

# General Price List

Effective June 15, 2023

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FUNERALS & CREMATIONS





## Our Mission

We believe that **EVERY** life is unique and worthy of honor and respect, and we have been privileged to honor and remember lives in this community for over 115 years.



## General Price List

These prices are effective June 15, 2023, but thereafter subject to change without notice.

The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic services and overhead. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reason in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

Services of Funeral Director and Staff ..... \$2,395

Our fee for the services of the funeral director and staff includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service; sheltering of remains; arrangement conference with family or responsible party; arrangement of funeral; preparation and filing of necessary authorizations and permits; recording vital statistics; preparation and placement of obituary notices; staff assistance prior to, during and following the funeral, including coordination with those providing other portions of the funeral, e.g. cemetery, crematory and others. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses relative to our facility such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, administrative costs, and equipment and inventory expenses.

This fee for our basic service and overhead will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you select. (*This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremations, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving remains.*)

Embalming.....\$895

Except in certain special cases, embalming is not required by law. Embalming may be necessary, however, if you select certain funeral arrangements, such as a funeral with viewing. If you do not want embalming, you usually have the right to choose an arrangement that does not require you pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial.

## Other Preparation of the Deceased

Hair preparation, dressing and casketing and other special care.....	\$295
Refrigeration up to 10 days or portion thereof .....	\$595
Additional preparation for autopsied/trauma cases .....	\$250
Removal and disposal of pacemaker/defibrillator or any other medical implant .....	\$50
Solidification of cremated remains.....	\$1695

\*Cremated remains are turned into a "stone" form by a 3rd party provider for return to family or interment.

## Service of Staff for Viewing/Visitation

Whether at our facility or a facility of your choice, our services will include set-up of visitation area, use of visitation room, placement of encased remains, display of floral arrangements and supervision and attendance during the visitation.

- Day of service /or Evening Use ( 2 hour viewing / visitation time) .....	\$495
- Additional use of facilities after 9 p.m.....	\$500

Use of Facilities and Staff for Funeral/Memorial Service (at our funeral home) .....\$495

Our services will include coordinating the funeral arrangements, supervision of funeral or memorial service, staff to attend the funeral ceremony, professional display of floral tributes, reserve seating, and equipment for services.

Use of Staff for Funeral/Memorial Service (at another location).....\$695

Our services will include coordinating the memorial arrangements, supervision of funeral or memorial service, staff to attend the funeral ceremony, professional display of floral tributes, reserve seating, and equipment for services.

Use of Facilities and Staff for a Reception (at the funeral home) .....\$495  
(Includes 2-hour rental - \$100 per hour thereafter)

Equipment and Staff for a Graveside Service .....\$495

Our services include accompaniment of remains to cemetery, supervision of graveside service, and staff to attend service.

Staff Member and Equipment at Celebration of Life.....\$495

Our services include service of a staff member and equipment such as flower stands, register stands, display easels when holding a celebration of life at a home or other location. Our staff member will support and assist you for up to three hours when planning and directing your own public or private remembrance.

Technology Equipment: Streaming services in our chapel/webcasting services at another location/graveside.....\$495

## Additional Charges

### Weekend/Holiday fees

Saturday.....	\$1495
Sunday and Holiday .....	\$1495

Private family goodbye.....\$295

Includes dressing and private room. Limited to 10 family members for a period of time not to exceed 30 minutes (as mandated per New Mexico statute). No ceremonies or published announcements.

Additional staff to cover large service .....

.....\$395

Sheltering of decedent after 10 days (refrigerated or embalmed remains) .....\$50 per day

## Sunset Memorial Park crematory charges

Crematory fee .....

.....\$495

Witnessing start of cremation process .....

.....\$495

Expedited processing fee (return of cremated remains in less than 24 hours) .....

.....\$495

## Automotive Equipment

Use of our vehicle and staff to transport the deceased to the funeral home, the local airport or the crematory within a 40-mile radius .....	\$325
Funeral coach or hearse per each use .....	\$395
Family or pallbearer limousine.....	\$395
Professional staff serving as pallbearers - 4 pallbearers.....	\$595
Delivery vehicle for flowers, vaults, service equipment, etc.....	\$195
Overnight accommodations charge .....	\$600
Local delivery of cremated remains .....	\$195
Delivery of cremated remains to SFNC.....	\$295
Split service charge.....	\$295
Fee secures a wait status of engaged staff and/or vehicles when a luncheon/reception is held between the funeral service and graveside service.	

