

Douglass Funeral Service~ 87 N. Pleasant St. Amherst, Ma. 01002 ~ (413) 253-3407

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GENERAL PRICE LIST

These prices are effective as of March 1, 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.

Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff and Overhead \$2,750.00

Our services include: conducting the arrangements conference; planning the funeral; consulting with family and clergy; shelter of remains; preparing and filing of necessary notices; obtaining necessary authorizations and permits; coordinating with the cemetery, crematory, or other third parties. 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.)

Minimum Service Charge, or Anatomical Gift..... \$800.00

Embalming \$800.00

Autopsy Embalming or Green Burial Embalming \$950.00

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; Including use of preparation room, but excluding embalming.

Refrigeration charge for unembalmed remains, per day \$50.00

Sanitary care {topical disinfection} \$250.00

Dressing, casketing, hair styling and cosmetology \$150.00

Restoration and other procedures, per hour..... \$100.00

Readjustment and repositioning following transfer \$125.00

Use of preparation room by non-funeral home staff..... \$500.00

Transfer of Remains to the Funeral Home {Within 25 Mile Radius} \$400.00

Beyond this radius we charge \$ 5.00 per mile, \$50.00/ Man.

Automotive Equipment Within 25 mile Radius, beyond this radius we charge \$ 4.00 per mile, \$50.00/Man.

Hearse \$400.00

Limousine..... \$500.00

Flower Car \$125.00

Service Vehicle..... \$125.00

Use of Facilities and Staff for Viewing at the Funeral Home

Private Family Viewing \$375.00

Visitation Immediately Prior to Funeral..... \$375.00

Two Hours Visitation \$450.00

Three Hours Visitation \$600.00

Four Hours Visitation..... \$750.00

Use of Facilities and Staff for Viewing at another Facility

Private Family Viewing \$375.00

Visitation Immediately Prior to Funeral..... \$375.00

Two Hours Visitation	\$450.00
Three Hours Visitation.....	\$600.00
Four Hours Visitation	\$750.00
Transportation, Arrangement of Flowers and Set up of Memorial Service	\$250.00
Use of Facilities and Staff for Funeral Ceremony at the Funeral Home, or Other Location.....	\$575.00
Use of Facilities and Staff for Memorial Service at the Funeral Home, or Other Location	\$575.00
Use of Equipment and Staff for Graveside Service	\$575.00
Saturday and Sunday Services, Additional	\$400.00
Sheltering of Remains per Day.....	\$50.00
Caskets, A Complete Price List Will be provided at the Funeral Home	\$995.00 to \$9,000.00
Cremation/Alternative Container	\$300.00
Outer Burial Containers, A Complete Price List Will be Provided at the Funeral Home	\$950.00 to \$9,000.00
Urns and Urn Vaults	\$35.00 to \$3,500.00
Other Merchandise	
Prayer Cards Per/100.....	\$150.00
Register Book.....	\$100.00
Register Package	\$285.00
Burial Shroud.....	\$325.00
Bronze Flag Holder	\$40.00 to \$225.00
Forwarding of Remains to another Funeral Home	
Our charge includes: basic services of funeral director and staff; a proportionate share of overhead costs; removal of remains ; Preparation of remains including embalming , and local transportation.....	
	\$3,150.00
Receiving Remains from another Funeral Home	
Our charge includes : basic services of funeral director and staff; a proportionate share of overhead costs; care of remains; transportation of remains to funeral home and to cemetery or crematory	
	\$2,650.00
Direct Cremation	
Our charge for a direct cremation (without ceremony) includes: basic services of funeral director and staff; a proportionate share of overhead costs; removal of remains; transportation to crematory; necessary authorizations 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 coverin g). The containers we provide are a combination of wood and cardboard.	
A. Direct Cremation with an Alternative Container.....	\$3,150.00
B. Direct Cremation with Container Provided by the Purchaser	\$3,125.00
C. Direct Cremation with Casket Selected from Our Funeral Home {In Addition to Cost of Casket}	\$3,125.00
Immediate Burial	
Our charge for an immediate burial (without ceremony) includes: basic services of funeral director and staff; a proportionate share of overhead costs; removal of remains; sanitary care and preparation for identification, and local transportation to cemetery .	
A. Immediate Burial with Casket Provided by the Purchaser	\$3,500.00
B. Immediate Burial with Alternative Container	\$3,500.00
C. Immediate Burial with Casket Selected From our Funeral Home {In Addition to Cost of Casket}.....	\$3,500.00