

SHALOM FUNERAL SERVICE

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GENERAL PRICE LIST

These prices are effective as of November 1, 2021 and are 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. You may keep this price list. This list is copyrighted, subject to change, and may not be reproduced in whole or part without our express permission.

Our Commitment To You

Caring, Compassionate, Competitively Priced The Obvious Choice

Shalom Funeral Service was born over a decade ago at the request of a number of prominent Rabbis in Denver. These Rabbis felt that while there were mortuaries that served the Denver Jewish community, none were truly focused on Jewish religious tradition and practices. Jewish tradition cherishes life. Nevertheless, Judaism is concerned about the honor and respect due to the deceased. (Kavod Ha-met) Jewish tradition is also vitally concerned for the mental, emotional and spiritual well-being of the living and the requirement of extending comfort to them. Shalom was created to fulfill those needs. We understand that families are very vulnerable at the time of grief and we dedicate ourselves to honorably represent the needs of your family during this very difficult time.

We invite you to visit our modern facilities, meet our staff, and compare. Our Taharah and Shomer facilities, located at 1091 South Colorado Boulevard, have been inspected and received Rabbinical Approval. We offer a full range of options to the Jewish families we are privileged to serve and we believe we offer the ideal combination of economy and quality. We are honored to be members of the Jewish Funeral Directors of America and to meet their high standards. We continue to be proud affiliates of Horan and McConaty Funeral Service, Colorado's only Funeral Service Recipient of the Colorado Ethics in Business Award. Please contact us for further information.



Professional Services

BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF\$1,510

Our charge includes, but is not limited to, staff and facilities to respond to initial requests for service 24 hours every day; consultation with the survivors; coordinating service plans with cemetery, crematory, and/or other parties involved in the final disposition of the deceased; sheltering of the deceased; consultation and assistance with procuring various death benefits; accounting and billing; regulatory compliance; legal and audit fees; postage, printing, and supplies; telephones; insurance; salaries and benefits for our staff; various county, state and federal taxes and fees. 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.

EMBALMING \$450

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. Colorado law requires that the deceased be embalmed or refrigerated if the final disposition is not achieved within 24-hours following death.

Additional Time & Materials for Autopsy \$130
Coroner's Protective Pouch \$95

OTHER PREPARATION OF THE BODY \$210

Includes cosmetology, any restorative art, hairdressing, dressing, and placement of the deceased in the casket.

Facilities

TAHARAH FACILITY AND SUPPLIES	\$160
FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR VIEWING.....	\$225
Fee is per-day (any partial or full day).	
USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR FUNERAL CEREMONY.....	\$645
USE OF EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR OFF-PREMISE CEREMONY	\$645
USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF FOR MEMORIAL CEREMONY.....	\$645
USE OF EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR GRAVESIDE CEREMONY	\$525
ADDITIONAL SERVICE	\$225
EXTENDED SERVICE	\$110

Transportation

All transportation charges contained within this list apply to an area described as the counties of Denver, Arapahoe, Jefferson, Adams, and Douglas, or within a radius of 20 miles to our nearest facility. If we exceed this service area: in addition to the basic vehicle charge which covers 40 of the total miles traveled from our facility, we will make an additional charge of \$2.00 per mile for a staffed service vehicle such as a van and \$2.25 per mile for a staffed professional vehicle such as a limousine or funeral coach. If an overnight stay is required due to the round-trip exceeding 400 miles, or, due to no fault of ours, our driver and vehicle cannot safely return the same day, there will be an additional charge of \$250 (for overtime, hotel and meal expenses) in addition to the basic staffed vehicle mileage charges.

