



Celebrating Life's Most Precious Moments

Funerals

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Markers and Monuments

**"Our family serving your family since 1915."
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Family Planning Guide

On behalf of the West family and staff, thank you for allowing us to be of service as you plan a farewell ceremony for your loved one.

To guide you in the coming days, we have compiled information on the services we offer, a general price list, and suggestions for creating a ceremony to honor and say goodbye to your loved one. You will find our family and staff readily available to answer questions, offer suggestions and honor your requests.

Be assured that all of us who serve you do so with an eye on detail, utmost compassion, and a 100% satisfaction guarantee. Should we not meet your expectations in the course of serving your family, you will not be charged for that with which you were dissatisfied. This promise is a hallmark of our concern for you. Indeed it is your satisfaction and your good will, which we strive to earn in serving your family. It is so important we've put our name on it – we call it the West Guarantee.

You, too, will soon discover why we make this guarantee. It is our commitment to you.

Sincerely,

Gary C. West
Gary C. West



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What should I expect from my funeral director?

- * Patience with special effort to explain all service options and prices.
- * Knowledge, honesty, sincerity as he or she works with my family to create a meaningful tribute to my loved one.

What items should I bring to the arrangement conference?

- * **Photos** - Bring several photos to choose from for the obituary and cosmetology purposes.
- * **Clothing, cosmetics, jewelry, glasses/dentures and other personal items** - including undergarments. Bring jewelry, cosmetics, nail polish, and other personal items. Opt for long sleeved outfits with closed necklines. Cosmetics will be discarded after use.
- * **Military discharge forms** (DD 214, report of separation) in order to file for military benefits.
- * **General information** - about the deceased such as his or her date and place of birth, home address, father's name, mother's maiden name, details pertaining to job, education and marital status, etc.
- * **Social Security Number** - As a courtesy West will notify the Social Security Administration about the death on your behalf. We also need the social security number for the death certificate.
- * **Insurance policies** - We can assist you with filing for benefits.
- * **Cemetery Paperwork (if applicable)**- Other than West Memorial Park, Clark's Chapel or Sky View.

What will we do while we are together today?

Our staff will accommodate your immediate needs. While we normally complete the arrangement process in about two hours, the amount of time we spend together is highly dependent upon your needs. We usually accomplish the following while together:

- * Determine the date, location, and type of services to be held.
- * Select a casket, vault, urn, cremation container, stationery, and other desired items.
- * Collect and confirm obituary and vital information.
- * Prepare and present a statement of funeral goods and services.
- * Provide choices related to payment. Note: If you plan to use insurance to pay for funeral expenses, please bring your policy(s) with you to the conference.
- * Complete a Cremation Authorization form, if cremation is selected.

West Family Staff



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Funeral Director



Vicki D. West
Funeral Director



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Funeral Director



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Tribute Service and Goods Packages

The West Funeral Home is where many families choose to purchase funeral goods and services that are bundled together to provide simplicity, value, and the most optimal experience.

Whether choosing burial or cremation, our packages contain all necessary elements in planning a meaningful, appropriate and affordable experience to meet your needs of mourning by allowing you to:

- * **Acknowledge** the reality of death
- * **Remember** the person who died
- * **Receive** support from others
- * **Affirm** that your loved one led a life of significance
- * **Create** an opportunity for your loved ones to acknowledge the loss and to come to terms with the reality of death

Additionally, choosing from our service packages versus selecting itemized services offers you simplicity of choice.

We have included all service expenses involved in the funeral, except those over which we have no control. Such is the case for the following:

- * Cemetery charges for grave space or opening & closing a grave. Because fees vary according to each cemetery, we cannot charge one standard fee.
- * Honorarium paid to a clergy or celebrant person participating in a service. Most clergy graciously accept an honorarium, some ask that no gift be made at all, while others ask that a contribution be made to the church. Accordingly, your decision to give a contribution is a personal one. Your funeral director will guide you in this process.
- * Certified Copies of Death Certificates. Fees vary from each state, as does the number of certificates needed for an individual family. We will gladly order these certified copies on your behalf.

CUSTOMARY FUNERAL SERVICE

No funeral goods are included in this package.

