

GENERAL PRICE LIST

These prices are effective **October 1, 2025**, but are subject to change without notice.

PAYMENT POLICY

Our Funeral Home has established a uniform payment policy to serve all families fairly.

Please note that for all immediate cremation services, **payment in FULL** is expected within 5 days of the arrangements and prior to the cremation. For all other services, 1/2 (HALF) of the statement balance is expected at least 1 full day prior the services with the remaining balance due within 30 days.

A penalty of 8% will be charged on all accounts that extend beyond the 30 days allowed.

The following are acceptable payment options:

- o Pre-arranged funeral trust through the Hamilton Funeral Homes, *upon verification* (eg. Bank CD or Insurance Policy)
- o Cash, personal check, cashier check or money order
- o Visa, MasterCard, American Express - **For all credit card purchases above \$1000, a 3% convenience fee will be charged.**
- o Assignment of Life Insurance Benefits to the Funeral Home, *upon verification*.

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 that 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, funeral services, burial site goods, and burial site services you selected.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF.....\$3095.00*

Our basic services charge includes but is not limited to: staff to respond to initial request for service; arrangement conference with family or responsible party; preparation and filing of necessary certificates and permits; filing and obtaining death certificates; planning of funeral arrangements; coordination of service with clergy, church, musicians, cemeteries, crematory, vault companies and others as required. This fee also includes a proportionate share of our overhead costs such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, taxes, equipment and inventory expenses, maintenance, and salaries. This fee will be added to the total cost of the services you select.

EMBALMING..... \$750.00*

Except in certain special cases, embalming is not required by law. Embalming may be necessary, however, if you select certain funeral arrangements, such as 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 a direct cremation, immediate burial or where refrigeration and/or dry ice is available.

Embalming of autopsied remains or Tissue and Organ Donors (additional \$300) \$1050.00

OTHER PREPARATION OF THE DECEASED for service.....\$325.00*

Preparation and care of the body after embalming includes dressing, casketing, cosmetizing and care.

PREPARATION for closed casket or cremation (Dressing and care of the body without embalming).....\$250.00

PREPARATION for closed casket or cremation (after autopsy).....\$350.00

USE OF FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT AND STAFF FOR:

PRIVATE VIEWING of un-embalmed deceased prior to cremation w/ preparation **\$450.00-550.00**

VISITATION (2 hours)..... \$495.00

ADDITIONAL VISITATION TIME (per hour) \$100.00

FUNERAL or MEMORIAL SERVICE w/ 1 hour of visitation prior\$595.00*

LUNCH DELAY\$100.00

GRAVESIDE SERVICE ONLY\$495.00

CREMATION GRAVESIDE SERVICE for delayed, holiday or weekend burial **\$200.00**

SATURDAY SERVICE OVERTIME \$300.00

SUNDAY SERVICE OVERTIME \$400.00

DELAY OF SERVICE for delayed services over 7 days from date of death **\$200.00**

SHELTERING OF REMAINS for delayed services (cost per-day)..... **\$100.00**

AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT:

TRANSFER OF DECEASED TO FUNERAL HOME.....\$425.00*

The removal and transportation of the deceased from the place of death to our funeral chapel (within 30 mile radius). Beyond this radius we charge \$3.00/ loaded mile. **Additional \$100 for 2-person removal and/or persons over 250lbs.

HEARSE.....\$350.00*

The funeral hearse is used to transport the deceased from the place of service to the cemetery or crematory (within 30 mile radius). Beyond this radius we charge \$3.00/loaded mile.

LEAD CAR/UTILITY CAR.....\$175.00*

This vehicle is used to perform many of the services necessary to complete a funeral or memorial service, including leading the procession to the cemetery, transport clergy and/or pallbearers, transport flowers, equipment.

