

General Price List

Our Guarantee to You

Our fair prices represent the greatest value in the area. Our staff is kind, considerate, and knowledgeable. Our facilities are modern and immaculate. Our service guarantee is in place to assure your complete satisfaction.

**Prices are effective as of 11.01.2024
and subject to change without notice.**

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Reputation matters! The death of a loved one is a difficult time in your life and it is wise to make choices based on the quality of care you will receive. You are welcome to research us and our A+ rating at the Better Business Bureau and top ratings at Google, Facebook, and Yelp.

1. **We are family owned.** We are mindful our most valuable asset is our reputation. Our success is best measured by the families we have served for generations. Please allow us to earn *your* trust and confidence.
2. We offer the **finest, cleanest, and most comfortable facilities** in Kentucky and Southern Indiana. You are welcome to visit any of our locations at any time.
3. Consistently every year, we earn world-class ratings for **overall satisfaction and value received** on after-service surveys from the families we have served.
4. Our team procures **death certificates** in a reverent and timely manner. You will be contacted for the option of personal or mail delivery upon immediate arrival.
5. Our staff is the very best. Most are professionally credentialed, but all provide **unsurpassed levels of compassion and professionalism**.
6. We are **rapid and responsive** 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. We own and operate our own facilities.
7. **Fair and reasonable prices** are clearly disclosed on our General Price List.
8. We offer a **Service Guarantee** that assures your satisfaction with our work.

General Price List

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. You may keep this price list. This list is copyrighted, subject to change, and may not be reproduced in whole or part without our express permission. Prices are effective as of 05.01.2024 and subject to change without notice.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

A. BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF **\$1,895.00**

Our charge includes, but is not limited to staff, consultation with the survivors, coordinating service plans with cemetery, crematory, and/or other parties involved in the final disposition of the deceased, sheltering of the deceased, procuring death certificates and permits, consultation and assistance with procuring various death benefits, accounting and billing, regulatory compliance, legal and audit fees, postage, printing and supplies, telephones, insurance, salaries and benefits for our staff, various county, state and federal taxes and fees. This fee for our basic services 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.

B. EMBALMING **\$950.00**

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 to pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial. It is our policy that the deceased be embalmed if the family requests public viewing.

- Add \$300 for additional time and materials when an autopsy has been performed.
- Add \$300 for tissue/organ donor.

C. OTHER PREPARATION OF THE BODY **\$325.00**

Includes cosmetizing, any restorative art, hairdressing, dressing, and placement of the deceased in the casket.

FACILITIES

D. USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR VIEWING (3+ HOURS) **\$495.00**

*2 hours or less (\$120 per hour)

E. ADDITIONAL DAY(S) OF VISITATION EXCEEDING 2 DAYS – Fee is per day **\$495.00**

F. USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR FUNERAL CEREMONY **\$495.00**

G. USE OF EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR CHURCH OR OFF-PREMISES CEREMONY **\$495.00**

H. USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR MEMORIAL CEREMONY – Without body present **\$495.00**

I. USE OF EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR GRAVESIDE CEREMONY ONLY **\$495.00**

J. USE OF STAFF FOR CREMATED REMAINS BURIAL ONLY **\$495.00**

TRANSPORTATION

All transportation charges contained within this list apply to an area described are within a radius of 40 miles to our nearest facility. If we exceed this service area, in addition to the basic vehicle charge that covers 40 of the total miles traveled from our facility, we will make an additional charge of \$2.50 per mile for a staffed service vehicle such as a van and \$3.00 per mile for a staffed professional vehicle such as a limousine or funeral coach. If an overnight stay is required due to a round-trip exceeding 400 miles or, due to no fault of our own, our driver and vehicle cannot safely return the same day, there will be an additional charge of \$250 for overtime, hotel and meal expenses, in addition to the basic mileage charges.