FEATURING:

- Funeral service at chapel, church, or location of your choice (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Saturday or Sunday \$150 additional)
- Public visitation 1 day prior to or same day of service
- Optional Private Family Viewing
- All necessary professional services:
 - Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff
 - Embalming
 - Specialized Cosmetizing, Dressing and Casketing
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Funeral Coach/Hearse and Flower Van
 - Same Day Committal Service

* If services extend beyond 4 days, see page 23 for refrigeration charges.



PACKAGE PRICE

\$6,450

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No funeral goods are included in this package.

FEATURING:

- Private Family Viewing
- Public Visitation One Day Prior to or Same Day of Service
- Funeral Ceremony at Graveside (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Saturday or Sunday \$150 additional)
- All necessary professional services:
 - Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff
 - Embalming
 - Specialized Cosmetizing, Dressing and Casketing
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Funeral Coach/ Hearse and Flower Van

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PACKAGE PRICE

\$6,340

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West

Often Chosen Cremation Caskets, Urns, Urn Vaults and Cremation Jewelry

West



Vesta Ceremonial Casket (Rental)



Stockton Casket



Emerson Cremation Container



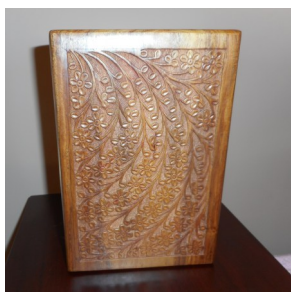
Keepsake Pendant Cross



Universal Urn Vault



Eternity Pendant



Tree of Life



Red Flora



Classic Bronze



Blue Butterfly



**Floral Blush
Cloisonné**



Avalon Bronze



**Walnut
Scattering Urn**



**Passages
Natural Oval**

West TIME HONORED FUNERAL CEREMONY *West* FOLLOWED BY CREMATION

Incorporating visitation and funeral ceremonies.

FEATURING:

- Funeral service at chapel, church, or location of your choice (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Saturday or Sunday \$150 additional)
- Public visitation 1 day prior to or same day of service
- Optional Private Family Viewing
- All necessary professional services:
 - Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff
 - Embalming
 - Specialized Cosmetizing, Dressing and Casketing
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation
 - Transfer to Crematory

* For Funeral Service not in our chapel add automotive equipment.



PACKAGE PRICE \$6,280

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West

CELEBRATION OF LIFE VISITATION FOLLOWED BY CREMATION

West

Incorporating a farewell for family and friends with body present

FEATURING:

- Public visitation at Funeral Home
- Optional Private Family Viewing
- All necessary professional services:
 - Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff
 - Embalming
 - Specialized Cosmetizing, Dressing and Casketing
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation



PACKAGE PRICE \$5,745

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Why Should I Plan Ahead?

Not everyone likes to plan ahead, but pre-planning your funeral arrangements not only gives you peace of mind about your final wishes being honored, but alleviates some of the stress and burden your loved ones are going through as they experience the grief associated with the loss.

The staff of West Family Funeral Services is happy to assist you with your funeral pre-needs by helping you make decisions about your funeral service in advance and guide you in helping eliminate some of the unnecessary stress brought on by a loved one's death.

Benefits of Preplanning

Planning Ahead Lets Your Wishes Be Known

The death of a loved one often brings about unwarranted stress and turmoil among families. One family member wants one thing, while another family member wants something different. By planning ahead, you help prevent those disagreements by letting your family know what your wishes are and how you want your funeral service to be carried out and your business handled.

Planning Ahead Offers Peace of Mind

Our staff guarantees we will carry out the arrangements you want, just as you directed. Once the plans have been arranged, you and your family can rest easy knowing at the time of death, those uncomfortable decisions have been made. In a time when a family should be able to easily grieve, preplanning allows for that to happen.

Planning Ahead Offers Flexible Funding Options

When you preplan your funeral arrangements, there are more options when it comes to funding the funeral. A preneed insurance policy, life insurance policy or other payment options can all be arranged before the time of death. At the time of death, services must be paid in full, so having options ahead of time can also reduce other stress related to losing someone.

Planning Ahead Relieves The Burden From Family

Following the death of a loved one, there are more than 150 decisions that have to be made within the first day or two following the death. Those stressful decisions on top of the stress of grieving a loss can be eliminated by arranging your final wishes ahead of time. If those decisions are made, your loved ones aren't left wondering what you would have wanted and how they should proceed with funeral plans. With those decisions out of the way, your loved one can begin the healing process sooner.