Total Service & Facility Charges.....\$5,715*

**Fees do not include casket, vault, death certificates, clergy, musicians, luncheon, flowers, obituaries, folders, register book, thank you cards, cemetery charges or cemetery markers*

MERCHANDISE

CASKETS (*a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home*)..... **from \$1800 to \$8950**
OUTER BURIAL CONTAINERS (*a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home*)..... **from \$2195 to \$6595**

#1 SMALL MEMORIAL Package: (Guestbook, 75 folders & 50 Thank yous) \$175.00
#2 STANDARD MEMORIAL Package: (Guestbook, 100-250 folders & 100 Thank yous)) \$350.00
#3 LARGE MEMORIAL Package: (Guestbook, 250-450 folders & 200 Thank yous) \$500.00
LARGE or TRIFOLD CUSTOM FOLDERS – (Additional \$100 to pkg 2 or \$200 to pkg 3) \$100.00-200.00
ADDITIONAL CUSTOM ACKNOWLEDGMENT CARDS after package (\$10 per 25).....\$10.00
REGISTER BOOK\$25.00
FOLDER SETUP FEE (when initial services were not handled by the funeral home) **\$100.00**
SALES TAX on memorial merchandise (included in packages) 7.375 %
VIDEO SLIDESHOW \$125.00

CASH ADVANCE ITEMS

These items are not funeral home charges, but for your convenience, may be added to the statement of funeral goods and services. This list is not all inclusive.

CERTIFIED COPIES OF THE DEATH CERTIFICATE.....\$13 for the first copy, \$6 for each additional copy

HONORARIUMS (suggested) Minister.....\$150.00-\$300.00
Soloist..... \$50-\$150.00
Organist..... \$100.00-\$150.00
Luncheon..... \$1.00-\$25.00
Custodial fee at some churches..... \$25-\$200
Sound System fee at some churches..... \$25-\$100

FACILITY FEES: some churches/facilities charge a rental fee for non-members.

FUNERAL CELEBRANT FEE.....\$250.00+

CEMETERY CHARGES **Grave Digging.....\$250-\$1025**
Overtime Charges for weekends and holiday..... \$50-\$950
Purchase graves—Prices vary depending on cemetery
Interment and staking fees—Prices vary depending on cemetery

CEMETERY MARKERSfrom \$1205 to \$5500.00+

Cement Border..... \$250 to \$450

Delivery & Placement of Marker.....\$100.00

Staking Fee for a Marker.....\$20-\$100

Final Dates on existing marker.....\$325-450

Final Dates on Bronze Plate\$525-700

FLOWERS—You may choose to order your own flowers at a local florist.

OBITUARY— Local papers charge for obituary notices. Minneapolis and St. Paul newspapers charge per printed line.

OTHER SERVICES

FORWARDING REMAINS TO ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME.....\$2775.00

This charge includes basic services of funeral provider and staff, a proportionate share of overhead costs, transfer of remains to funeral establishment within a 30 mile radius, embalming and preparation of remains, and local transportation. This fee does not include additional transportation such as airfare or transportation containers such as air trays or caskets. (*Basic Services \$1600 +Embalming \$750+Transfer \$425*)

RECEIVING REMAINS FROM ANOTHER FUNERAL HOME.....\$3140.00

This charge includes temporary shelter of the remains, transportation of remains to a local cemetery and necessary professional services of the staff, equipment & facilities. This charge does not include a visitation, funeral ceremonies, or any cash advances. (*Basic Services \$2195 +Airport Transfer \$595+ Hearse \$350*)

IMMEDIATE BURIALfrom \$3865 to 10,000.00+

This charge includes removal and shelter of remains, transportation to the local cemetery, basic services of staff and authorizations. (*Basic Services \$2595+Transfer \$425 + Hearse \$350 + Graveside \$495. "Does not include any cash advance items".*)

Immediate Burial w/container provided by consumer.....\$3865.00

Immediate Burial w/ cloth covered casket.....\$5665.00

COUNTY ASSISTANCE POLICY

Please inform our funeral home at the time the death occurs if you require county assistance. Confirmation from the county worker as to eligibility is required prior to the arrangement conference. This will ensure that we can help families make decisions that will correspond with the assistance being granted. Each county establishes a policy outlining what service will be allowed. We reserve the right to refuse county assisted services.

CREMATION SERVICES

*Minnesota law does not require you to purchase a casket for cremation. If you want to arrange a direct cremation without a casket, you must use an alternative container provided by the funeral home or you can provide your own. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without outside covering).
The containers we provide are cardboard or wood.