K. TRANSFER OF THE REMAINS TO THE FUNERAL HOME (Within a 40-mile radius)	\$465.00
L. EACH USE OF FUNERAL COACH Additional time beyond 4 hours @ \$50/hour	\$395.00
M. LEAD VEHICLE FOR PROCESSION OR PROFESSIONAL VEHICLE FOR CREMATION	\$195.00

TRADITIONAL FUNERAL PACKAGE

\$5,020.00

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer of Deceased, Embalming, preparation of the body, Funeral Coach, use of Facilities and Staff for Viewing (3+ Hours), use of Facilities and Staff and Equipment for Funeral Ceremony on/off premises.

OTHER SERVICES

MERCHANDISE

CASKETS

\$1,995-\$9,250

A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.

CREMATORY FEE

\$335

OUTER BURIAL CONTAINERS. **\$1,095-\$15,995**

A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.

HOLIDAY FEE Fee is per day; included when services are held on Christmas, Easter, July 4th, and Thanksgiving. **\$595**

INTERNATIONAL TRANSFER add-on for additional time coordinating with consulates, health authorities, and airlines. **\$600**

REFRIGERATION OF DECEASED **\$95**

Refrigeration (up to 4 days) is included in our simple cremation packages

***MODIFIED REFRIGERATION for Viewing/Service** **\$240**

Per day (up to 2 hours) for staff time and materials

Mailing of Certified Death Certificates **\$55**

Mailing of Cremated Remains **\$150**

MEMORIALIZATION

MEMORIAL BOOK personalized **\$50-195**

MEMORIAL FOLDERS OR CARDS (100) **\$100**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CARDS (50) **\$50**

CUSTOMIZED DVD TRIBUTE/VIDEO **\$125**

CRUCIFIXES **\$15**

TRIBUTE THUMB DRIVE **\$10**

HOLY CARDS (8 per sheet) **\$10**

LAMINATION (per card) **\$10**

Cap Panels **\$250**

This list does not include prices for certain items you may ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery services, flowers, and local or out-of-town newspaper obituaries.

** The modified refrigeration charge may apply when there is no embalming, but the presence of the deceased is preferred. While much less effective than embalming and invoking more risk of physical deterioration, cooling packs can allow for private viewing for up to 2 hours in our facility (where we are best able to manage any issues) and/or a closed casket service at the location of your choice. Usually, this will add a casket/container and Other Preparation of the Deceased.*

CREMATION SERVICES

The degree to which we have loved is proportionate to the need to grieve. Routinely, I see co-workers and staff celebrants learning about the life of the person who died and creating healing moments to lift people up and lend meaning. Our facilities are modern and designed for hospitality, multi-media, and gatherings of almost any size. We publish an online obituary (at no charge), coordinate with the clergy/celebrant/officiant, organize seating and sometimes parking, set up memorabilia and flowers, greet people as they arrive and provide memorial folders and/or cards, usher as needed, manage the multi-media presentation of your photos/video vignettes (at no charge), and provide service direction to ensure your wishes are observed. Our presence makes things much easier, especially important on one of the most difficult days of your life.

CREMATION SERVICE OPTIONS

It will be necessary to select or provide a container for any viewing and/or the cremation process, as well as a container for the cremated remains. We offer a wide variety of rental and combustible containers for cremation. We also offer a wide variety of distinctive and value-priced urns.

TRADITIONAL CREMATION

\$6,130.00

FULL SERVICE WITH CEREMONIAL CASKET, CREMATION TO FOLLOW

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home from place of death, Embalming, Other Preparation, Dressing and Casketing, Viewing (3+ Hours), Funeral Ceremony, ceremonial casket and alternative cremation container, and Cremation. Add urn and any use of coach if service is held at a church or away from the funeral home. If selecting a casket other than stated above, deduct \$995.

MEMORIAL SERVICE/COMMEMORATIVE GATHERING

\$3,365.00

CREMATION WITHOUT VIEWING FOLLOWED BY A MEMORIAL CEREMONY

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home, Memorial Ceremony, Cremation, and alternative cremation container. Add the urn selected and funeral coach for off-premises funeral ceremony. If there is an escorted procession, add a lead vehicle.

