

# **GENERAL PRICE LIST**

The goods and services displayed in this booklet are those we provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. 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.

**Any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic services and overhead.**

## **SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI FUNERAL SERVICES**

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Prices, effective as of January 1, 2022 are subject to change without notice.

## MINIMUM SERVICES OF THE FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF

This fee, for our basic service and overhead, will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements selected. (This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremations, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving the remains.) 1895.00

The fee includes the following:

- Personnel available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year to respond to initial call
- Arrangement conference
- Coordinating service plans with cemetery, crematory, and/or other parties involved in the final disposition of the deceased
- Clerical assistance in the completion of various forms and permits associated with a funeral service
- Covers overhead (including facility maintenance, equipment and inventory costs), insurance and administration expenses, and governmental compliance

## PREPARATION OF THE BODY

Embalming is not required by law except in certain special cases. Embalming may be necessary, however, if certain funeral arrangements are selected, such as a funeral with viewing. If embalming is not desired, 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.

Embalming	650.00
Dressing, casketing, and/or cosmetics of deceased	350.00
Hygienic bathing and disinfecting of deceased (if no embalming)	350.00
Special care for autopsied cases	250.00
Refrigeration, per day (after 48 hours)	100.00

## USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF

Use of facilities and staff services for visitation (per day). (Our services include set up of visitation area, placement of deceased, display of floral arrangements, and supervision of and attendance during the visitation.)	450.00
Use of facilities and staff for funeral service in our chapel or other facility. (Our services include coordination of funeral arrangements, supervision of the funeral, and staff to assist with the funeral ceremony.)	450.00
Use of facilities and staff for memorial service in our chapel or other facility. (Our services include coordination of memorial service arrangements, supervision of the memorial service, and staff to assist with the service.)	450.00
Equipment and staff services for graveside service. (Our services include accompaniment of the deceased to the cemetery, supervision of graveside service, and staff to assist with the service.)	350.00
Reception only deposit (refundable)	200.00
Reception only	450.00

**Additional weekend service charge: Sat. \$400/Sun. and Holidays \$600**

## TRANSPORTATION

Transfer of deceased from place of death to funeral home (within a 50-mile radius)	475.00
• Additional distance will be charged at \$2.50 per mile.	
Use of hearse (within a 35-mile radius)	350.00
• Additional distance will be charged at \$2.50 per mile.	
Service vehicle (Flowers, courier, miscellaneous services)	300.00
Mobile County Death Certificate courier charge	150.00
Consulate courier charge (per instance)	250.00
Transportation to airport (or over land to other facility) - \$3.25 per loaded mile	

## FORWARDING REMAINS TO ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME

This charge includes removal of remains, basic service of staff, necessary authorizations, embalming, washing, dressing and cosmetics of deceased, use of facilities for viewing, service vehicle, and transportation to airport (excluding shipping charges and shipping containers). This charge does not include visitation or ceremony. This charge applies to shipping within the continental U.S. only. 3,370.00

## RECEIVING REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME

This charge includes basic service of staff, transportation to local airport or other shipping destination, and transportation of remains to cemetery or crematory. This charge does not include visitation or ceremony, or mileage to New Orleans or other airports other than Gulfport. 2420.00

## GRAVESIDE SERVICE / IMMEDIATE BURIAL

**PACKAGE INCLUDES:** Basic services of funeral director and staff, removal of deceased from place of death to funeral home within 35 mile radius, transportation to cemetery, hygienic bathing and disinfecting of deceased. Note: A brief viewing of the deceased will be provided at the Funeral Home prior to burial. We ask that the viewing be limited to **immediate family only, and a maximum of 10 people.** 3,420.00  
**PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE:** Embalming, casket, grave services, register book, outer burial container, or cash advance items such as death certificates.  
Open/close grave Mon-Fri \$1250.00, Saturday add \$400. , Sunday and Holidays, add \$600. (Add an additional \$350.00 if a vault is used).  
Our casket prices range from \$950.- \$7422.  
Our vault/outer burial container prices range from \$500 - \$3350.  
**Mississippi Certified Death Certificate charges are as follows:**  
\$17.00 for the first one, \$6.00 for each additional one ordered at the same time. Also, there is a processing fee added which is determined by the number of certificates ordered.