Common Questions about Preplanning

- What steps are involved in prearranging a funeral?

The first step would be to write down your wishes. Indicate if you would prefer burial or cremation. Write down your ideas for the service you would like, cemetery choice, etc. If you've made those choices, or even if you're unsure, schedule a time to meet with one of our funeral directors who can explain the different service options, merchandise choices, as well as the different ways to pay for the funeral.

- What information do I need to prearrange a funeral?

You'll need basic information about yourself or the person you are planning for, such as date of birth, marital status, parent's full names, etc. Besides the biological information, you'll need to choose burial or cremation, what type of service you'd like, what cemetery to use, etc. Our caring staff will help you with this process.

- Do I have to pay in advance?

Preplanning is merely making your wishes known; however, most families who do this choose to pre-fund their funeral as well. Doing so will relieve the financial burden on your family and offer a peace of mind to you.

- Can I transfer my plans to or from another funeral home?

If you have plans at another funeral home and would like to move them here, we will help you do that. If you move from the area and would like to transfer your arrangements to another funeral home, we will assist you with that as well.

West

CREMATION WITH MEMORIAL SERVICE IN OUR CHAPEL

West

Incorporating greeting of friends and memorial ceremonies.

FEATURING:

- Memorial service in our chapel. (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday) For service other than these times and days, add \$300.00.
- Greeting of friends immediately following the Memorial Service.
- All necessary professional services:
 - A proportionate share of basic services of the Funeral Director and Staff
 - Alternative Care
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation

Note: Container is not included.



PACKAGE PRICE

\$5,170

*For a service at another facility add necessary or desired automotive equipment.

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West

CELEBRATION OF LIFE VISITATION FOLOWED BY CREMATION

West

Incorporating greeting of friends without the body present.

FEATURING:

- Visitation at the funeral home for up to 2 hours.
- All necessary professional services:
 - A proportionate share of basic services of the Funeral Director and Staff
 - Alternative Care
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation

Note: Container is not included.



PACKAGE PRICE

\$5,070

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SHARING OF MEMORIES WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS

FEATURING:

- Sharing of Memories at Funeral Home (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday). For service other than these times and days, add \$300.00. This is for those preferring an informal gathering and a time that family and friends would be encouraged to share a memory or story about your loved one. This has been a very meaningful choice made by our families. Ask a Funeral Director to better explain your options.
- All necessary professional services:
 - A proportionate share of basic services of the Funeral Director and Staff
 - Alternative Care
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation



Note: Container is not included.

PACKAGE PRICE

\$4,860

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Simple cremation with private family only goodbye

* Meets the requirements for cremation while providing families an intimate time to reflect, remember and say goodbye.

FEATURING:

- All necessary professional services:
 - A proportionate share of basic services of the Funeral Director and Staff
 - Alternative Care
 - Transfer of deceased to funeral home
 - Delivery Vehicle
 - Our Standard Cremation
 - Facilities, equipment and staff for family only goodbye in memory room at Funeral Home, for up to one hour between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.; Saturday or Sunday \$300 additional.

**PACKAGE PRICE****\$3,220**

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A columbarium is a place for the respectful placement of cremated remains. A columbarium could be for just one person's cremated remains, however usually there are a number of cremated remains in one columbarium. Within each columbarium there are small spaces called a niche. That is where the urn holding the cremated remains are placed. They can be glass front which is usually within a building, or granite front which is usually outdoors.

The pictures on the previous page and on top of this page are columbaria we have at **West Memorial Park**. As you can see they are granite front, and in our cemetery the entire structure is made of granite, insuring the strongest, most durable building in the market place. Names, dates & even a photo may be placed on the front of these niches.

You will also notice from the photos that we have a **beautiful waterfall** adding to the peaceful and tranquil setting of the cemetery.

Caskets

The casket selection process is a very personal decision, and an important element in arranging or planning a funeral. Not only does the casket serve as one of the focal points of the funeral service, it can also reflect the deceased's personality and specific tastes.

Caskets are available in two major types of materials: metal and wood. Metal caskets are known for their strength and durability as well as their unique finishes. Metal caskets are available in bronze, copper, stainless steel or steel.

