

Humans have a 100% mortality rate, yet less than 30% of us make any end of life plans. It is time to put some "fun" in funeral planning to get people discussing this serious topic. The third annual Before I Die Ohio Festival will offer upbeat activities to think about, talk about, and do something about our inevitable mortality.

Activities Include

DEATH CAFE CONVERSATIONS - DOWNSIZING WORKSHOP
CEMETERY LANTERN TOUR - PANEL DISCUSSIONS
A WIDE RANGE OF SPEAKERS - PLANNING
SYMPOSIUM - GRIEF CENTERED SYMPOSIUM

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Tentative Schedule of Events

DATE:

Friday, October 25, 2024

LOCATION:

Routsong Funeral Home 2100 E. Stroop Rd. Kettering, OH 45429

Events

8:30-9:00	Registration and Check-in
9:00	Welcome
9:05-10:00	Downsizing and Legacy with Denise Swick-The Swick Real Estate Group and Downsize Allies
10:00-11:00	Estate/Trust Planning with Nancy Roberson of Roberson Law
11:00-11:15	Break
11:15-11:45	Cemetery Pre-planning: Pick what works for you; Angie and Misti from Woodland Cemetery
11:45-12:30	Funeral Pre-planning panel discussion
12:30-1:30	Lunch
1:30-2:30	What You Need to Know About Hospice - Rick Kaufhold from Vista Hospice
2:30-3:00	Break and Funeral Director Arrival
3:00-4:00	Memorialization in an age of Cremation & Green Burial with Neil
	(Funeral Director CEU's offered)
6:00-9:00	Twilight Tour with Food Trucks - \$25 per participant
LOCATION	Woodland Cemetery Dayton 118 Woodland Ave. Dayton, OH 45409

DATE:

Saturday, October 26, 2024

LOCATION: Routsong Funeral Home 2100 E. Stroop Rd. Kettering, OH 45429

Events

8:30-9:00	Registration and Check-in
9:00	Welcome
9:05-10:00	Navigating Grief with Dr. Rachael Nolan
10:00-11:00	Grieving the Loss of a Child with Hope Reger and Maria Lees-Dunlap
11:00-11:20	Break
11:20-12:15	Grief and Dying Panel Discussion with Rachael, Maria Lees-Dunlap, Hope Reger
12:15-1:15	Lunch
1:15-2:00	Celebrants and Life Celebrations with Brian Bennett
2:00-3:00	Honoring Legacy: Memorial Cleaning and Genealogy with Tim Walters and Misti
3:00-4:00	Death Café with Dr. Rachael Nolan facilitating
4:00-6:00	Social Hour with "Backroom Tour" of Routsong Funeral Home