## DIRECT CREMATION

An alternative container may be used for a direct cremation. An alternative container encases the body and is made of materials such as fiberboard or composition materials (with or without outside covering). The containers we provide are alternative containers and other cremation containers, which are made of wood, fiberboard, or other composite materials. See descriptions below. We also offer a selection of caskets designed for cremation.

Our charges for basic cremation (without ceremony) include transfer of deceased into our care, use of the crematory, service vehicle, and minimum services of staff. This package does not include urn or keepsakes, memorialization, or cash advance items.

1. **Basic cremation** with container provided by the crematory. All such containers must meet any applicable state or crematory requirements.

2. **Simple cremation** with Madison alternative container - This includes basic fees of the funeral director and staff, transfer into our care, disinfection and washing of the deceased, dressing of the deceased, and a 30-minute immediate family viewing before cremation. This package does not include urn or keepsakes, memorialization, or cash advance items. Refer to page 11 for more details

**\*\*No substitutions, Monday through Friday\*\***

3. **Dignity Memorial Service** - This package includes basic fees of the funeral director and staff, transfer into our care, use of the crematory, alternative container for cremation, one-hour visitation at the funeral home or other facility, use of hearse (if applicable), use of service vehicle, and memorial package for service. This package does not include urn, keepsakes, or cash advance items. Refer to page 11 for more details

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4. **Loving Tribute with Cremation** - This package includes basic fees of the funeral director and staff, embalming, dressing, casketing and cosmetizing, use of the crematory, one-hour visitation, funeral service, transfer of deceased into our care, hearse (if applicable), service vehicle, Ceremonial Oak casket, and memorial package. This package does not include urn, keepsakes, or cash advance items. Refer to pg 10 for more details

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## ALTERNATIVE CONTAINERS

(Refer to the Casket Price List as provided at the funeral home.)

## CASKETS

(A complete price catalog is available at the funeral home.)

## CREMATION CONTAINERS

(Refer to the Casket Price List as provided at the funeral home.)

## OUTER BURIAL CONTAINERS

(A complete price catalog is available at the funeral home.)

## URNS

(A complete price catalog is available at the funeral home.)

Shipping charges will be added over and above the cost of urn and memorialization items

## OTHER

2170.00 -	Southern Mississippi Funeral Services Grave Care for Cremation (Monday - Friday)	250.00
5955.00	Southern Mississippi Funeral Services Grave Care for Cremation (weekend)	425.00
	Southern Mississippi Funeral Services Grave Service (Monday - Friday)	1250.00
	Southern Mississippi Funeral Services Grave Service (weekend)	1550.00
2170.00	Tent Chairs and Lowering Device Only	500.00
2995.00	Temporary Grave Marker (Included with package options)	35.00
	Use of Crematory	600.00
	Mail Fee for Cremated Remains (USPS Express and supplies)	150.00
3280.00	Memorial Package (Includes guest book, memorial folders (75) or prayer cards, and four laminated obituary)	160.00
	Additional Service Folders / Prayer Cards	60.00
5995.00	Memorial Tribute (Included with package options) (We request that the number of photos be limited to not more than 50)	150.00
<b>PHOTOS MUST BE BROUGHT IN AT LEAST 24 HRS. BEFORE SERVICE</b>		
	Limousine Services (Does not include gratuities)	450.00
	Crucifix	65.00
	Disaster Pouch	300.00
	Cremains Mailing Fee (Mainland USA)	150.00
60.00 -	Mail Fee for Death Certificates (per instance)	15.00
600.00		
500.00 -	Insurance Assignment Processing Fee	300.00
3350.00	Non-Assignment Insurance Fee: 5% of Policy	
70.00 -	Service Fee If Family Chooses Another Funeral Home After Initial Transfer	1295.00
600.00		

## PACKAGE OPTIONS

Although services may be selected from the itemized portion of the General Price List, the following list of commonly selected package services may help in selecting the appropriate arrangement.

