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### Cremation Choices

These prices are effective as of January 1, 2017, but thereafter subject to change without notice.

Though an ancient and honorable way of disposing of our dead, in the middle of the 20th Century, fewer than 5% of bereaved families chose cremation. Now, early in the 21st Century, however, nearly half of the dead are cremated. The procedures, observances and rituals that surround cremation are, as one might imagine, as varied as the reasons families have in opting for this manner of disposition.

Families who choose cremation as an alternative to burial may select from a variety of service options, from the most minimal to the more traditional to the most elaborate. Just as the choice of burial does not mandate a particular type of service or casket, the choice of cremation does not disallow a variety of commemorative options.

This folder sets forth those types of services and cremation caskets/containers and urns that represent those most often selected by the families we serve. Prices are provided from our General Price List and Casket Price List, copies of which will be provided to you.

To assist families with their decisions, this document outlines four types of services, a selection of caskets/containers suitable for cremation, and a variety of urns. Variations on these services, to meet specific family needs or requests are, of course, available. We will discuss with you those elements of these services that are optional and which are required.

Please feel free to discuss with your funeral director any and all questions or concerns related to these matters. Our aim is to assist you in making good decisions and in caring for your dead in a manner in keeping with your values and wishes.



*Because cremation is an irreversible procedure, this firm will only arrange for cremation following positive identification of deceased by next of kin or their representative and by signed permission granted by next of kin or a majority of those sharing equal kinship.*

## COMPLETE FUNERAL SERVICE FOLLOWED BY CREMATION



- Basic services of funeral director and staff.
- Transfer of deceased to funeral home.
- Arrangement conference with family.
- Appropriate care, preparation and handling of deceased.
- Securing of doctor's certification, medical examiner's authorization and cremation permit.
- Preparation and placement of obituary of website and in newspapers. (Optional)
- **Use of funeral home for visitation one or two days prior to funeral service.**
- **Use of funeral home for funeral service or direction of service in church or other facility.**
- Media and Commemorative Suite

Register book, custom full-color service folders or holy cards, personalized acknowledgement cards, maps, and other printed media as may be needed. Use of display screens, photo boards and easels.

- Video photo presentation (Optional - no charge)
- Cremation scheduled by appointment with staff attendance and family witness if desired.
- Crematory Fee.
- Six copies of Certified Death Certificate.
- Medical Examiner's Authorization.

\$ 6600.00

Selection of cremation casket/container will be added. (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Selection of urn or commemorative jewelry. (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Family graveside service for burial of ashes. \$400 (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL FEES \_\_\_\_\_

## LIMITED FUNERAL SERVICE FOLLOWED BY CREMATION



- Basic services of funeral director and staff.
- Transfer of deceased to funeral home.
- Arrangement conference with next of kin.
- Appropriate care, preparation and handling of deceased.
- Securing of doctor's certification, medical examiner's authorization and cremation permit.
- Preparation and placement of obituary on website and in newspapers. (Optional)
- **Use of funeral home for visitation and funeral service with body present.**

(2 hours of visitation before service - each additional hour \$200)

- Media and Commemorative Suite

Register book, custom full-color service folders or holy cards, personalized acknowledgement cards, maps, and other printed media as may be needed. Use of display screens, photo boards and easels.

- Video photo presentation (Optional - no charge)
- Cremation scheduled by appointment with staff attendance and family witness if desired.
- Crematory Fee.
- Six copies of Certified Death Certificate.
- Medical Examiner's Authorization Fee.

\$ 5600.00

Selection of cremation casket/container will be added. (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Selection of urn or commemorative jewelry. (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Family graveside service for burial of ashes. \$400 (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL FEES \_\_\_\_\_

**CREMATION FOLLOWED BY MEMORIAL SERVICE**



- Basic services of funeral director and staff.
- Transfer of deceased to funeral home.
- Arrangement conference with family.
- Appropriate care and handling of deceased.
- Securing of doctor's certification, medical examiner's authorization and cremation permit.
- Preparation and placement of obituary on website and in newspapers (Optional).
- Cremation scheduled by appointment with staff attendance and family witness if desired.
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- Crematory Fee, Six Copies of Death Certificate, County Medical Examiner's Authorization Fee.
- Return of cremated remains to next of kin in time for memorial service.
- Media and Commemorative Suite

Register book, custom full-color service folders or holy cards, personalized acknowledgement cards, maps, and other printed media as may be needed. Use of display screens, photo boards and easels.

- Video photo presentation (optional - no charge)
- **Use of funeral home for memorial service or direction at church or other facility.**  
(includes an hour of gathering before the service - each additional hour \$200)

\$4600

Selection of cremation casket/container will be added. (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Private family viewing with immediate family for maximum 30 minutes or additional care and dressing of deceased. \$500 \_\_\_\_\_

Selection of urn or commemorative jewelry. (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Family graveside service for burial of ashes. \$400 (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL FEES \_\_\_\_\_

**DIRECT CREMATION WITH NO SERVICES**



- A portion of our basic services of funeral director and staff.
- Transfer of deceased to funeral home.
- Arrangement conference with next of kin.
- Appropriate care and handling of deceased.
- Securing of doctor's certification, medical examiner's authorization and cremation permit.
- Preparation and placement of obituary on website and in newspapers (optional)
- Cremation scheduled by appointment with staff attendance and family witness if desired.
- Crematory Fee.
- Six copies of Certified Death Certificate.
- County Medical Examiner's Authorization Fee.
- Return of cremated remains to next of kin.

\$ 2600.00

Selection of cremation casket/container will be added. (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Private family viewing with immediate family for maximum 30 minutes or additional care and dressing of deceased. \$500 \_\_\_\_\_

Selection of urn or commemorative jewelry. (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Register book, printing, acknowledgements, video presentation. (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Family graveside service for burial of ashes. \$400 (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL FEES \_\_\_\_\_



Cardboard Cremation Box \$89



Serenity Blue (Q) \$800



Longkay Veneer (T) \$1350



Pine Cremation Box \$250



Steuben (Q) \$1675  
Poplar Veneer, Crepe interior



Berkley (Te) \$1750  
Cherry Veneer, Rosetan Velvet interior



Chapman Oak (Q) \$1950  
Poplar Veneer, Crepe interior



Parkside (B) \$1750



Cameo Poplar (Q) \$1950  
Solid Poplar, Velvet Interior



McKenzie (Q) \$1950  
Solid Hardwood, Crepe Interior

*Casket and Urn prices are effective as of January 1, 2017, but thereafter subject to change without notice.*



Solid Marble (Q) \$250  
Other styles available



Solid Wood (Q) \$200  
Walnut or Oak



Victorian (W) \$360  
Solid Hardwood,  
rosewood finish



Cultured Marble (Q) \$240  
Beige, Black, White  
Blue, Green, Rose



Classic Pewter (Q) \$220  
Brass in pewter/bronze finish  
Memento \$80



Avondale Urn (W) \$220  
Memento \$80



Aluminum Urn (W) \$220  
Purple Butterfly