Bronze caskets offer the very finest in materials, workmanship, permanence and durability. They will not rust and are considered by many to be the ultimate in quality as far as metal caskets are concerned.



Bronze caskets are the most expensive type of metal caskets and are available for those families desiring the best quality.

Copper caskets are naturally resistant to corrosion. They are available in different styles and finishes, including a variety of painted finishes as well as a brushed finish, which allows the beauty of the copper to be exposed.

Stainless steel is a manmade material composed of steel, chromium and nickel, which is naturally corrosion resistant. Stainless steel caskets are available in painted or brushed finishes.

Steel caskets are available in a number of different styles and painted finishes. The cost is primarily determined by the thickness of the steel, the interior material and the exterior finish. The heaviest steel used is 16 gauge with 20 gauge being the lightest.



Wood caskets are available in mahogany, cherry, walnut, oak, poplar, pecan and pine. Many families feel that hardwood caskets offer a natural warmth, beauty and uniqueness that cannot be duplicated in metal caskets. The price difference in wood caskets will depend on the type of wood used, the interior materials, such as velvet or crepe and the craftsmanship of construction.

Mahogany wood is popular for its wide board widths, dark color, and beautiful grain and texture. It is also a highly durable hardwood. Besides being famous for its beauty and quality, mahogany is less widely available than other types of wood.

Oak is renowned for its highly recognizable graining pattern, making it a favorite of many families.

All of these natural materials are all known for their strength and classic appearance. And because wood is a renewable resource, families who choose hardwood caskets leave a lasting legacy for future generations.

Outer Burial Containers

An outer burial container, also known as a vault, is the container that surrounds the casket in the grave. There is no law that requires you to use a vault. However, many cemeteries ask that you use such a container so the grave does not sink. Most of the families we serve do choose to use a vault and most do select a vault that is warranted by the manufacturer to be waterproof. We offer two basic types of vaults: those constructed of metal and those constructed of concrete.



Concrete Vaults

Concrete vaults consist of two pieces: the base and the cover. The base of the vault is installed in the grave. After the service, the casket is lowered into the base and the cover is then placed on top of the base. A butyl compound seals the base and the cover, which fit together with a tongue and groove construction. An inner liner is chemically bonded to the inside of the base and the cover. Concrete burial vaults will differ in price due to the type of inner liner that is used, the weight of the vault and the presence of different metals used, such as bronze, copper and stainless steel.

The double reinforced Triune Collection consists of the Bronze Triune, the Copper Triune and the Stainless Steel Triune. These vaults are of the same extra heavy duty concrete construction used in the Wilbert Bronze. They are not lined on the outside, but are lined on the inside with the same liner as used in the Wilbert Bronze. The vault is then relined on the inside with either the bronze, copper or stainless steel as its name indicates. A carapace, made of the same metal liner as used on the inside, is on the cover as well as a name plate. The Venetian weighs some 400 lbs. less than the Triune series vaults and utilizes a less expensive liner material. It does include a carapace on the cover and a nameplate. The Continental weighs just slightly less than the Venetian and uses the least expensive type of liner. It does not include a carapace, but does include a nameplate. The Monticello weighs 500 lbs. less than the Continental and uses the same liner material. It does not include a nameplate.



Metal Vaults

Metal vaults consist of a two-piece construction, the base and the dome. The base is installed flat in the bottom of the grave. When the service is over, the casket is lowered down onto the base. The base itself is not flat; it has a raised portion which elevates the casket approximately 5 1/2 inches from the ground. The dome is then lowered into the grave and latched to the base. The dome traps a pocket of air that contains the casket. Therefore, water cannot reach the casket due to this air pocket. The dome is curved at the top, allowing for any condensation to go down the side of the vault and exit at the bottom. Before leaving the factory, all of the vaults are subjected to a number of quality control tests, which includes a submersion test into six feet of water. While metal vaults all seal in the same manner, they can be constructed from different materials: copper, stainless steel, galvanized steel and steel.

Copper vaults are the most expensive type of metal vaults. They are manufactured from 10 or 12 gauge solid copper, which never rusts. The copper vaults are finished to enhance the beauty of the copper.

Stainless steel vaults are available in two colors: gray and rose. Stainless steel is a tough, strong, corrosion-resistant material that contains iron, chromium and nickel.

