

# FUNERARIA LUZ DE PAZ & RODRIGUEZ FUNERAL SERVICES

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## General Price List

(subject to change without notice)

These prices are effective May 15, 2025

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.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

### -Non-Declinable Professional Services of Funeral Director & Staff

\$ 1,850.00

Our services include: conducting the arrangements conference; planning the funeral; consulting with family and clergy; staff assistance prior to and after the funeral ceremony, preparing and filing of necessary notices; obtaining necessary authorizations and permits, coordinating with the cemetery or crematory. In addition, this fee includes a proportionate share of our basic overhead costs. 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..... \$ 800.00 -Autopsied remains Additional cost of \$ 250.00 is applicable. (Total charge \$900.00)  
-Organ Donation Addl. \$ 400.00 (Billed to Organ Bank Organization)

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. Organ bank will be billed for additional fees applicable for the extended time & details pertaining to the best possible preservation method in order to appropriately embalm remains after the procedures have concluded.

## OTHER PREPARATION OF REMAINS

-Prof. Care, No Embalming..... \$ 375.00 -included in direct Cremation Cost  
-Dressing, Casketing & Cosmetology..... \$ 300.00 -basic cosmetology, basic hairdressing, & appropriately positioning of remains in casket.  
-Restoration Work (Min. Chg. 2 Hrs.)..... \$ 150.00 -2 hours included in cost, but any addl. hrs or portion of will be applicable to \$ 75.00/hr.

## INFORMATION REGARDING SUCH COSTS

## FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT & STAFF

-Use of Facilities for Viewing/Visitation..... \$ 800.00 -3.5 Hours, additional hours, \$ 300.00 per hr. or portion of  
-Equip. & Staff for Church viewing..... \$ 800.00 -5 Hrs. Total time, additional \$ 100.00 per hr. or portion of, (includes hearse for transfer to Church)  
-Use of Facilities for Memorial Service..... \$ 700.00 -additional hours or portion of \$250.00/Hr.  
-Use of Fac. for Funeral Ceremony & Final Viewing..... \$ 400.00 -Not applicable for Single Day services  
-Sheltering of Remains per day)..... \$ 100.00 -applicable after 10 grace period (arrangements-Disposition) per day, or after Viewing/Fnl. Svc.  
-Equipment & Staff for Graveside Svc..... \$ 300.00 -if requested for Burial of Ashes. N/A for services of viewing & full body burial of remains  
-Webcasting Per Segment (up to 3 hrs.)..... \$ 125.00 -one segment included at no additional charge if requested (3 hours)  
-Pall Bearers..... each..... \$ 100.00 -if needed for final services

## AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT

-Lead/Flower Car (20 mile Radius)..... \$ 350.00 -required for any service with a procession to cemetery (20 Mile radius) \$ 4.50/ loaded mile after )  
-Hearse (20 Mile radius)..... \$ 500.00 -required for any service with a procession to cemetery (20 Mile radius) \$ 5.50/ loaded mile after )  
-Limousine (s)..... \$ 550.00 (7 Persons Adults/children total) 3.5 hrs. includes gratuity. addl. Hr. or portion of \$ 100.00/hr.  
-Utility Vehicle..... \$ 350.00 (20 Mile radius) \$4.50/loaded mile after radius  
-Local Transfer of Deceased (Healthcare Facility)..... \$ 350.00 (20 Mile radius) \$4.50/loaded mile after radius  
-Residential Removal of Dec..... \$ 125.00 -additional staff member charge  
-Medical Examiner's Office Removal..... \$ 450.00 -Farmington, Connecticut  
-Transportation to Local Airports...(JFK, LGA, BDL) .. \$ 425.00 -Other receiving airports would be charged at a rate of 5.50/loaded mile after 75 miles

## MERCHANDISE & OTHER SERVICES

-Prayer Cards Non Laminated (100)..... \$ 100.00 -additional cards at 70.00/100  
Laminated (100)..... \$ 175.00 -additional cards at 145.00/100  
-Register Book..... \$ 25.00 -with or without picture of deceased  
-Temporary Gravemarker..... \$ 35.00 -with or without picture of deceased  
-Custom Casket Panels..... \$ 225.00 -completely customizable  
-Metal Cross/Crucifix..... \$ 25.00 -Available when requested  
-Airtray...(Airline Requirement)..... \$ 350.00 -Required by Airline when Shipping remains for final disposition  
-Translation per Document for shipment of remains..... \$ 100.00 -Includes Notary Public Seal on each Document\* (May be covered in Embassy Costs, if Appl.)  
-Memorial Video..... Initial Video..... \$ 150.00 -Included at no additional charge in Svcs. with viewing time, additional cost per copy \$25.00  
-Memorial Blankets..... \$ 175.00 -expedited shipping available at an additional cost  
-Creation of Webpage..... \$ 125.00 -Included in the services that will have public viewing time at the discretion of family.  
-Caskets..... \$ 600.00 - \$ 6,700.00 A complete list detailed List of Caskets on Display to be provided within our GPL  
-Outer Burial Containers..... \$1,495.00 - \$12,000.00 A complete list of available Outer Burial Containers to be provided within GPL  
-Cremation Urns/keepsakes..... \$ 48.00 - \$ 4,500.00 A catalog with full prices & disclosures will gladly be provided as requested.  
-Webcasting (per 3 hour segment)..... \$ 100.00