### Mileage charge per vehicle:

Santa Fe and surrounding areas (up to 100 miles) .....	\$295
Within NM (100+ miles) .....	\$495
Outside NM .....	\$2.85 per mile



## Other Services

International documents (North, Central and S. America) .....	\$350
International documents (Asia, Africa, Oceania, and Europe) .....	\$600

## Outside Charges

The following list includes items which involve cash advances or payments to someone else on behalf of the family.

### Obituaries (UPDATED 10/1/2019)

Albuquerque newspaper obituaries for each publication per newspaper line .....	\$5.25
<i>(A nominal charge from FRENCH is included in this fee.)</i>	
Non-declinable publication fee .....	\$85
Add photo (charged per run) .....	\$50
Out-of-town obituary processing fee (per newspaper) .....	\$50

### Death certificates

Certified copies of New Mexico death certificates per copy.....	\$5
Non-declinable order processing fee (per New Mexico Health and Vital Statistics) .....	\$3
Fee to correct death certificates when requested by family (*plus applicable taxes) .....	\$95
<i>(If corrections are needed, all issued copies must be returned.)</i>	

### Mailing of Death Certificates

USPS Priority Mail Express 2-Day.....	\$35
FedEx 2-3-Day standard ground w/direct signature.....	\$50

### Honorariums

for clergy .....	\$300 or more
for musician .....	\$100 or more

<u>Motor escort for funeral procession per rider (local)</u> .....	\$500
Outside Albuquerque city limits .....	<i>Varies</i>

<u>Office of the Medical Investigator</u> cremation permit fee.....	\$235.75
Office of the Medical Investigator body handling fee .....	\$85.00

<u>Applicable gross receipts tax</u> .....	<i>percentage varies</i>
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### Other potential outside charges:

Cemetery charges, burial vault setting fees, clothing, out-of-town obituaries, out-of-town transportation, other funeral home charges.



## Other Services

### Non-Ceremonial Cremation Options

If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The containers we provide are alternative bamboo containers and cremation caskets made of fiberboard, veneers, and solid hardwoods. Any cremation container or casket selected must meet the minimum requirements of the crematory.

Direct Cremation .....\$3235 to \$5930

Our charge includes but is not limited to removal of remains (within 40 miles), local transportation to crematory, cremation, necessary authorizations, refrigeration up to (10) days and services of staff. This charge does not include visitation, rites, or ceremonies.

A. Direct cremation with no ceremony or service with container provided by purchaser.....\$3235

B. Direct cremation with no ceremony or service with an alternative container ..... \$3930  
(Minimum cremation container.....Bamboo Container, No Lining)

C. Direct cremation with no ceremony or service with cremation casket selected .....\$3930 to \$5930

\*\*A permit from the Office of the Medical Investigator is required for all cremations and is not included in our funeral home charges.

### Eco-Friendly Funeral Package

Staff, Services and Equipment for Green Earth Graveside Service..... \$4500

Includes basic service of funeral director and staff within service area, cleansing, sanitizing and casketing un-embalmed remains for identification or transfer, refrigeration, (may also include professional cosmetology, dressing and casketing), graveside service, transportation of deceased from place of death to funeral home and use of hearse to cemetery. If green embalming is requested, an additional charge will apply.

Immediate Burial or Entombment Services.....\$3410 to \$14405

Immediate burial or entombment without ceremony.....\$3410

Our charge includes but is not limited to the following:

- Basic services of funeral director and staff
- Transfer to the funeral home
- Hair preparation, dressing, casketing, and other special care
- Use of funeral coach (hearse)

(Vehicles are for local use only; out-of-town mileage charges will apply, refrigeration will apply if burial is beyond 24 hours from death.)

Additional services listed below are optional

With casket selected by purchaser .....\$4485 to \$14285

With container provided by purchaser .....\$3290

Receiving Casketed Remains from Another Funeral Home.....\$4105

With visitation and funeral service at the funeral home or another facility.

Includes but is not limited to the following:

- Basic services of funeral director and staff
- Transfer to the funeral home
- Visitation
- Funeral service
- Use of funeral coach (hearse)

(Vehicles are for local use only; out-of-town mileage charges will apply.)

Forwarding Service to Another Funeral Home .....\$4550

This package includes basic services of funeral director and staff (involvement of other personnel), transfer from funeral home to airport or other point in the metro area, and the use of funeral coach or van.