Galvanized steel vaults are available in three different measures of thickness: 7, 10 and 12 gauge. The 7 gauge is the heaviest vault weighing 720 lbs. The 10 gauge vault weighs 535 lbs. and the 12 gauge, the lightest, weighs 435 lbs.

Galvanizing is a process in which the entire vault, inside and outside, is dipped into a hot molten zinc vat. The galvanizing provides long lasting protection as approximately 35 pounds of zinc is bonded to the base metal. Painted steel vaults, which are not galvanized, complete the line of metal burial vaults.

Cremation Containers

A cremation container is a container that the body is placed in for the cremation process. Cremation containers range from mahogany, to a rigid, leak resistant, combustible, corrugated box. The family may elect to have a funeral service or visitation with the body present in the container selected. A direct cremation would consist of only family identification of the body in the cremation container. The family would then be given the option of having a visitation or a memorial service without the body present. Other containers are constructed of cherry, oak, pine and canvas cloth or gray flannel covered wood. Any hardwood casket is acceptable to use as well. A cremation container constructed of wood, similar to a hardwood casket used for burial, is available as a rental container.

Urn Selection

The selection of the urn is very important since the urn provides both a protective and dignified receptacle for the cremated remains. It can become an important focal point at a memorial service and can serve as a permanent memorial to the deceased.

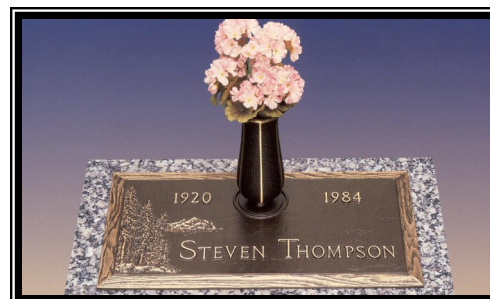
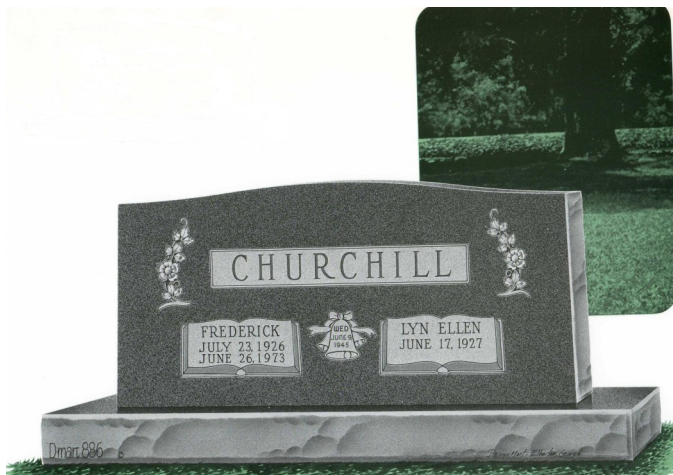
Deciding what will be done with the cremated remains may help decide what type of urn to select. The family may decide to bury the urn on a cemetery lot. Some cemeteries allow urns to be buried on the same space as a previously interred casket or other urn. When burial of the urn is the choice, many families opt to use a special urn vault to house and protect the urn. The urn may be permanently placed in a mausoleum or columbarium, special above ground structures designed for this purpose. Some families elect to keep the urn within the home.

Other options include scattering the cremated remains in a cemetery scattering garden, at sea, or in some other location, so long as it is in accordance with local laws. The decision to scatter should be chosen carefully in that it is irreversible. When scattering or any other form of disposition is chosen, a small portion of the cremated remains may be kept in a smaller keepsake urn created to become a focal point of memorialization in the home.



Welcome to our monument and marker page.

We offer a complete selection of cemetery memorial monuments, headstones and footstones available in colored granite, marble, and bronze. We will assist you in designing a monument or marker to memorialize your loved one. Below are a few examples of the many choices we can offer you and your family. We also can arrange for a date of death to be added to an existing monument or marker.





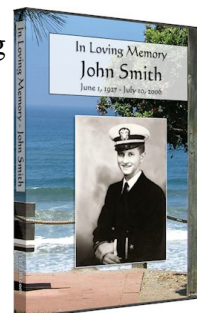
Signature Memorials

Video Tributes—from \$179.00



We create a DVD tribute to your loved one using photos you provide. They are fashioned into a collage of your loved ones life.

