

Information & Instructions: Declaration of appointment of a guardian for children in the event of death

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1. This form allows a parent to name a guardian over minor children in a separate instrument. Ordinarily a person names a guardian over their minor children in their will. This form does not require the use of a will to name a guardian.

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DECLARATION OF APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN FOR MY MINOR CHILDREN IN THE EVENT OF MY DEATH

My name is _____

I have the following natural and/or adopted children:

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[List the children's names]

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

I hereby make this Declaration to appoint a guardian for my minor children, as follows:

In the event of my death, I hereby designate [Guardian's Name] _____ to serve as guardian of the persons of my children.

In the event of my death, I hereby designate [Guardian's Name] _____ to serve as guardian of the estates of my children.

Signed on _____.

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Name
THANK YOU
Signature of witness.

Printed name of witness

Printed name of witness

Telephone Number _____

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this date personally appeared Name _____, the Declarant, and _____ and _____ as witnesses, and all being duly sworn, the Declarant said that the above instrument was his Declaration of Appointment of Guardian for the Declarant's Children in the Event of Declarant's Death and that the Declarant had made and executed it for the purposes expressed in the declaration. The witnesses declared to me that they are each 14 years of age or older, that they saw the Declarant sign the declaration, that they signed the declaration as witnesses, and that the Declarant appeared to them to be of sound mind.

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Name

Printed name of witness

Printed name of witness

State of Texas

County of _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me by _____, [Declarant]
and by the

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witnesses _____ and _____, on

_____.

Notary Public, State of Texas

Notary's typed or printed name

THANK YOU

My commission expires: _____

[or Notary's Stamp]

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