CREMATION SERVICES CONTINUED

DIRECT CREMATION

\$1,820-\$1,995

CREMATION WITHOUT VIEWING OR CEREMONY

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home, Cremation, and the alternative cremation container. 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 unlined, leak resistant and made of heavy cardboard (\$175).

DIRECT CREMATION WITH UNLINED ALTERNATIVE CONTAINER (\$175)

\$1,995

DIRECT CREMATION WITH CREMATION CASKET SELECTED BY PURCHASER

\$1,995-5,550

DIRECT CREMATION WITH CONTAINER PROVIDED BY FAMILY

\$1,820

ADD ANY UNSCHEDULED DELIVERY*

**If we are requested to assist in this manner, this charge will be added to any cremation plan you select. We waive this fee if we are involved in a funeral or memorial service.*

The Direct Cremation Options include sheltering/refrigeration for up to 4 days. We also provide an opportunity that allows you to be present for the start of the cremation process. There is a charge of \$315 to reserve the space and cover the additional time of our staff.

MEMORIAL GRAVESIDE SERVICE

\$3,560.00

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home, Cremation, Alternative Cremation Container, Use of Professional Vehicle to cemetery for urn, and Funeral Director and Staff Present for Graveside Service. Add Memorial Products, Reception Center as selected.

FINAL IDENTIFICATION OF THE DECEASED

Cremation is an irreversible process. Where there is human involvement, there will always be the potential for human error. This can apply to hospital, coroner, and funeral home staffs. To be safe and sure, for your peace of mind and ours, we highly recommend a positive identification of the deceased before cremation. In our memorial service and direct cremation option, there is no embalming and only a limited time that the deceased may be transferred out of refrigeration and identified (embalming is required by state law if public visitation is requested). We provide two different cremation viewing options. For a full explanation of these, please refer to the Cremation Viewing Options sheet (see page 8).

RECEIVING OF REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME

MINIMUM DELIVERY TO CEMETERY

\$3,720.00

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home from airport or other point in the metro area, and the Use of Funeral Coach or Van to a local cemetery. This package presumes no ceremony and no other use of the funeral home and that we may deliver to the cemetery at the time of our choosing. Add to the fee of \$2,060 any additional services selected, such as Graveside Ceremony, Other Preparation — dressing/casketing, Viewing and Funeral Service at chapel or church. If the forwarding arrangements to Vincennes are made directly by the family with a forwarding director, eliminating the need for our staff to meet and coordinate any details with the family, this package will be further reduced by \$175.

FORWARDING OF REMAINS TO ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME

MINIMUM TRANSFER

\$4,670.00

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home from place of death, Embalming, Use of Funeral Coach or Van to local point of embarkation (airline or other shipping charges not included). Other items may apply and could be added to the billing are a combination shipping container (\$295) or air tray (\$295). If the forwarding arrangements are made directly by the family with a receiving funeral director, eliminating the need for our staff to meet and coordinate any details with the family, this discounted package will be further reduced by \$175.

IMMEDIATE BURIAL

\$3,130.00

Immediate burial is the process of arranging for burial of the unembalmed body as soon as possible. This service is preferred by members of the Jewish faith, especially Orthodox and Conservative, and Muslim faiths. We offer separate, specially configured facilities for ritual washing as dictated by the religious faiths we serve. Our staff is also fully knowledgeable in serving these faith communities.

Difficulties in filing a death certificate and securing the necessary legal permit immediately and/or a cemetery's inability to open a grave on short notice may require that the body be embalmed (\$950) or refrigerated (\$95 per day). We include 4 days of refrigeration at no extra charge. The casket must stay closed at all times to comply with company policy that the deceased is in a refrigerated state.

Immediate Burial options presume that we deliver the deceased to the cemetery for burial at the time of our choosing and that there is no viewing or commemorative gathering involved. This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Funeral Home from Place of Death, Other Preparation, Dressing/Casketing, Use of Funeral Coach to Local Cemetery.