The **CUT OFF TIME** for photos to be at West Funeral Home for a **next day** video is **2:00PM.**



Thumbies Fingerprint Keepsakes - \$189.00 and Up



To remember a person who “touched” our lives, what better way than to capture the imprint forever. An original thumbprint is cast into a pendant, tie tack, cufflinks, etc. (see brochure). Some items are available in 14 Carat, white or yellow gold. (Note: Thumbies may take 45 to 60 days to be cast and received.)



Pianist—\$100.00



Music is an important part of a number of funeral and memorial services. West Funeral Home will provide a pianist for services held in our facility.



Signature Memorials

Veterans Hall of Flags - \$95.00



The West staff will carefully arrange 12 American flags on 10 ft. poles at the cemetery creating a hall in honor of your loved one that so honorably served our country. This is the hall in which he or she will be carried through and which the family will walk through to the grave site.

This is very impressive to all that attend, and a meaningful tribute to all of our veterans.

Bagpiper - \$300.00



The bagpipes have been commemorating the loss of loved ones with music at funeral services for hundreds of years. Many people associate bagpipes with funerals and this is because they powerfully touch our deepest emotions; the haunting voice of the bagpipe express feelings that words alone may fail to convey.



Funeral Home, Cemeteries & Cremation Service

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GENERAL PRICE LIST

These prices are effective July 24, 2025 but are 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.

This list does not include prices for certain items that you may ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery charges, flowers, and newspaper notices. These prices for those items will be shown on your bill or statement describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

OUR TOTAL ITEMIZED PRICE FOR A FULL TRADITIONAL SERVICE WITHOUT AMENITIES IS \$6,450.00. THE INDIVIDUAL ITEMS THAT ARE INCLUDED ARE MARKED WITH AN ASTERISK (*).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF AND OVERHEAD\$ 2,975.00*

Our basic fee for the funeral director and staff includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service, 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year, conducting the arrangement conference, securing necessary permits, documents and authorizations, preparing notices, temporarily sheltering the deceased up to 4 days, and coordinating the arrangements with the cemetery, crematory, or third parties.

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.)

EMBALMING\$ 980.00*

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 this funeral home's policy to require embalming if the body is to be present at any rites or funeral ceremonies.

ALTERNATIVE CARE OF DECEASED\$ 395.00

This is the care and custody of the deceased for burial or cremation when there is no embalming. In addition a \$50.00 daily charge shall apply for refrigeration. N.C. law requires unembalmed human remains retained in the custody of a funeral establishment for more than 24 hours shall be kept in a refrigeration unit. The deceased is bathed, features set, topically disinfected, and placed in refrigeration.

OTHER PREPARATION OF THE BODY

This includes, applying cosmetics, dressing and placing the deceased in a casket.	\$ 290.00*
(A hairdresser or barber, if desired, is not included in this fee).	
Professional Hairdresser (When needed or desired)	\$ 55.00
Additional preparation & materials required for Autopsied Remains/Organ Donor.....	\$ 90.00
Refrigeration when embalming is declined (Per Day or portion thereof)	\$ 50.00
(All unembalmed bodies must be in refrigeration until day of burial or cremation)	
Refrigeration of embalmed bodies held more than 4 days for burial (Per Day or portion thereof).....	\$ 50.00

FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR SERVICES (Conducted at Funeral Home)

For Visitation or Viewing	\$ 435.00*
For Use of Viewing Room (No formal visitation).....	\$ 225.00
For Funeral Ceremony Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.....	\$ 535.00*
After 4:00 p.m. additional.....	\$ 300.00
Saturday and Sunday additional	\$ 150.00
Memorial Service Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.....	\$ 535.00
After 4:00 p.m. additional.....	\$ 300.00
Saturday and Sunday additional.....	\$ 300.00

EQUIPMENT AND STAFF SERVICES (Conducted at Another Facility)