NOTE: The following packages include only the items listed in the package. The cemetery charges, additional merchandise, and cash advance items are not included. The packages are Monday through Friday only.

## BURIAL OPTIONS

### Loving Tribute

6980.00

#### Includes:

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetizing
- Use of facility for visitation and services of the funeral director and staff in supervising visitation (includes one visitation period)
- Use of facility for funeral service and services of funeral director and staff for supervision in a facility other than funeral home
- Use of staff to conduct and arrange graveside service
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Automotive equipment: funeral coach, utility van
- 20-gauge casket (Gasketed)
- Memorial Package including DVD

#### This package does not include:

- Cash advance items
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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### Heritage Package

7730.00

#### Includes:

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetizing
- Use of facility for visitation and services of the funeral director and staff in supervising visitation (includes one visitation period)
- Use of facility for funeral service and services of funeral director and staff for supervision in a facility other than funeral home
- Use of staff to conduct and arrange graveside service
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Automotive equipment: funeral coach, utility van
- 18-gauge OR Poplar Wood casket
- Memorial Package including DVD

#### This package does not include:

- Cash advance items
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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## Legacy Package

9855.00

### Includes:

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetizing
- Use of facility for visitation and services of the funeral director and staff in supervising visitation (includes one visitation period)
- Use of facility for funeral service and services of funeral director and staff for supervision in a facility other than funeral home
- Use of staff to conduct and arrange graveside service
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Automotive equipment: funeral coach, utility van
- Stainless Steel ; 16 Gauge OR Hardwood casket
- Memorial Package including DVD

### This package does not include:

- Cash advance items
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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## Executive Package

11,980.00

### Includes:

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetizing
- Use of facility for visitation and services of the funeral director and staff in supervising visitation (includes one visitation period)
- Use of facility for funeral service and services of funeral director and staff for supervision in a facility other than funeral home
- Use of staff to conduct and arrange graveside service
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Automotive equipment: funeral coach, utility van
- Solid Copper OR Statemen Hardwood casket
- Unlined grave liner
- Memorial Package including DVD

### This package does not include:

- Cash advance items
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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## CREMATION OPTIONS

### Loving Tribute with Cremation

5990.00

**Includes:**

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Embalming
- Dressing, casketing, and cosmetizing
- Use of facility for visitation and services of the funeral director and staff in supervising visitation (includes one visitation period)
- Use of facility for funeral service and services of funeral director and staff for supervision in a facility other than funeral home
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Crematory fee
- Automotive equipment
- Ceremonial Oak casket
- Memorial Package

**This package does not include:**

- Cash advance items
- Urn (Plus shipping charges)
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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### Dignity Cremation

3760.00

**Includes:**

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Use of crematory
- Use of facility for visitation and memorial service
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Memorial Package

**This package does not include:**

- Cash advance items
- Urn (Plus shipping charges)
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Cemetery services

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### Simple Cremation

2995.00

**Includes:**

- Basic fees of funeral director and staff
- Hygienic sanitation and dressing of deceased
- Use of facility for visitation for 1 hour
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Crematory fee
- Madison Alternative Container

**This package does not include:**

- Cash advance items
- Urn (Plus shipping charges)
- Memorialization
- Cemetery services

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## **Valor (Offered for Veterans and Spouse only)**

**3985.00**

### **Includes:**

- Basic professional services of funeral director and staff
- Equipment and services of funeral director and staff for supervising and directing graveside service at **Biloxi National Cemetery**
- Removal of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home within a 35-mile radius
- Automotive equipment: funeral coach, utility van
- 20-gauge non-protective casket

### **This package does not include:**

- Cash advance items
- Outer burial container (vault)
- Memorial Register, memorial folders, and acknowledgment cards
- Visitation at the funeral home or facility
- Funeral service at the funeral home or facility

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