

Syracuse Simplicity
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General Price List

These prices are effective as of September 15, 2026 and are subject to change without notice.

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) both require that certain disclosures be made by funeral providers on the General Price List. Although these disclosures are similar, they are not exactly the same. This General Price List contains both sets of the required disclosures. The disclosures required by the FTC, when different from those required by the NYSDOH, are preceded by (FTC).

(FTC) 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 services. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reasons in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral services & merchandise you selected.

This list may not include prices for certain items that you select, such as cemetery charges or crematory services, flowers and newspaper notices. The estimated or final prices for those items will be shown on the itemized statement describing the funeral services & merchandise you selected. We charge you for our services in buying certain items.

Alternative Charges: The following charges for direct burial and direct cremation do not include additional items or services, merchandise, facility use and livery that the family may wish to select.

Direct Cremation:

Prices Range from \$1,999

Which includes the local transfer of remains to the funeral home, staff services, which include securing of the necessary authorizations, basic local transportation to the crematory, an alternative container for cremation (minimum cardboard container), and the return of cremains to the funeral home.

To \$1,799

Which includes the services as described above, but with the cremation container furnished by the family. If you want to arrange for a direct cremation, you may use an unfinished wooden box, or an alternative container. Alternative containers may be made of heavy cardboard, pressed wood or composition materials (with or without side coverings), or may be pouches of canvas or other materials. The direct cremation charge does not include the crematory charge. FTC: "If you want to arrange for a direct cremation, you can use an unfinished wood box, or an alternative container. Alternative containers can be made of materials like heavy cardboard or composition materials (with or without side covering), or pouches of canvas.

Direct (Immediate) Burials:

Prices range from: Not Offered

Which includes the local transfer of remains to the funeral home, staff services, securing of necessary authorizations, basic local transfer to the cemetery, and an alternative container, (unfinished, unlined container).

To: Not Offered

Which includes the services as described above, but with the alternative container supplied by the family.

The direct burial prices do not include cemetery charges.

Transfer of remains to the funeral establishment including personnel, equipment and vehicle.

Local within 30 mile Radius

\$500

Charge per mile beyond 30 mile radius	\$3.50
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Preparation of Remains

Embalming	\$500
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Embalming of remains after autopsy or bone/skin donation	\$700
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In New York State embalming is not required by law. If you do not want embalming, you have the right to choose an arrangement which does not require you to pay for embalming, such as direct cremation or direct burial. If you select funeral arrangements, such as viewing or open casket funeral, embalming may be required by the funeral firm.

FTC: "Except in 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 choose an arrangement which does not require you pay for it, such as direct cremation or direct burial."

Other Preparation (Excluding Embalming)

a. Topical Disinfection	\$N/A
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b. Custodial Care (Charged after 24 hours) Charge per day	\$N/A
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Custodial care will not be charged on the days when embalming or other preparation of remains occurs, visitation is held or a Funeral Service is conducted.

c. Dressing/Casketing	\$N/A
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d. Cosmetology	\$150
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e. Restoration	\$N/A
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Arrangements: The charge for our services will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you selected. However, this charge will not be added to the cost of a direct cremation, direct burial, forwarding of remains or receiving of remains because prices for those services include this charge.

FTC: "This fee for our services will be added to the cost of the funeral arrangements you selected. (This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremation, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving remains.)"

Basic arrangements: including funeral director, other staff, equipment and facilities to respond to initial request for service, the arrangement conference, securing of necessary authorizations and coordination of service plans with parties involved in the final disposition of the deceased. \$1699

Supervision (Funeral Director and Staff)

Supervision for visitation per hour	\$200
Supervision for Funeral Service	\$600
Memorial Service	\$400
Graveside Ceremony	\$300
Disinterment	\$300

Facilities

Visitation: 1st day or part thereof	N/A
2nd day or part thereof	N/A
3rd day or thereof	N/A
Funeral Service	N/A
Memorial Service without visitation	N/A

Livery

Hearse: Local within 30 miles	\$500
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\$3.50/mile thereafter

Merchandise

A complete list of Caskets and Outerburial Containers will be provided by the funeral home.

Caskets and Alternative Containers	Prices range from \$200
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To \$37,099

Outer internment receptacles (Outer Burial Containers)	Prices range from \$1,599
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To \$3,599

Urns	Prices range from \$35
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To \$1,473

Additional Services and Merchandise

Memorial Cards (100 minimum)	\$1.50
Guest Book	\$50
Hairdressing	\$150
Grave/Cemetery Equipment	\$499
Flowers	Prices range from \$101 and \$663

Limited Services

Mailing of Ashes	\$150
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Forwarding Remains to another Funeral Home: This charge includes the local transfer of the remains to the funeral home, staff charges, securing necessary authorizations, local transportation to the point of shipment, and a minimum shipping container. The charge does not include merchandise, facility use, and livery that the family may wish to select

\$1,900

Transportation beyond local point of shipment will be billed either as livery or common carrier charges depending upon the forwarding location. Local point of shipment is up to or within 30 miles.

Receiving Remains from another Funeral Home: This charge includes basic local transportation of the remains to the funeral home and/or place of local disposition, staff services, and securing necessary authorizations. The charge does not include additional items of service, merchandise, facility use, and livery that the family may wish to select

\$1,600

Transportation beyond local point of shipment will be billed either as livery or common carrier charges depending upon the forwarding location. Local point of shipment is up to or within 30 miles.

Cash Advances

Services and merchandise provided as cash advance items will be billed at the same amount paid by the funeral firm.

Cemetery or Cematory

Clergy Honoraria

Death Certificate Transcripts

Livery

Pallbearers

Public Transportation

Gratuities

Bridge and Road Tolls

Telephone and Telegraph charges