For Visitation or Viewing (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.).....	\$ 435.00
After 4:00 p.m. additional.....	\$ 300.00
(Note: Plus additional trip charges for any automotive equipment you may have selected.)	
For Funeral Ceremony Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.....	\$ 535.00
After 4:00 p.m. additional.....	\$ 300.00
Saturday and Sunday additional.....	\$ 150.00
Memorial Service Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.....	\$ 535.00
Saturday and Sunday or after 4:00 p.m.	\$ 835.00
Graveside Services.....	\$ 435.00
Saturday and Sunday additional	\$ 150.00

TRANSPORTATION AND USE OF AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT

Transfer of remains to our funeral home (24 hours/day, 365 days per year)	\$ 525.00*
Funeral Coach/Hearse	\$ 510.00*
Flower Van	\$ 105.00*
Delivery Vehicle	\$ 95.00*
Transportation to Crematory	\$ 95.00
Transportation to or from Charlotte Airport	\$ 535.00
Transportation to or from Greenville/Spartanburg Airport.....	\$ 350.00

Note: All transportation fees are for LOCAL SERVICE only. Beyond 35 miles add a surcharge of \$3.00 per mile, per vehicle (one way). If overnight stay is required by our staff the charges will be added to the above fee.

MERCHANDISE

Caskets and Cremation Containers	\$295.00 to \$5,995.00
(A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home)	
Outer Burial Containers	\$675.00 to \$5,195.00
(A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home)	
Use of Ceremonial Casket.....	Vesta \$995.00 or Aria \$1195.00
Cremation Urns	\$25.00 to \$450.00

We offer a full line of urns and urn vaults. Additionally, we offer both men's and women's clothing, register books, memorial folders, prayer cards, thank-you notes, crucifixes, veterans flag cases, and other service merchandise available in our display areas.

Outer Shipping Container for use on Common Carrier (To protect casket)	\$ 195.00
Alternative Container, minimum transfer case for use on Common Carrier.....	\$ 325.00
Metal temporary grave marker (not allowed in some cemeteries)	\$ 55.00

WEST CREMATION SERVICES

Standard Cremation	\$ 350.00
The cremated remains will be returned within 7 days of the doctor signing the death certificate.	
Priority Cremation	Additional \$ 200.00
The cremated remains will be returned within 24 hours of the doctor signing the death certificate.	

Cemetery Equipment (Tent, Ground Cover, Chairs, and Casket Lowering Device) when not provided by the cemetery and when using our Outer Container	\$ 200.00
Cemetery Equipment when no Outer Container is being used	\$ 550.00
Opening and Closing the Grave (Including Cemetery Equipment)	Monday - Friday..... \$1,195.00
.....	Saturday & Sunday..... \$1,400.00
(There will be an extra charge of \$275.00 for all hand-dug graves if the cemetery requires the grave to be dug by hand.)	
Closing Grave opened by family or others	\$ 350.00
Opening and Closing Cremation Grave (Including Cemetery Equipment)	Monday - Friday..... \$ 695.00
.....	Saturday & Sunday..... \$ 995.00
Holiday Charge (for events scheduled on New Year's Day, Easter Sunday, Thanksgiving Day)	\$ 400.00

ALTERNATIVE SELECTIONS

FORWARDING REMAINS TO ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME..... \$3,045.00

Our charge for this service includes transfer of deceased to the funeral home, embalming and preparation, a proportionate share of basic services of funeral director and staff. This charge does not include any merchandise, viewing, funeral rites or ceremony, shipping charges, or transportation to airport.

FORWARDING REMAINS TO ANOTHER LOCAL FUNERAL HOME..... \$ 640.00

This includes local transfer of the deceased to our funeral home, care and custody of the body, and a proportionate share of basic services of the funeral director and staff. (This does not include, embalming, any merchandise, viewing, ceremony or transportation to another funeral home.)

RECEIVING REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME..... \$2,630.00

This charge includes a proportionate share of basic services of funeral director and staff, local use of funeral coach and flower van. This charge is exclusive of any ceremonies or services, shipping or other transportation and any merchandise. Any deviation from this package will necessitate the use of itemization for our services.

RECEIVING CREMATED REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME FOR A SERVICE IN OUR CHAPEL

This includes a proportionate share of basic services of the funeral director and staff, use of chapel (only) for the service and greeting of friends following the service.