IMMEDIATE BURIAL WITH CASKET PROVIDED BY THE PURCHASER

\$3,130.00

IMMEDIATE BURIAL WITH CASKET PROVIDED BY FUNERAL HOME

\$3,130.00

(A Casket Price List will be provided at the funeral home and any casket you select will be added)

CHAPEL USE FEE

\$3,480.00

This package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, and Chapel. Add use of Reception Center, Memorial Package, and all other items as itemized.

Our fee includes the creation of a memorial video, which can incorporate photos and video, audio- video equipment, and, when desired, a Certified Celebrant™ to tailor the service with you to reflect the meaning and uniqueness of one's life. We can assist with flowers, provide reception options and menus for those who wish, and will organize any mementos for display. Most importantly, we are kind, professional, and skilled in making things easier for you while looking after the myriad details.

DISCOUNTS, FINANCIAL HARDSHIPS AND VALUE

The renowned writer, Oscar Wilde, wrote of a man who “knows the price of everything and the value of nothing.” Believing that our clientele prefers to receive value rather than just a low price with commensurably lower quality, we focus on providing excellence in everything we do.

We encourage you to speak openly about any financial hardship you are experiencing. We take pride in serving all who call our firm, including those with financial difficulties. We work closely with county departments of human services, victim’s and worker’s compensation departments, the Veteran’s Administration, Social Security, and other potential sources of funding. We can make suggestions to keep your costs low. Still, we understand there are those who may need a payment plan, (extended in limited circumstances and subject to credit approval), or a cost reduction in order for their needs to be met. No one has ever been turned away for lack of money. ***Regardless of what you spend, our superior service quality is the same for all — we are here to help.***

FORWARDING OF CREMATED REMAINS

We can package, transport and mail cremated remains by U.S. Postal Service Express Mail anywhere in the United States for \$150 (add cost of urn). Other carriers will not accept cremated remains. Express Mail is typically an overnight delivery in the continental U.S. Because we schedule our crematory days in advance, and due in part to the time involved in meeting the legal requirements of the death certificate and disposition permit, we ask for 3-4 days following death to complete the cremation process. Let us know if this creates difficulty — we’ll try our best to accommodate you.

ADVANCE PLANNING ASSISTANCE

We provide free assistance with advance planning. You have the option of locking in today’s prices and funding your plan or simply placing your wishes on file and allowing costs to be paid at the time of need.

CREMATION VIEWING OPTIONS

PRE-CREMATION VIEWING

By choosing the Pre-cremation Viewing, your immediate family members (spouse, children, grandchildren, parents, or siblings) are offered the opportunity to view your loved one for up to 1 hour so that as a family, you will be afforded the opportunity to gather together for a final goodbye with your loved one. This Immediate Family Viewing will take place during business hours. We will ensure a natural appearance by bathing and dressing your loved one in clothing provided by your family. Our highly trained staff members will wash and style your loved one’s hair, apply any necessary cosmetics and provide appropriate manicuring to their nails. Viewing will take place in a private viewing room in the family’s chosen cremation container. By selecting this option, there is a charge for the appropriated time for use of facilities and staff for viewing and \$495.00 for the additional preparation and any necessary transportation. Add the expense for cremation package selected by the family.

FULL PREPARATION VIEWING

By choosing Full Preparation Viewing, an unlimited number of your family and friends will be offered the opportunity for viewing and greeting of friends for up to 2 days. With Full Preparation Services, your family will be afforded the opportunity to have viewing and sharing with family and friends from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm, Monday through Sunday. With this option, our skilled professionals will provide the necessary embalming and preparation. We will ensure a peaceful look on your loved one's face along with bathing and dressing your loved one in clothing provided by your family. Our highly trained cosmetologist will wash and style your loved one's hair, apply any necessary cosmetics and provide appropriate manicuring to their nails. Viewing will take place in a private viewing room in the family's chosen casket or cremation container. By selecting this option there will be an additional cost of \$950.00 for Embalming, \$325.00 for other preparations and \$495.00 per day for visitation. Add the expense for cremation package selected by the family.