

Eulogy Template for a Child

OPENING

I'd like to begin by thanking everyone for coming to celebrate _____'s (name) life. _____ (name) was the most _____ (adjective) child I've ever known. He/She _____ (include a bit of information about the child here, perhaps a memory).

LIFE

_____ (name) was born on _____ (birthdate) in _____ (city). He/She was the _____ (first, second, only) child of _____ (father) and _____ (mother). His/her sisters and brothers are _____, _____, and _____ (add more or less as needed). His/her childhood was _____ (include a bit of information about the child here, perhaps a memory or a humorous story about the siblings).

MEMORIES AND STORIES

My favorite memory of _____ (name) is that time when _____ (memory). (Use this section to share the memories and stories about the child. Share their favorite things, their relationships with friends and family, what made them laugh.

CLOSING (an appropriate poem, perhaps the child's favorite)

"Perhaps they are not stars,
but rather openings in heaven
where the love of our lost ones
pours through and shines down upon us
to let us know they're happy."

- Eskimo Proverb

The world is a sadder place without _____ (name) in our lives. But _____ (name) touched each and every one of us and has left us with memories we will cherish forever. Thank you.