Monday thru Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	\$1,195.00
Saturday and Sunday	\$1,495.00
After 4:00 p.m. any day-add.....	\$ 300.00

ECONOMY FUNERAL SERVICE PACKAGE (Sales Tax not included)..... \$7,700.00

This includes local transfer of the deceased to our funeral home, embalming, cosmetics, dressing and casketing of the deceased, facilities equipment and staff for a visitation one hour prior to the funeral and the funeral in our chapel, funeral coach for the transfer to the cemetery, flower van, delivery vehicle, Economy Gray 20 GA. non-protective casket, economy concrete outer burial container and economy guest book. *The selection and pricing of the economy service represents a package price. Substitutions are not allowed. This package is only available for services between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday.*
Note: We do not schedule an Economy Service more than 48 hours in advance.

DIRECT CREMATION.....\$2,995.00 to \$8,990.00

Our charge for a basic cremation (without ceremony) includes the local transfer of the remains, securing necessary permits, documents and authorizations, basic services of the staff to respond to initial request for service, 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year, and sheltering the deceased. This charge also includes standard cremation. This charge does not include the use of staff and facilities for any visitation or ceremony, public or private.

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 fiberboard containers with a pillow and interior.

Direct Cremation includes basic services of director, transfer of deceased, alternative sanitary care and refrigeration of unembalmed body up to 4 days and with container provided by purchaser

.....	\$2,995.00
Cremation with basic fiberboard container provided by our funeral home	\$3,290.00
Direct Cremation with casket designed for cremation selected from our funeral home	

(The cost of the casket is not included)..... \$2,995.00

Note: N.C. Law (130-A-388) requires that a medical examiner issue a cremation permit for certain circumstances. There is a \$50.00 fee for this permit, which is not included in our charge. N. C. Law also requires a signed death certificate and a 24 hour waiting period prior to the cremation process.

IMMEDIATE BURIAL.....\$3,655.00 to \$9,650.00

The charge of immediate burial (**without ceremony**) includes the local transfer of remains, alternate sanitary care, the basic services of staff, completing and securing necessary authorizations, and transportation to a local cemetery. This charge does not include the use of staff or facilities for any viewing, visitation or ceremony prior to burial. (Note: This burial is not a scheduled burial, it will be at the convenience of our funeral home.)

Immediate Burial with casket provided by the purchaser	\$3,655.00
Immediate Burial with blue, cloth-covered standard size (Emerson) fiberboard casket provided by funeral home	\$4,350.00
Immediate Burial with a casket selected from our funeral home (The cost of the casket is not included)	\$3,655.00

BODY DONATION TO MEDICAL SCIENCE \$1,540.00

Our charge for this service includes transfer of the deceased to the funeral home, a proportionate share of basic services of funeral director and staff, obtaining and filing the necessary documents and authorizations, and coordinating with the receiving medical facility. This fee does not include any viewing, ceremony or transportation to the medical facility. However, a body donation does not have to exclude any services such as a viewing or funeral ceremony.

Transfer of deceased to Medical Facility per mile rate \$3.00

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

At West... we want to make a difference. Our professional and staff services for infants up to 24 months are provided to the family at 25% of the selected service fees. For children between 24 months and 12 years, our service fees are reduced by 50% of the selected service fees. Merchandise for any service is additional.

SPECIAL SERVICES AND MERCHANDISE

Video Tributes.....	From \$179.00
Use of Our Video Equipment (Cannot Contain Music)	\$ 75.00
Thumbies Fingerprint Keepsakes.....	From \$189.00
Veterans Hall of Flags.....	\$ 95.00
Rental of Memory Boards (Only when service is under our direction).....	\$ 25.00
Pianist provided by the funeral home (for service in our facility).....	\$100.00
Casket Insert Panels	\$175.00
Memorial Candles	\$ 23.36
Laminated Obituary Book Marks.....	\$ 5.00
Register Books	From \$ 35.00
Memorial Folders (per 100)	From \$ 50.00
Prayer Cards (Sheets of 8).....	From \$ 9.00
Acknowledgement Cards (per 25).....	From \$ 15.00
Customized Service Bulletins	Each \$ 1.00
Clothing for the deceased	From \$168.00
Wood Flag Cases with personalized name plate	\$ 99.00
Packaging and mailing cremated remains via USPS.....	From \$150.00

Our Weaverville Cemeteries



West Memorial Park
40 Roberts Street, Weaverville, NC 28787



Clark's Chapel Cemetery
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