Forwarding to another funeral home with shipping container without local services or visitation.

Our charge includes but is not limited to the following:

- Basic services of funeral director and staff
- Transfers to the funeral home and to the airport
- Embalming
- Hair preparation, dressing, casketing, and other special care
- Minimum combination shipping container

(Air container and shipping charges not included.)

Gel pack (Jewish ship out).....\$395

## Casket Price List – Effective June 15, 2023

### Metal Caskets

Regency.....	brushed, 48-ounce bronze, velvet interior.....	\$12895
Harrison.....	brushed, 32-ounce bronze, velvet interior .....	\$7595
Courtney Taupe.....	brushed, 32-ounce copper, velvet interior .....	\$7095
Princeton .....	brushed, 32-ounce copper, velvet interior .....	\$7095
Princess Hyacinth .....	brushed, stainless steel, velvet interior .....	\$5595
Silver Pearl.....	brushed, stainless steel, velvet interior.....	\$4695
Galaxy Independence.....	stainless steel, basket weave interior.....	\$5295
Mansfield Blue (Praying Hands).....	stainless steel, light blue crepe interior .....	\$5295
Stapleton .....	18-gauge steel-brushed, velvet interior.....	\$4695
Conwell Black.....	18-gauge steel, cream basketweave interior.....	\$4695
Hamilton Antique White .....	18-gauge steel, crepe interior .....	\$4495
Springfield Silver .....	18-gauge steel, velvet interior .....	\$4395
Freedom Midnight Blue .....	18-gauge steel, twill interior .....	\$3895
Patriot Ebony .....	18-gauge steel, twill interior .....	\$3895
Sterling Blue .....	18-gauge steel, crepe interior .....	\$3895
Edson .....	18-gauge steel, rosetan crepe interior .....	\$3595
Coleman Olivetone.....	20-gauge steel (gasketed), rosetan crepe interior.....	\$2895
Viceroy.....	20-gauge steel, white crepe interior .....	\$2295
Belvedere .....	lightweight steel, white satin interior.....	\$1995

### Wood Caskets

Marshall mahogany .....	velvet interior.....	\$7795
Diplomat walnut.....	velvet interior.....	\$7095
Manchester cherry .....	velvet interior.....	\$5895
Sovereign pecan .....	velvet interior.....	\$5295
Virginia maple.....	linwood interior .....	\$5095
Hearthsider oak .....	crepe interior .....	\$4695
Barnwood oak.....	cotton interior .....	\$4495
Allegiance poplar .....	twill interior .....	\$4295
Bristol poplar.....	crepe interior .....	\$4295
Dakota poplar .....	khaki basket weave interior .....	\$4295
Madison poplar .....	crepe interior .....	\$4195
Scott knotty pine .....	satin interior .....	\$3895
Webster poplar.....	crepe interior .....	\$3595
Eclipse veneer .....	satin interior .....	\$2995
Kosher Nahum pine .....	orthodox/ unfinished pine, no lining .....	\$2595

# Outer Burial Container Price List – Effective June 15, 2023

In most areas of the country, state, or local law does not require that you buy a container to surround the casket in the grave. However, many cemeteries require that you have such a container so that the grave will not sink in. Either a grave liner or a burial vault will satisfy these requirements.

FRENCH will assist families in collecting vault setting fees that are required and paid to the cemetery. As a courtesy, Sunset Memorial Park will not charge this fee to families purchasing a vault through FRENCH.

## What is a Burial Vault?

A burial vault is a lined and sealed outer receptacle that houses the casket. It protects the casket from the weight of the earth and heavy maintenance equipment that will pass over the grave. It also helps resist water and preserves the beauty of the cemetery or memorial park by preventing the ground from settling.



## Vaults

Solid 88-ounce, copper vault (special order) .....	\$15975
Stainless steel vault (special order) .....	\$7400
7-gauge, galvanized steel vault (special order) .....	\$4175
10-gauge, galvanized steel vault .....	\$3200
12-gauge, galvanized steel vault "American Valor" .....	\$2775
12-gauge, non-galvanized steel vault .....	\$2100
Polyurethane vault - white .....	\$1475
Polyurethane vault - black .....	\$1050