FULL FUNERAL SERVICE followed by CREMATION: funeral service and visitation with body present, with cremation done after the service. Includes: services of Funeral Director and staff, use of facilities & equipment, transfer of deceased to facility, embalming, other preparation, visitation, funeral service, and automotive equipment.

See service details from page 1.....	\$6210
Crematory Fee & Authorization.....	\$ 575
*Oak Rental Casket.....	\$1550
*Cremation Caskets.....	\$1800-\$3105

TOTAL: \$8335-\$9890

*Fees do not include cremation urn, death certificates, gratuity for clergy, musicians, luncheon, flowers, obituaries, folders, register book, thank you cards, cemetery charges or cemetery markers.

CREMATION with MEMORIAL SERVICE: No public viewing. Cremation is done prior to service. Includes: services of Funeral Director and staff, transfer of deceased to facility, alternative container, crematory charge, memorial service, and automotive equipment.

Services of Funeral Director and Staff.....	\$3095
Transfer of Deceased.....	\$ 425
Memorial Service.....	\$ 595
Service Vehicles (Hearse).....	\$ 350
Alternative Container.....	\$ 110
Crematory Fee & Authorization.....	\$ 575

TOTAL: \$5150

****FEES DO NOT** include embalming, cremation urn, death certificates, gratuity for clergy, musicians, luncheon, flowers, obituaries, folders, register book, thank you cards, cemetery charges or cemetery markers.

****DIRECT CREMATION - OPTION 2:**

Immediate cremation with no public viewing, professional assistance in filing of the required legal documents, **assistance with obituaries and public notifications** (obituary costs itemized separately). Funeral Home staff and equipment are not present at service or burial.

Services of Funeral Director and Staff.....	\$2595
Transfer of Deceased.....	\$ 425
Alternative Container.....	\$ 110
Crematory Fee & Authorization.....	\$ 575

TOTAL: \$3705

****DIRECT CREMATION - OPTION 1:**

Immediate Cremation with no public viewing, **professional assistance in filing of the required legal documents only.** Funeral Home and staff are not involved in arranging any service or burial details. ** See notice below.

Services of Funeral Director and Staff.....	\$2195
Transfer of Deceased.....	\$ 425
Alternative Container.....	\$ 110
Crematory Fee & Authorization.....	\$ 575

TOTAL: \$3305

1.B Immediate Cremation with alternative container provided by family..... **TOTAL: \$3195**

1.C Immediate Cremation with combustible casket purchased from Funeral Home..... **TOTAL: \$4995-\$6295**

**** FEES FOR DIRECT CREMATION OPTIONS DO NOT** include embalming, visitation or funeral services; or other goods such as cremation urn, cost of death certificates, gratuity for clergy, musicians, luncheon, flowers, obituaries, folders, register book, thank you cards, cemetery charges or cemetery markers.

ALTERNATIVE CONTAINERS (a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home):	\$110
OVERSIZED ALTERNATIVE CONTAINER	\$295
ADDITIONAL CREMATION CHARGE FOR OVER 300 POUNDS	\$200+
CREMATION CASKETS (a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home):	\$1800 to \$3100
RENTAL CREMATION CASKET (Solid Wood- Oak).....	\$1550

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 either replaced or thoroughly cleaned.

CREMATION URNS (a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home)..... **from \$75 to \$625**

FILLING CREMATION URNS or JEWELRY (not provided by the funeral home)..... **\$25** for 1-3 pieces **\$50** for 4-8 **\$100** for 8+

URN VAULTS (a complete price list will be provided at the funeral home)..... **from \$155 to \$1945**

CREMATION GRAVESIDE SERVICE for families we have not previously served (staff present at graveside)..... **\$650.00**



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Akkerman Chapel - 825 S Union Street - Mora, MN 55051 - 320-679-1933

Rock Chapel - 120 S Broadway Ave - PO Box 168 - Braham, MN 55006 - 320-396-2121

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We offer this information to ensure that the families we serve understand the cost of providing our services. Any service that is selected will include a charge for our basic services of Funeral Director and Staff.



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While we acknowledge that we cannot take the pain away, with our guidance and assistance, we hope to make your journey a little easier. We are humbled by the privilege to serve you and appreciate your confidence.