TRANSFER OF DECEASED TO MORTUARY	\$575
EACH USE OF FUNERAL COACH	\$295
<i>Additional Time Beyond 4 Hours</i>	
	\$50/hour
EACH USE OF LIMOUSINE.....	\$295
<i>Additional Time Beyond 4 Hours</i>	
	\$50/hour
ESCORT FOR FUNERAL PROCESSION	\$190

Merchandise

CASKETS.....	\$1,295 to \$8,808
A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.	
OUTER BURIAL CONTAINER	\$1,195 to \$23,495
A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home. <i>(Some Jewish cemeteries will not allow an Outer Burial Container.)</i>	
MEMORIAL BOOK	Starting at \$75
MEMORIAL FOLDERS	Starting at \$100
ACKNOWLEDGMENT CARDS	Starting at \$45
SHIVA CANDLE (7-day).....	\$20
MUSLIN SHROUD	\$110
LINEN SHROUD	\$160
NYLON TALIS.....	\$30

This list does not include prices for certain items you may ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery services, flowers, clergy and musician honorariums, and local or out-of-town newspaper obituaries.

Other Services

REFRIGERATION OF DECEASED (per day).....	\$95
MODIFIED REFRIGERATION (for viewing/service).....	\$190
RECEPTION CENTER (see menu)	\$400
INTERNATIONAL TRANSFER FEE.....	\$500
SHIPPING (FED-EX) OF CERTIFIED DEATH CERTIFICATES	\$45
CREMATORY FEE	\$450
MAILING OF CREMATED REMAINS.....	\$150

Burial Package Options

Several discounted packages are described below. These packages must be taken in their entirety; there can be no reduction in price for any items in the packages that are not wanted or utilized. The terms of these packages are exactly as described – there can be no exceptions or substitutions.

These packages do not include other preparation of the body, limousines, cemetery expenses, newspaper notices, dry ice for more than one day, and cash advanced items (such as death certificates, Shomer fees, Taharah/Chevrah Kaddisha fees, and Rabbinical honorariums).

The TRADITIONAL CHAPEL SERVICE Package \$3,280

This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff; Facilities for Ceremony – Chapel or Off-Premises; Refrigeration of the Deceased (no embalming); Use of Taharah Facility; Transfer to Mortuary from local Place of Death; Funeral Coach and Graveside Service; Staff attention to coordination with the Chevra Kaddisha, Shomer, and Rider. Add Casket, Chevra Kaddisha, Shomer, Rider and any cash advances requested by those who arrange the service.

The TRADITIONAL GRAVESIDE SERVICE Package \$2,995

This discounted package includes Basic Service of Funeral Director and Staff; Staff Assistance with Graveside Ceremony; Refrigeration of the Deceased (no embalming); and Use of Taharah Facility; Transfer to Mortuary from local Place Of Death; Funeral Coach; Staff attention to coordination with the Chevra Kaddisha, Shomer, and Rider. Add casket, Chevra Kaddisha, Shomer, Rider and any cash advances requested by those who arrange the service.

Receiving of Remains From Another Mortuary

MINIMUM DELIVERY TO CEMETERY \$1,795

This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff (discounted to reflect already-secured Death Certificate/Disposition Permit and reduced involvement of other personnel); Transfer to Mortuary from airport or other point in the Metro area; Use of Funeral Coach or Van to a local Cemetery. Add to the fee of \$1,795 any additional services selected, such as Other Preparation, Dressing/Casketing, Viewing/Visitation, a Funeral Service at Chapel or another local facility, or Graveside Ceremony. If the forwarding arrangements to Denver are made directly by the family with a forwarding funeral director, eliminating the need for our staff to meet and coordinate any details with the family, this discounted package will be further discounted by \$175.

Forwarding of Remains To Another Mortuary

MINIMUM TRANSFER \$1,895

This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director And Staff; Dry Ice or Embalming; Transfer to Mortuary from Place of Death; and Use of Coach or Van to local point of embarkation (airline or other shipping charges not included). Other items that may apply and could be added to the billing are a Combination Shipping Container (\$160), Ziegler Liner (\$495), or Air Tray (\$140).

