’ αὐτοῦ πραχθὲν ἐν λόγῳ ή ἔργῳ ή διανοίᾳ, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος Θεὸς συγχώρησον· δόπι οὐκ ἔστιν ἀνθρωπος ὃς ζήσεται καὶ οὐχ ἀμαρτήσει· σὺ γάρ μόνος, Κύριε, ἐκτὸς ἀμαρτίας ὑπάρχεις, ή δικαιοσύνη σου, δικαιοσύνη εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, καὶ ὁ λόγος σου ἀλήθεια.

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Οπι σὺ εἶ ή ἀνάστασις, ή ζωὴ καὶ η μακαρία

Lord, have mercy. (3)

Furthermore, we pray for the rest of the soul of the servant of God (Name), the Priest, our Brother and Con-celebrant who has fallen asleep, and for the forgiveness of all his transgressions, both voluntary and involuntary.

Lord, have mercy. (3)

May the Lord God grant that his soul rest where the righteous repose. Let us ask for the mercies of God, the kingdom of heaven, and the forgiveness of his sins from Christ our Immortal King and God.

Grant this, O Lord.

Let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mercy.

O God of spirits and of all flesh, You have trampled upon death and have abolished the power of the devil, giving life to Your world. Give rest to the soul of Your departed servant (Name), the Priest, our Brother and Con-celebrant who has fallen asleep, in a place of light, in a place of repose, in a place of refreshment, where there is no pain, sorrow, and suffering. As a good and loving God, forgive every sin he has committed in thought, word or deed, for there is no one who lives and does not sin. You alone are without sin. Your righteousness is an everlasting righteousness, and Your word is truth.

Let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mercy.

For You are the resurrection, the life, and the

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ἡμῶν γενομένου, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ
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σου Πατρί, καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ
ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματi, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς
αιῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμην.

ΑΠΟΛΥΣΙΣ

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός, ἡ ἐλπὶς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Ο καὶ νεκρῶν καὶ ζώντων τὴν ἔξουσίαν ἔχων
ὡς ἀθάνατος Βασιλεύς, καὶ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,
Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις
τῆς παναχράντου ἀγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, τῶν
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δικαίων τάξαι, ἐν κόλποις Ἀβραάμ ἀναπαύσαι,
καὶ μετὰ δικαίων συναριθμήσαι ἡμᾶς δὲ ἐλεήσαι
καὶ σώσαι ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος καὶ
ἐλεήμων Θεός.

Αἰωνία σου ἡ μνήμη ἀξιομακάριστε καὶ
ἀείμνηστε ἀδελφὲ ἡμῶν. (γρ)

Ψάλλεται τό. Αἰωνία ἡ μνήμη. (γρ)

Δι' εὐχῶν τῶν ἀγίων πατέρων ἡμῶν, Κύριε
Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐλέησον καὶ σῶσον
ἡμᾶς. Ἄμην.

repose of Your departed servant (**Name**), the Priest, our Brother and Con-celebrant who has fallen asleep, and to You we give glory, with Your eternal Father and Your all-holy, good and life-giving Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

Glory to You, O God, our hope, glory to You.

May Christ our true God, who rose from the dead and as immortal King has authority over the living and the dead, have mercy on us and save us, through the intercessions of his spotless holy Mother; of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy Apostles; of our venerable and God-bearing Fathers; of the holy and glorious forefathers Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; of his holy and righteous friend Lazaros, who lay in the grave four days; and of all the Saints, establish the soul of His servant (**Name**), the Priest, our Brother and Con-celebrant, departed from us, in the dwelling place of the Saints; grant rest to him in the bosom of Abraham and number him among the righteous.

May your memory be eternal, our brother, who are worthy of blessedness and eternal memory.
(3)

Chanted: May his memory be eternal. (3)

Through the prayers of our holy Fathers, Lord Jesus Christ, our God, have mercy on us and save us. Amen.

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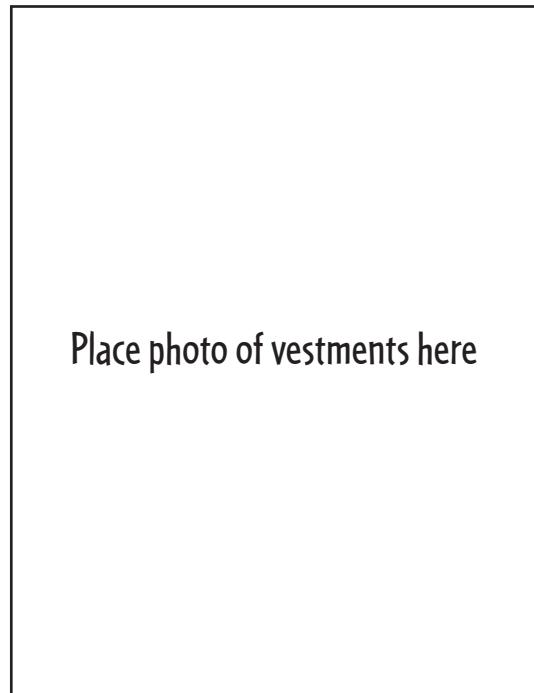
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