

Strong-Thorne

Since 1882
Healing Begins Here

General Price List

These prices are effective May 1, 2023 and are subject to change without notice.



Strong-Thorne Mortuary

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Our Commitment

We know that today's consumer has many choices and a variety of ways to obtain information. Transparency is very important to us. We are committed to providing clear and concise information, whether online, over the phone, or in person.

We recognize that understanding available options as well as cost is important for every family. Our price lists are itemized, the selection of items is in direct relation to the service requested. It is recommended that you choose only those items you desire and that will be of most value to you and your family and provide the most support in your time of need.

We believe that it is important you have the opportunity to know exactly what you are getting and the ability to compare prices, services and merchandise. When considering your choices, it is helpful to think about costs in relation to what you receive.

When comparing your options, we encourage you to have a no-commitment conversation with one of our professional funeral arrangers. Doing so affords you the opportunity to ask questions and gather information, ensuring you fully understand your options and are confident in your final selections.

Funeral and cemetery services may be very simple, or more complicated depending on the wishes of the family. We are committed and experienced in doing everything we can to ensure that your memorial service or life celebration is relevant, planned and executed perfectly. It is our promise to every family and our community to provide accurate information regarding funeral and cemetery services, and to exceed your expectations while faithfully fulfilling your wishes.

Sincerely,

Strong-Thorne Mortuary

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.

Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff and Overhead..... \$2,995

Our fee for the basic services of funeral director and staff includes but is not limited to: staff to respond to initial request for service, arrangement conference with family and responsible parties, arrangement of funeral, preparation and filing of necessary authorizations and permits, recording vital statistics, preparation and coordination with those providing other portions of the funeral, (e.g., cemetery, crematory, vault companies and others as required). Also included in this charge are overhead expenses relative to our facilities such as: professional licensing, legal and accounting fees, insurance, building and utility expenses, parking lot and grounds, maintenance, taxes, equipment, furnishings, inventory costs, recordkeeping, and secretarial and administrative expenses

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.)*

Care of the Family & Guests

Facilities, Staff & Services

- A. Funeral, Rosary, Life Celebration Service or Gathering *(per event)*..... \$ 395
Our services include coordinating the funeral arrangements, supervision of funeral, staff to attend the ceremony, supervision of committal or other disposition service, and set-up and use of facilities or staff & equipment for ceremonies held at another facility.
- B. Visitation or Gathering *(per hour)*..... \$ 295
Our services will include set up & staff for visitation or gathering, display of floral arrangements, use of our facilities or staff & equipment for visitation or gathering at another facility.
- C. Private family identification prior to direct disposition \$ 395
Includes: sanitary care, dressing. Trayview cremation container and private room, limited to 10 family members. Private viewing not to exceed 30 minutes, as mandated by NM statute.
- D. Memorial Ceremony or Life Gathering at Funeral Home or Other Facility..... \$ 395
Our services include coordinating the memorial service, supervision of the memorial service, staff to attend memorial service, and set-up and use of facilities for memorial service or additional staff necessary to conduct memorial service at other facility.
- E. Graveside Service *(per service)*..... \$ 395
Our services include coordinating the funeral arrangement at graveside, supervision of the graveside service, equipment and staff necessary to conduct the graveside service.
- F. Santa Fe National Cemetery Committal Service..... \$ 395
Our Services include coordinating and verification of interment eligibility, supervision of the graveside service, equipment and staff necessary to conduct the graveside service, as well as scheduling of military honors.
- G. Reception at the Funeral Home..... \$ 395
- H. Memorial Ceremony or Life Gathering at Funeral Home or Other Facility..... \$995

(When cremation or interment services are conducted elsewhere)

Automotive Equipment *(within 20-mile radius)*

- A. Funeral Coach & Driver *(per event)*..... \$ 395
- B. Limousine & Driver *(7 person maximum-price quote available for additional passengers)*..... \$ 395
- C. Flower Car/Utility Vehicle and Driver..... \$ 125
- D. Courier Vehicle \$ 95
- E. Transfer to/from Albuquerque International Sunport..... \$ 395
- F. Additional mileage fee beyond 20-mile radius *(per mile/vehicle)*..... \$ 3.25

Care of Your Loved One

Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home *(within 20-mile radius)*..... \$ 395

Embalming..... \$ 595

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.

Cremation Process..... \$ 695

Additional Care

- A. Other preparation of the body..... \$ 295
 - 1. Dressing
 - 2. Sanitary Care
 - 3. Cosmetizing
 - 4. Casketing
- B. Refrigeration and sheltering of remains *(for 10 days, \$50 per day thereafter)*..... \$ 595
- C. Surgical removal and disposal of Pacemaker/Defibrillator..... \$ 100
- D. Special care of tissue/bone donation or autopsy cases..... \$ 195
- E. Restoration (per hour)..... \$ 100

CASKETS FOR BURIAL & CREMATION.....\$ 1,549 to \$25,699
A complete list will be provided at the funeral home

OUTER BURIAL CONTAINERS..... \$ 499 to \$ 17,299
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OUTSIDE CHARGES

A. Certified New Mexico Death Certificate (<i>per copy</i>).....	\$ 5
B. Office of Medical Investigator Cremation Permit.....	\$ 230
C. Office of Medical Investigator Handling Fee.....	\$ 85
D. NMVRHS Credit Card Processing Fee.....	\$ 3

Cremation Arrangement Guide

Honor the Life

Taking the time to honor the life of your loved one is vitally important to the grieving process. A gathering or funeral service allows all who have been impacted by death to honor, remember and support one another.