Immediate Burial

IMMEDIATE BURIAL \$2,095 to \$3,390

Immediate Burial is the process of arranging for burial of the unembalmed body as soon as possible, with no viewing or commemorative gathering involved. We deliver the deceased to the cemetery for burial at the time of our choosing. This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff; Transfer to Mortuary from Place of Death; and Use of Coach or Van to a local cemetery.

IMMEDIATE BURIAL WITH CASKET PROVIDED BY THE PURCHASER..... \$2,095

IMMEDIATE BURIAL WITH BASIC ALL-WOOD KOSHER CASKET..... \$3,390

Cremation

While cremation is not a traditional Halachic burial practice, we do offer cremation services. We recommend that you consult a Rabbi to answer any questions you have regarding cremation. It will be necessary to select or provide a container for the viewing and/or cremation process as well as a container for the cremated remains.

Cremation is an irreversible process. Where there is human involvement, there will always be the potential for human error. This can apply to hospital, coroner, and mortuary staffs. To be safe and sure, for your peace of mind and ours, we highly recommend a positive identification of the deceased before cremation. In our memorial service and direct cremation option, there is no embalming and only a limited time that the deceased may be transferred out of refrigeration and identified (refrigeration or embalming are required by state law 24 hours after death—CRS 12-54-111).

Cremation Service Options

It will be necessary to select or provide a container for any viewing and/or the cremation process, as well as a container for the cremated remains. We offer a wide variety of cremation caskets and alternative containers for cremation. We also offer a wide variety of distinctive and value-priced urns.

MEMORIAL SERVICE/COMMEMORATIVE GATHERING \$2,495

Cremation Without Viewing Followed By A Memorial Ceremony

This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Mortuary from place of death, Memorial Ceremony, and Crematory Fee. Add a combustible container, and the urn selected. You may also add Facilities and Staff for Viewing.

NON-CEREMONIAL CREMATION \$1,695 to \$10,503

Cremation Without Viewing Or Ceremony

This discounted package includes Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff, Transfer to Mortuary, and Crematory Fee. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made from materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The containers we provide are unlined, leak resistant and made of heavy cardboard (\$95). You may also add Facilities and Staff for Viewing.

NON-CEREMONIAL CREMATION WITH UNLINED ALTERNATIVE CONTAINER (\$95) \$1,790

NON-CEREMONIAL CREMATION WITH CONTAINER PROVIDED BY FAMILY \$1,695

NON-CEREMONIAL CREMATION WITH AN UNFINISHED WOOD BOX \$2,990

ADD any scheduled delivery of cremated remains to the cemetery or other facility* (director & vehicle) \$195

ADD any unscheduled delivery* (apprentice & vehicle) \$65

**If we are requested to assist in this manner, this charge will be added to any cremation plan you select. We waive this fee if we are involved in a funeral or memorial service.*

The Direct Cremation Options include sheltering/refrigeration for up to 4 days. We also provide a windowed room that allows you to be present for the start of the cremation process. There is a charge of \$315 to reserve the room and cover the additional time of our staff.

We can package, transport and mail cremated remains by U.S. Postal Service Express Mail anywhere in the United States. Other carriers will not accept cremated remains. Express Mail is typically an overnight delivery in the continental U.S. Because we schedule our crematory days in advance, and due in part to the time involved in meeting the legal requirements of the death certificate and disposition permit, we ask for 3-4 days following death to complete the cremation process. Let us know if this creates difficulty — we'll try our best to accommodate you.

Discounts, Financial Hardships, and Value

We encourage you to speak openly about any financial hardship you are experiencing. We take pride in serving all who call our firm, including those with financial difficulties. We work closely with county departments of human services, victim's and worker's compensation departments, and other potential sources of funding. We can make suggestions to keep your costs low. Still, we understand that there are those who need a payment plan (extended in limited circumstances and subject to credit approval) or a cost reduction in order for their needs to be met. No one has ever been turned away for a lack of money.