

Tharp - Sontheimer Funeral Home

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General Price List

The prices in the General Price List are effective February 1, 2020 and 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.

Professional Services

Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff

\$3,995

Our fee includes, but is not limited to: staff and facilities to respond to initial request for service; consultation with the family or responsible party; coordinating service plans with cemetery, crematory and/or other parties involved in the final disposition of the deceased; and preparing and filing of required authorizations and permits. 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 and receiving remains.

Embalming

\$1,195

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.

Other Preparation of the Body

- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetology of deceased \$295
- Bathing and handling of unembalmed deceased \$500
- Refrigerated shelter of remains (It is the policy of our firm to require refrigeration of unembalmed remains after 24 hours) \$695
- Sheltering of remains \$500
- Hair dressing \$75

Facilities

Our fees include use and set-up of desired location, assistance with service events, placement of encased remains, and applicable equipment transportation.

Visitation at the Funeral Home	\$395
Visitation at another Facility Funeral	\$395
Service at the Funeral Home Funeral	\$495
Service at another Facility	\$495
Memorial Service at the Funeral Home	\$495
Memorial Service at another Facility	\$495
Graveside Service	\$495
Visitation on Day of Ceremony	\$395
Facilities for Harvesting	\$295
Tahara Room Rental	\$500
Use of Facilities for Memorial Service	\$995

When funeral home has no previous involvement.

Transportation

Fees apply within a 25 mile radius of the funeral home. Additional distance will be charged at \$3.00 per mile.

Transfer of Remains to Funeral Home	\$495
Funeral Vehicle (e.g. Hearse)	\$250
Limousine	\$255
Pallbearer vehicle	\$250
Lead vehicle	\$250
Service	\$230
Flower(s)	\$95
Transfer to or from Airport	\$295
Transportation to place of Autopsy	\$250

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Direct Cremation

\$2,495 to \$3,345

Our charges for direct cremation include: Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer of Remains to the Funeral Home, Refrigeration, Service Vehicle and Crematory Fee. Use of facilities and staff for a visitation or ceremony is not included in our fee.

1. Direct Cremation with container provided by third party \$2,350
2. Direct Cremation with cardboard provided by Tharp \$2,495
3. Direct Cremation with Blue Transporter provided by Tharp \$2,645

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 alternative containers and other cremation containers, including containers made of wood, containers made of fiberboard, and containers made of other composite materials.

Immediate Burial

\$3,420 to \$4,345

Our charges for immediate burial include: Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer of Remains to the Funeral Home, Refrigeration, Transfer of remains to cemetery or crematory, and Service Vehicle. Use of facilities and staff for visitation or services is not included in our fee.

1. Immediate Burial with container provided by the purchaser \$3,420
2. Immediate Burial with minimum casket from our facility \$4,345
3. Immediate Burial with casket from our facility (in addition to cost of the casket) \$3,350

Forwarding of Human Remains \$2,650

Our charges includes: Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer of Remains to Funeral Home, Local Airport Transportation, Embalming, and obtaining necessary authorizations. This charge applies to shipment within the continental United States only, and does not include visitation or services.

Receiving of Human Remains \$2,250

Our charge includes: Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer of Remains to Cemetery or Crematory, Transfer from Local Airport or Local Place of Shipment, Service Vehicle and obtaining necessary authorizations. This charge does not include visitation or ceremonies.

Merchandise

Caskets, Urns & Outer Burial Containers

Alternative Containers (Refer to the Casket Price List as provided at the funeral home) \$145 to \$450

Caskets (A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home) \$1295 to \$10,755

Rental Caskets (Refer to the Casket Price List as provided at the funeral home) \$1,295 to \$1,995

If you choose a funeral service where a rental casket is provided, the casket used for the funeral service may have been used in a previous funeral service. If the casket has been used in a previous funeral service, the interior lining has been replaced

Burial Containers (A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home) \$1,095 to \$15,995

Urn (A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home) \$195 to \$1,295

Flowers As Selected

Clothing As Selected

Personalization Items

6 x 20 Canvas Portrait (With 5 Portrait Cards)	\$299	Laminated Obituary (Each)	\$3
Additional 4.5x 5.75' Portrait Cards	\$25	Mailing of Cremated Remains (Excluding cost of Mailing Container)	\$125 & UP
Air Tray	\$195	Memorial Book	\$55 & UP
Catered Receptions	\$195 & UP	Memorial Package	\$195 & UP
Combination Unit	\$295	Acknowledgement Cards (per 100)	\$65 & UP
Crematory Fee	\$375	Memorial DVD	\$195
Cross/Crucifix	\$25	Prayer Cards (Per 100)	\$75 & UP
Local Delivery of Cremated Remains	\$50	Timeless Touch Silver Pendant	\$225
Flag Case	\$150 & UP	Ziegler Case	\$825
Scattering of Cremated Remains	\$195	Administrative Fee	\$200
		Velvet Cremation Bag	\$35

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