



# AFFORDABLE

FUNERAL HOME, LLC

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## *“Celebrating Life, One Family at a Time”*

We appreciate the confidence and trust you have placed in us and we pledge our Personal and Professional commitment to provide peace of mind and to serve you and your family with caring dignity and respect.

Please feel free to ask any questions that you may have regarding any services or merchandise that we offer. There may even be issues that are not specifically addressed in the *General Price List*. Please do not hesitate to inquire about these.

## GENERAL PRICE LIST

*These prices are effective as of April 5, 2024*

*(Prices are subject to change without notice)*

The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose 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 AND PERSONAL SERVICES

Transfer of Remains (Removal)	\$ 535.00
Embalming	950.00
Dressing and Casketing	250.00
Services of Funeral Director and Staff	3,250.00
	<u>\$ 4,985.00</u>

### FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

Viewing/Visitation for one evening	200.00
Funeral Ceremony	450.00
Preparation/Holding Room	150.00
Hearse	475.00
Cemetery Set Up	550.00
Acknowledgement Cards(25 to Box)	30.00
Register Book	50.00
	<u>\$ 1,905.00</u>

TOTAL SERVICE CHARGES \$ 6,890.00

### CASKETS

\$850.00 - \$10,500.00

A complete list will be provided at the funeral home

Any other charges or other additions will be brought upon requests or listed as cash advances at the time of arrangements.

# PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONAL SERVICES

## *Professional Services ... non-declinable*

***I. Services of Funeral Director & Staff.....\$3,250.00***

Our charge includes, but is not limited to : funeral counseling or arrangement conference with responsible party to determine funeral services desired; arranging and directing visitation and funeral ceremony, recording vital statistics, securing permits, filing and obtaining death certificates, other forms and claims; preparation of necessary notices, handling of and arranging flowers at funeral ceremony; observation and knowledge of all religious rites and checking with cemetery on all interment requirements and notary public service to assist with proper signing of necessary documents. This fee for our basic services will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangement you select. (This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremations, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving remains.)

***I. Embalming (Normal Cases) ..... \$950.00***

***a. Autopsy Cases ... .. \$1,300.00***

This includes preparation of remain, bathing, shaving, shampooing of hair, and minor derma surgery if needed. 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 have the right to choose an arrangement that does not require you to pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial. If we charged for embalming, we will explain.

***II. Other Preparation of Body .....\$250.00***

Includes dressing, cosmetology, casketing, minor restorative.

***III. Transfer of Remains to Funeral Home.....\$535.00***

Includes local service (within 25 miles). Additional miles outside of local service radius is \$3.00 per mile one way.

***IV. Facilities & Equipment.....\$1,705.00***

These prices consist of the itemized items listed on the first sheet dealing with the use of the Chapel for viewing or funeral purposes, delivery to the church for a funeral, use of the preparation/holding room, hearse, cemetery set up, acknowledgement cards, register book, and memorial service.

**TOTAL SERVICE CHARGE**

**\$ 5,690.00**

## SPECIAL CHARGES

**I. Immediate Burial** ..... \$2,500.00

These charges include removal of remains, transportation to a local cemetery, professional services of funeral director and staff.

**II. Direct Cremation without Urn** ..... \$1,475.00

This charge includes removal from "local home/hospital, removal to crematory, medical examiner's fee, crematory cost, cremation container, and professional services. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. The alternative container encases the body and can be made of materials like fiber board or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The cremation urn and sales tax are not included in the above price.

**III. Cemetery and Crematory** ..... varies

Cemetery and Crematory charges vary depending upon the one chosen. We will be happy to get these charges for you from the cemetery/crematory of your choice. Most cemeteries require full payment by day of burial. Cemeteries may have overtime charges for Saturday burials. Also, the cemetery may require purchaser to select and approve gravesites prior to opening the grave.

**IV. Forwarding of Remains** ..... \$ 3,250.00

This charge included removal from "local" home/hospital, coordination with receiving funeral home, embalming. This charge does not include visitation, rites or ceremonies prior to forwarding of the body. The sales tax is not included in the above price.

**V. Receiving of Remains from Another Funeral Home** ..... \$3,500.00

This charge includes temporary shelter of remains, transportation of remains to cemetery and necessary services of staff. This charge does not include visitation, funeral rites or ceremonies, outer burial container, or limousines.

**VI. Cremation with a Funeral Service** ..... \$ 5,250.00

This charge is our charge for the alternative container, preparing the paperwork for cremation, and sending and receiving of the remains to the Crematory. This charge also includes a one-day funeral and cremation casket.

**VII. Next Day Burials (re-appear)** ... .. \$535.00

CASH ADVANCES

Certified Death Certificate.....	\$9.00 for the 1st and \$7.00 each
Certified Death Certificates/Reorder Processing Fee....	\$45
Limousines .....	\$400.00 and
up Flowers (Depending on the arrangement).....	\$400.00 and
up Cemetery Set-Up .....	\$550.00 and
up Ministerial Honorarium .....	\$200.00
and up	
Consultation with Funeral Director.....	\$3,250.00
Charges of other Mortuaries .....	Service Charges
Newspaper Notices .....	\$35.00 and up
Telegrams and Telephones .....	Service Charges
Printed Programs .....	\$375.00 and up
Funeral Funding .....	10% Finance Charge and up
Funeral Funding with Cash Advance.....	15% Finance Charge and up
Opening and Closing of Grave .....	\$550.00 and up

**Storage of**

- Embalmed Remains** ..... \$100.00 a day (after 48 hours)
- Un-embalmed Remains**... \$150.00 a day (after 36 hours)

Cash advance prices are estimated and may vary depending on the agencies. Cash advances are considered as additions to the basic cost of the funeral.

**DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES**

Affordable Funeral Home makes no representations or warranties regarding outer burial containers, caskets and cremation urns listed at the funeral home. The only warranties, expressed or implied, granted in connection with the outer burial containers, caskets and cremation urns listed at the funeral home are express written warranties, if any extended by the manufacturers thereof.

*If you have any questions to any of the above polices feel free to ask the director to explain them fully.*

**WE APPRECIATE THE TRUST  
YOU HAVE PLACED IN US.**



# METHODS OF PAYMENTS

## *I. Total Funeral Billing*

We accept the following forms of payment:

- cash
- credit card (processing fees apply)
- check
- money order
- all insurance policies

We require payment of our charges as follows:

- Full payment is due 3 days prior to services rendered.
- Under extenuating circumstances, the above policies cannot be carried out, other arrangements may be made with the approval of the management.
- When transferring remains to another facility payments accepted are cash or cashier's check only.

We are not responsible for any caskets purchased by the family from any online casket store or from another facility. We recommend that the family be present when the casket is delivered.

## *II. Cash Advance Items*

These are fees or charges advanced by us on your behalf for services or certain items that are necessary in conducting a funeral service. Therefore, either payment of, or reimbursement for these fees or charges is required at the time funeral arrangements are being made or prior to the time of services.

## *III. Insurance Payments*

In all cases where insurance proceeds are to pay for the funeral expenses incurred, we ask that the beneficiary(ies) execute as irrevocable assignment of benefits at the time the funeral arrangements are being made for the amount of the insurance for the amount of the funeral bill.