



Options & Pricing

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Our Mission

We believe EVERY life is unique and worthy of honor and respect, and we have been priveleged to honor and remember lives in this community for over 116 years.



General Price List

These prices are effective February 1, 2024, 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/Evening Use (2 hour viewing/visitation time).....	\$595
– Additional use of facilities after 9 p.m.	\$500

Use of Facilities and Staff for Funeral/Memorial Service (at our funeral home).....	\$595
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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)	\$595
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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	\$595
(Includes 2-hour rental - \$100 per hour thereafter)	

Equipment and Staff for a Graveside Service.....	\$495
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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	\$595
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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
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Additional Charges

Weekend/Holiday fees

Saturday	\$1495
Sunday and Holiday	\$1495

Private family goodbye.....	\$295
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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
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Sheltering of decedent after 10 days (Refrigerated or Embalmed Remains).....	\$50 per day
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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.....	\$395
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, <u>all issued copies must be returned.</u>)</i>	

Mailing of Death Certificates

USPS <i>Priority Mail Express</i> 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</u> for funeral procession per rider (<i>local</i>).....	\$500
Outside Albuquerque City Limits	<i>Varies</i>

<u>Office of the Medical Investigator</u> cremation permit fee	\$236.79
Office of the Medical Investigator body handling fee	\$85

Applicable gross receipts tax	<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 cardboard 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..... \$3375 to \$6070

Our charge includes but is not limited to removal of remains (within 40 miles), local transportation to crematory, cremation, necessary authorizations, four (4) days refrigeration 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..... \$3375
- B. Direct cremation with no ceremony or service with an alternative container \$4070
(Minimum cremation container.....Bamboo Container, No Lining)
- C. Direct cremation with no ceremony or service with cremation casket selected \$4070 to \$6070

**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..... \$4640
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\$3480 to \$14475

Immediate burial or entombment without ceremony..... \$3480

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\$4555 to \$14355

With container provided by purchaser \$3360

Receiving Casketed Remains from Another Funeral Home \$4175

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 \$4690

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 shipping charges not included.)

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

Casket Price List – Effective February 1, 2024

Metal Caskets

Regency	brushed, 48-ounce bronze, velvet interior.....	\$12895
Harrison	brushed, 32-ounce bronze, velvet interior.....	\$8995
Courtney Taupe	brushed, 32-ounce copper, velvet interior	\$6595
Princeton	brushed, 32-ounce copper, velvet interior	\$6595
Princess Hyacinth	brushed, stainless steel, velvet interior	\$4795
Silver Pearl	brushed, stainless steel, velvet interior	\$4795
Galaxy Independence	stainless steel, basket weave interior	\$4595
Mansfield Blue (Praying Hands)	stainless steel, light blue crepe interior	\$4595
Stapleton	18-gauge steel-brushed, Velvet interior.....	\$3995
Conwell Black.....	18-gauge steel, cream basketweave interior	\$3995
Hamilton Antique White.....	18-gauge steel, crepe interior	\$3995
Springfield Silver	18-gauge steel, velvet interior	\$3695
Freedom Midnight Blue	18-gauge steel, twill interior.....	\$3495
Patriot Ebony	18-gauge steel, twill interior.....	\$3495
Sterling Blue	18-gauge steel, crepe interior	\$3395
Edson.....	18-gauge steel. rosetan crepe interior.....	\$3295
Coleman Olivetone.....	20-gauge steel (gasketed) rosetan crepe interior	\$2495
Viceroy	20-gauge steel, white crepe interior.....	\$1995
Belvedere	lightweight steel, white satin interior	\$1795

Wood Caskets

Marshall mahogany.....	velvet interior	\$6995
Diplomat walnut.....	velvet interior	\$6495
Manchester cherry	velvet interior	\$5495
Sovereign pecan	velvet interior	\$4695
Barnwood oak	cotton interior	\$4495
Virginia maple	linwood interior.....	\$4395
Hearthside oak	crepe interior	\$4295
Allegiance poplar.....	twill interior.....	\$3795
Bristol poplar	crepe interior	\$3895
Dakota poplar	khaki basket weave interior	\$3695
Madison poplar	crepe interior	\$3695
Webster poplar	crepe interior	\$3395
Scott knotty pine.....	satin interior	\$3295
Eclipse veneer	satin interior	\$2595
Kosher pine	orthodox/ unfinished pine, no lining	\$1995

