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Vocabulary Death and Grieving Student Worksheet

Primary Vocabulary

1. **Autopsy:**

2. **Bereaved:**

3. **Condolence:**

4. **Coroner:**

5. **Deceased:**

6. **Eulogy:**

7. **Living Will:**

8. **Morgue:**

9. **Mortuary:**

10. **Mourning:**

11. **Obituary:**

12. **Wake:**

13. **Will:**

Supplementary Vocabulary

1. **Epitaph:**

2. **Interment:**

Vocabulary Death and Grieving Teacher Key

1. **Autopsy:** examination to study the cause of death.
2. **Bereaved:** one who has suffered loss of another through death.
3. **Condolence:** expression of sympathy for another if grief.
4. **Coroner:** an official responsible for investigating deaths, particularly those happening under unusual circumstances, and determining the cause of death.
5. **Deceased:** one who has died.
6. **Eulogy:** speech or writing in praise of dead person.
7. **Living Will:** legal statement of person's wishes concerning his treatment before death.
8. **Morgue:** a place where the bodies of accident victims and unknown persons found dead are kept prior to identification and disposal.
9. **Mortuary:** a place where dead bodies are prepared or kept prior to burial or cremation.
10. **Mourning:** act of expressing grief.
11. **Obituary:** news of death in publication.
12. **Wake:** a watch over the body of a dead person all night, just before burial.
13. **Will:** legal statement of person's wishes concerning disposal of his or her property after death.

Supplementary Vocabulary

1. **Epitaph:** a short composition in prose or verse, written as a tribute to a dead person.

2. **Interment:** burial underground.