- A funeral ceremony or gathering can be a formal or informal event.
- A funeral ceremony helps survivors begin to accept their loss and establishes a foundation for a healthy healing process.
- A funeral ceremony should reflect your loved ones wishes and any personal, religious or cultural traditions.
- Your loved one can be present for the event or it can be in their memory though the use of pictures, memorabilia, or other meaningful items.



Forever Resting Place

You need a place to live and a place to grieve. The forever resting place gives you a place to visit to honor, to grieve and remember.

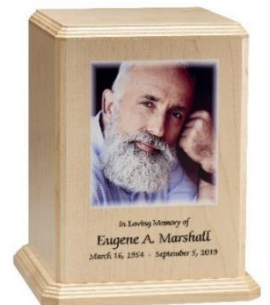
- We offer many options for you to have a beautiful, secure and permanent place to memorialize and honor the life.
- While it is understandable to want to take a loved one home, it can be impractical as future generations are often not as connected to the person who has died.
- We encourage you to think about your long-term plans for having a place to recognize a life lived.
- We would be honored to provide you with a complimentary, no obligation, tour of all available options in our cemeteries.



Merchandise Options

There are many ways to honor a life and personalize your experience to reflect the life that was lived. We will explain your options and allow you to control the selections that are made.

- You will be selecting a container for the cremation process. There are many to choose from constructed from various materials and interiors.
- An Urn will be selected to serve as the receptacle for the cremated remains. These are available in a wide variety of materials with customization often available.
- Keep your loved one close with one of our Memorial Keepsake offerings.



Additional Merchandise & Services

Filling Urns/Keepsakes not purchased at the funeral home <i>(based on quantity)</i>	\$ 25
Witness Cremation <i>(Monday – Friday)</i>	\$ 395
Preparation and Mailing of Cremated Remains <i>(Priority Mail Express)</i>	\$ 225
Saturday Fee	\$ 595
Sunday, Holiday or Overtime Charge.....	\$ 745
Memorial Stationery Packages.....	\$ 195 and up
Register Book.....	\$ 50 and up
Prayer Cards <i>(sheet of 8)</i>	\$12
Laminated Prayer Cards <i>(sheet of 8)</i>	\$ 14
Memorial Folders <i>(per 100)</i>	\$150
Acknowledgement Cards <i>(per 25)</i>	\$ 25
Memorial Video Tribute.....	\$ 100
Additional Memorial Video Tribute Copies.....	\$ 25
Basic Refreshment Package <i>(Coffee, Utensils, Water, Lemonade)</i>	\$ 150
International Shipping Arrangements.....	\$ 750
Flowers.....	<i>As Selected</i>
Jewish Burial Shroud.....	\$ 125
Flag Case.....	\$ 200 and up
Cross/Crucifix.....	\$ 25 and up
Ziegler Transportation Case.....	\$ 750
Airtray.....	\$ 350
Combination Shipping Container.....	\$ 350
Disaster Pouch.....	\$ 150
Outside cemetery setup <i>(chairs & lowering device, plus additional mileage, if applicable)</i>	\$700
Inman Travel Protection Plan.....	\$450

Obituaries

Newspaper obituary processing fee <i>(per newspaper)</i>	\$ 75
Newspaper obituary <i>(cost determined by newspaper)</i>	<i>As charged</i>

Limited Services

FORWARDING OF REMAINS TO ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME..... \$ 3,495

This charge includes: basic service of funeral director and staff, transfer of deceased to the funeral home (*within 50-mile radius*), embalming, other preparation and care, courier vehicle and transportation to local airport or other place of shipment (*within 50-mile radius*). This charge does not include any charges for shipment, shipping container, visitation or ceremonies. This charge applies to shipment within the continental U.S. only.

RECEIVING OF REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME..... \$ 2,695

This charge includes: basic service of funeral director and staff, transfer of deceased to the funeral home (*within 50-mile radius*) other preparation and care, and transportation to the cemetery (*within 50-mile radius*). This charge does not include visitation, rites, or ceremonies.

DIRECT CREMATION..... \$ 2,445 to \$ 17,244

The charge includes: basic service of funeral director and staff, transfer of deceased to the funeral home (*within 50-mile radius*), refrigeration, other preparation and care, courier vehicle, crematory fee and basic urn. This charge does not include the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to the cremation. 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 cardboard.

- A. Direct cremation with container provided by purchaser..... \$ 2,445
- B. Direct cremation with cardboard alternative container selected from our funeral home..... \$ 2,595

IMMEDIATE BURIAL..... \$ 3,295 to \$22,244

Our charges for immediate burial (without any rites or ceremonies at the funeral home, graveside or elsewhere) includes: basic service of funeral director and staff, transfer of deceased to the funeral home (*within 50-mile radius*), refrigeration, other preparation and care, courier vehicle and transportation to cemetery.

- A. Immediate burial with casket provided by the purchaser..... \$ 3,295
- B. Immediate burial with minimum casket..... \$ 4,794

PAYMENT POLICY

Payment is due prior to date of service. Our payment terms are as follows:

- A. Cash
- B. Personal Check
- C. Discover, VISA & Master Card
- D. Proceeds from Pre-Arranged Plans
- E. Assignable Insurance Policy:
 - We use a third-party insurance company to process all insurance claims.
 - There is a 5% processing fee for this service.
 - Any policy less than two (2) years old cannot be accepted as payment.

Please Note: We cannot accept a claim against an estate as a guarantee of payment. Therefore, the responsible party(s) will need to arrange to pay the funeral expenses and then file their claim for reimbursement with the deceased’s estate.