Outer Burial Container Price List – Effective February 1, 2024

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 February 1, 2024

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	\$1095
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 February 1, 2024

Limoges	French porcelain.....	\$1295
Fleurs Bleu.....	leaded crystal	\$1295
Aviary.....	French porcelain.....	\$995
Flag Panel	stainless steel.....	\$995
Natural	maple	\$895
Eagle 3D.....	walnut.....	\$795
Hummingbird	oak.....	\$795
Solitude w/applique	bronze	\$795
Southwest Gourd	natural materials of the desert-southwest.....	\$695
Moonlit Violet	hand blown glass.....	\$695
Blue Sapphire	Cloisonné	\$695
Alicante.....	Alabaster	\$595
Military Panel Urn.....	cherry	\$595
Magnolia Memory Chest	poplar.....	\$595
Forest Haze	solid marble	\$595
Autumn Leaves.....	Cloisonné	\$595
Prestwick	cherry	\$595
Avon	solid cherry.....	\$495
Family Tree Scattering	cherry	\$495
Lodi	stainless steel.....	\$395
Tuscany Slate.....	solid brass.....	\$395
Bailey Burlwood	wood veneer	\$395
Milano Floral or Milano Pink.....	solid brass.....	\$395
Magnolia Songbirds	resin	\$395
Mother of Pearl.....	brass	\$295
Spring Rain	ceramic.....	\$295
Seaside Memory Chest	stained glass.....	\$295
Green Marble.....	cultured marble	\$295
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.....	\$550
Polyguard.....	\$375



Traditional Service - Customized Burial Plans

Friends and Family\$5,760

Large gathering with service (Monday – Friday) includes:

- Professional services of Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer from place of death to Funeral Home
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetology
- Visitation (day prior)
- Service at funeral home or church
- Funeral vehicle (Hearse)
- Utility Vehicle

*Plans do not include casket choice, cash advances, taxes, or cemetery costs.



Honoring Tribute:\$5,165

An intimate remembrance (visitation with graveside sameday, Monday – Friday) includes:

- Professional services of Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer from place of death to Funeral Home
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetology
- Service at funeral home or church
- Funeral vehicle (Hearse)
- Utility Vehicle



Celebration Service - Customized Cremation Plans

Remembering tribute\$6,650

Large gathering with service (Monday – Friday) includes:

- Professional services of Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer from place of death to Funeral Home
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetology
- Visitation
- Service at funeral home or church
- Funeral vehicle (Hearse)
- Utility Vehicle
- Transfer to crematory
- Crematory fee

*Plans do not include cremation container, urn, cash advances, or taxes.



Simple tribute.....\$5,560

An intimate remembrance (Monday – Friday) includes:

- Professional services of Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer from place of death to Funeral Home
- Refrigeration
- 30-minute private viewing
- Funeral vehicle (Hearse)
- Service at funeral home or church
- Transfer to crematory
- Crematory fee

Advance Planning



Preplanning your final arrangements can:

- Ensure services and merchandise you choose now will be guaranteed for the same price no matter what 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.

Visit www.FrenchFunerals.com/plan-ahead, www.whyreplan.org or call 505.275.7200 today and have one of our professional consultants provide you personalized guidance on how to preplan.

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.

505.345.3536 www.sunset-memorial.com

Best Friends & Best Friends Forever

Just like you, we have pets, so we understand the love for this special member of our family. At Best Friends we take the extra steps to demonstrate the care and concern we feel for them. All our services are based on honor and respect.

Best Friends Forever is a unique section of Sunset Memorial Park, allowing for the burial of cremated remains of pets, or individuals and pets together. Best Friends Forever mirrors the beautiful Santa Fe style architecture of the Centennial Urn Garden, with its adobe and granite niche walls and wooden shade structures.

505.345.5615 www.BestFriendsPetCremations.com

Grief Counseling Program

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

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 or call: 505.843-6333.

Grief Counseling Program Offerings:

- Support through individual counseling: Free one-on-one counseling is offered as part of FRENCH total care program.
- Spanish speaking counselor available.
- Support through referrals: For those needing extended care and counseling, we have many resources to connect you with.

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