### Outside Vendor Policy on Urns/keepsakes or Cremation Jewelry

We will gladly fill any urn/keepsake/Cremation Jewelry (units) purchased elsewhere, to a maximum of 3 Units at no additional cost.  
Any additional units would incur a cost of \$ 25.00/per unit. If the units are purchased through our firm's approved distributor the policy would not be applicable.

## CASH ADVANCE ITEMS (OTHER OUTSIDE EXPENSES, WE WILL GLADLY PAY ON YOUR BEHALF)

-Connecticut Certified Death Certificates..... \$ 20.00 -if filing is electronic, total is then \$23.00/ ea. including the processing fee charged.  
-Burial / Transit Permit..... \$ 5.00 -if filing is electronic, total is then \$ 5.90 including the processing fee.  
-Cremation Permit..... \$ 5.00 -currently manual filing is only option  
-Crematory Fee..... \$ 490.00 -This fee may change without notice  
-Floral Arrangements..... \$ varies -Costs determined by florist depending on the wishes of the family, references available upon request  
-Cemetery Expenses..... \$ varies -Local Cemetery price lists may be available & costs range extensively by cemetery & grave location  
-Medical Examiner's Fee..... \$ 154.95 -Applicable to cremations taking place in Connecticut (Electronic Proc. Fee incl.) (if Manual -\$4.95)  
-Outside Funeral Home Charges..... \$ varies -Varies by State and established by the contracted Funeral Home if we contracted the formal transfer  
-Clergy Honorarium..... \$ varies -determined by the Individual Religious organization (AVERAGE \$250-400.00)  
-Church Honorarium..... \$ varies -same as above and depending on the actual parish, this cost MAY be one in the same as the Clergy Honorarium  
-Organist Charge..... \$ varies -determined by the individual Religious organization (AVERAGE \$250 - 300.00 Optional in some Parishes  
-Vocalists..... \$ varies -determined by the individual Religious organization (AVERAGE \$250 - 300.00 Optional in some Parishes  
-Airline Charges..... \$ varies -varies by Airline, destination, Gov't requirements, etc.)  
-Apostilles (Exped. Svc. per doc)..... ea..... \$ 90.00 -cost may not be required but dependent of individual govt. req. (If so, usually 3-4 are needed)  
-Embassy Charges..... \$ varies -if applicable, cost is dictated by individual govt. embassy

## CASKET PRICE LIST

Price range from \$300.00 — \$6,700.00 Effective, May 15, 2025

<b>Apollo 5 Colors</b> , 20 Ga. NG Steel	\$ 1,495.00
<b>Gemini 5 Colors</b> , 20 Ga. NG Steel	\$ 1,650.00
<b>Spectra 5 Colors</b> , 20 Ga. NG Steel	\$ 1,895.00
<b>Pisces Various Colors</b> 20 Ga. Steel G	\$ 2,300.00
<b>Aries</b> 20 Ga. Steel Gasketed	\$ 2,400.00
<b>Lynx Wood Natural or Brown</b> , Hardwood	\$ 2,100.00
<b>Libra Harvest Red, Brown, or light brown</b> , Hardwood	\$ 2,600.00
<b>Virgo</b> (various colors), 18 Ga. Steel Gasketed	\$ 2,650.00
<b>Hercules</b> 28 OS Var. Colors, 20 Ga. NG	\$ 2,700.00
<b>Direct Cremation Container</b>	\$ 400.00

### Please Note:

No casket or Outer Burial Containers, such as a graveliner or vault, will prevent a body from decomposing, and no casket or vault will permanently keep out water, air, or earth. All bodies will decompose; that's nature's way. We suggest you choose a casket or vault according to your taste and budget without concern for any interpreted "preservative" qualities.