## Cremation Casket & Alternative Container Price List – Effective June 15, 2023

Dayton .....	solid poplar, basket weave interior.....	\$3295
Clivedon Maple.....	solid poplar, satin interior.....	\$2395
Longley Cherry .....	veneer, satin interior.....	\$1995
Kenton .....	veneer, satin interior.....	\$1795
Norfolk Pine .....	veneer, satin interior.....	\$1295
Denton.....	cloth, rosetan crepe interior.....	\$1295
Four-point Bamboo .....	bamboo, natural cotton interior.....	\$1095
Dawson Blue.....	cloth, blue satin interior .....	\$795

### Ceremonial Caskets

Cherry .....	This ceremonial casket includes a removable cremation container with a velvet bed and liner.....	\$1695
Oak.....	This ceremonial casket includes a removable cremation container with a crepe bed and liner.....	\$1495

### Alternative Cremation Containers

Bamboo.....	bamboo, no interior.....	\$695
Danson .....	cloth covered fiberboard, removable crepe interior.....	\$795

### Flag Cases

Premium .....	cherry .....	\$135
Standard .....	oak .....	\$65

## Urn Price List – Effective June 15, 2023

Limoges .....	French porcelain .....	\$1495
Aviary .....	French porcelain .....	\$1295
Fleurs Bleu.....	leaded crystal .....	\$1295
Lodi.....	stainless steel .....	\$995
Flag Panel .....	stainless steel .....	\$995
Natural.....	maple.....	\$895
Eagle 3D.....	walnut .....	\$795
Hummingbird .....	oak .....	\$795
Solitude w/applique .....	bronze .....	\$795
Alicante .....	alabaster .....	\$795
Southwest Gourd .....	natural materials of the desert-southwest .....	\$695
Military Panel Urn .....	cherry .....	\$695
Moonlit Violet .....	hand blown glass .....	\$695
Blue Sapphire.....	cloisonné .....	\$695
Magnolia Memory Chest .....	poplar .....	\$695
Forest Haze .....	solid marble .....	\$695
Tuscany Slate.....	solid brass .....	\$595
Bailey Burlwood .....	wood veneer .....	\$595
Milano Floral or Milano Pink .....	solid brass .....	\$595
Prestwick .....	cherry .....	\$595
Toledo.....	natural alabaster stone .....	\$595
Avon .....	solid cherry .....	\$595
Autumn Leaves.....	cloisonné .....	\$595
Family Tree Scattering .....	cherry .....	\$595
Mother of Pearl.....	brass .....	\$495
Spring Rain.....	ceramic .....	\$495
Magnolia Songbirds .....	resin .....	\$495
Seaside Memory Chest .....	stained glass .....	\$495
Green Marble .....	cultured marble .....	\$395
Vira Floral.....	aluminum .....	\$295

## Biodegradable Urns

Oceane, Sand .....	sand and gelatin .....	\$495
Bamboo .....	bamboo .....	\$295
Embrace (Autumn Leaves/White) .....	handmade paper .....	\$295
Ocean Sunset Scatter Tube .....	recycled materials .....	\$195

## Urn Vaults

Clark 12-gauge, galvanized steel vault "American Valor" .....	\$975
Clark .125 Alum Series .....	\$650
Clark 12-gauge, non-galvanized steel urn vault .....	\$525
Polyguard.....	\$375

## Advance Planning



Preplanning your final arrangements can:

- Ensure services and merchandise you choose now will be guaranteed for the same price no matter the cost in the future.
  - Remove the emotional burden of your family having to decide while grieving.
  - Include you in the decision process and eliminate emotional overspending that can occur when a loved one passes away.
  - Allow you to pay for your arrangements in advance with a single payment or choose a payment plan that meets your financial requirements.
- Your funeral plan is transferable, and preplanning is an excellent part of a comprehensive retirement plan.

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## Sunset Memorial Park

Sunset Memorial Park is a place of beauty, inspiration, and comfort. It is a non-profit, endowed-care memorial park assuring property owners that the cemetery will always be well maintained and beautiful.

The Centennial Urn Garden offers a variety of options for the permanent memorialization of cremated remains with price ranges for every budget.

This charming southwestern environment provides tranquil, secluded areas for private reflection.

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## Complimentary Services

### Grief Support

Since experiencing the death of a close family member or friend can be overwhelming, FRENCH Funerals-Cremations provides free one-on-one grief support.

Whatever you might be experiencing at this time, remember that grief is different for every person. Not better... not worse... just different.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please visit our website at [www.FrenchFunerals.com](http://www.FrenchFunerals.com) or call: 505.843-6333.

French Funerals & Cremations is proud to provide, Full Circle Aftercare.

We help families make the necessary notification and apply for benefits after the death of a loved one.

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