

Reporting a Death to a Social Media Site

Below is information to report a death to several of the most popular social media sites.

Facebook: Go to facebook.com/help

Click on “Manage Your Account” on the left side of the page

Click on “Memorialized Accounts”

A Death Certificate or other proof of death is required. Proof of authority, i.e. birth certificate, power of attorney, last will and testament.

Submit information using online form.

Google and YouTube: Go to support.google.com/accounts/troubleshooter/6357590?hl=EN

Click on “Close the account of a deceased user”

Fill in your information and decedent’s information

You will have to scan your Driver’s License or government issued ID

Scan the decedent’s death certificate

Submit

Twitter: Go to support/twitter.com/articles/87894

Click on “Use this Form” and select “I want to request the deactivation of the deceased or incapacitated user’s account”

Fill out the Report Form and submit it to Twitter

Twitter will contact you once they review the report

LinkedIn: Go to linkedin.com/help/linkedin/ask/ts-rdmlp

Fill out the form with information about yourself and decedent

Add link to the obituary or news article on the death

Submit the report

Instagram: Go to help.instagram.com/264154560391256

Choose if you want to delete or memorialize the account

Provide the decedent’s birth certificate, death certificate and information showing you as the executor or administrator to the decedent’s estate

Complete the online form

Submit

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