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## OUTER BURIAL CONTAINER PRICE LIST

Price range from \$ 1,495.00 - \$ 18,000.00 Effective May 15, 2025

<b>The Wilbert Bronze – Ultimate Triple Protection</b> .....	\$ 19,000.00
<b>Bronze Triune - Finest Double Reinforced protection</b> ....	\$ 7,500.00
<b>Copper Triune - Double Reinforced Burial Vault</b> .....	\$ 6,600.00
<b>Stainless Steel Triune - Brilliant Stainless Steel</b> .....	\$ 5,000.00
<b>Veteran Triune - Brushed Stainless Steel</b> .....	\$ 4,500.00
<b>Venetian - Finest Single Reinforcement Burial Vault</b> .....	\$ 3,300.00
<b>Continental -Mid Line Single Reinforced Burial Vault</b> ...	\$ 2,800.00
<b>Monticello – Entry-Level Single Reinforced</b> .....	\$ 2,200.00
<b>Salute - Entry Level Single Reinforced Burial Vault</b> .....	\$ 2,200.00
<b>Graveliner - Minimum Protection concrete</b> .....	\$ 1,500.00

### **Saturday & Outside Expenses to keep in mind (if applicable)**

<u>Vault Company Charge '24</u>	Sat. Until 12 PM	\$ 175.00
	Per 1/2 hr. or portion of after 12 PM	\$ 100.00
	Per 1/2 hr. waiting time after scheduled arrival time	\$ 100.00
	Per 1/2 hr., after 3pm weekdays	\$ 100.00
<b>Cemetery Saturday OT Charges</b> (Per Cem. P.List)	\$	Varies
<b>Cemetery Winter Charges</b> (Per Cem P. List)	\$	Varies

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## Disclaimer of Warranties

The Funeraria Luz de Paz & Rodriguez Funeral Services, makes no representations or warranties regarding the caskets or outer burial containers listed in our complete price lists of each. The only warranties, expressed or implied, granted in connection with written, if any, is extended by the manufacturer's thereof. The Funeraria Luz de Paz hereby expressly disclaims all warranties, expressed or implied related to the caskets or outer burial container, but not limited to the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose.

## OTHER SERVICES

**DIRECT Shipment of Remains** **\$ 3,775.00** -This charge includes our Professional Services Funeral Director & Staff, Embalming (Non-autopsied remains), local healthcare facility removal, local obtaining of necessary documents & transfer of deceased to local airport, Air tray, or Combo Transfer Unit.

**Does NOT include:** Casket Choice (if applicable), Airline Charges, Dressing (if Applicable), Casketing (If applicable) & cosmetology (if applicable)

**Receiving Remains from another Funeral Home** **\$ 2,350.00** -This charge includes our basic service of Funeral Director and Staff, removal from local airport, (JFK, LGA, BDL), Sheltering of remains, Basic Prof. Care of Remains

**Does NOT include:** Merchandise, Airline Charges, Dressing, Casketing & Cosmetology, Cash Advance Items, and other possible requests for the service of your loved one.

**Direct Cremation** (without Ceremony) **\$ 2,100.00** - with alternative container provided by funeral home  
**\$ 2,600.00** - with container provided by purchaser

**Included in this charge:** local transfer of deceased, housing of deceased until cremation date, minimum services of staff, basic facilities charge, transfer to crematory & alternative cremation container (if applicable). If you desire 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 composite materials (with or without an outside covering). When provided by our firm, the container provided is made at a minimum of fiberboard or an unfinished wood or one chosen by the purchaser.

**Does NOT Include:** Public Death Notice (Print or Virtual) and other non essential services/products.

**Direct Burial** **\$ 1,995.00** -With casket selection from funeral home  
**\$ 2,895.00** -Casket provided by purchaser  
**\$ 3,195.00** -With a minimum cloth covered casket

**Included in this charge:** local Removal of deceased, housing of remains up to 10 days at no additional charge, minimum services of Funeral Director & staff, basic facility charges & administrative fees.

**Does Not Include:** casket selection, hearse, viewing time, other expenses nor items such as cemetery charges, death notices or certificates as each service is unique and so many variables may or may not apply to the service chosen.



## ONE FINAL NOTE

We are honored that you have considered our firm to provide services for a loved one, friend, or even yourself. Trust is something we cherish, and we want to ensure that you receive the level of service you have come to expect from our firm over the years. For over 25 years we have been serving the families of Bridgeport and beyond with nothing less than the integrity, level of service, and facilities that each and every family deserves. Our staff is committed to helping in any way they can. Over the past few years, during the COVID-19 Pandemic, everyone has had to make many adjustments, some harder to get through than others. As we return to 'normal', it is more imperative than ever that you feel at peace at all times, knowing not only that we will provide all options known to us in order to make an informed decision. Every step of this undesired path we must walk will be within the scope of your intentions. It is essential that you receive the most accurate and clear understanding, as well as unadulterated genuine guidance on options, without any interest other than your well-being. We do not refer any business, product, or service for profit-making purposes. We encourage the support of other businesses that seemingly embrace a similar level of ethical practices in the quality of products and services they provide. Once again, thank you for your trust in us.

-Edgar Rodriguez, Funeral Director, Debbie Reyes-Williams, Office Administration, David Sanchez, Facilities Management