

**PUBLIC NOTICE:**

**Ott & Lee Funeral Home** will follow Current Guidelines during the Coronavirus Crisis Observing **All Guidelines Set forth by The State of Mississippi.**

**Gatherings of no more than 10 people will be allowed in building. This is being implemented for the protection of the families we serve.**

*Your patience and understanding are appreciated during this time.*

**The staff of Ott & Lee Funeral Home will continue to serve families with dignity, respect and compassion, as has been our practice since 1934. If you have questions or concerns, please ask a staff member or call us at (601) 469-3412.**

To our valued families and community that we serve, we want to inform you of the steps we are taking in response to the new Corona Virus "Covid-19" to keep you and our employees safe.

To the funeral industry, on March 24, 2020, the Governor mandated **NO MORE THAN 10 PEOPLE IN THE BUILDING DURING A FUNERAL OR VISITATION** slow the spread of and help limit all of our exposure to COVID-19 and we feel it a prudent course of action to follow his recommendations.

The recommendations are subject to change as new information and CDC guidelines become available. In the event local, state or federal mandates are issued we will abide by the mandatory guidelines.

Any large events and mass gatherings, the Governor of the State of Mississippi recommends that, organizers to cancel or postpone in-person events that consist of 10 people or more throughout the State.

The CDC and the State of Mississippi has also recommended that all people practice social distancing, self-quarantine measures and good hand washing hygiene frequently.

To help accomplish these measures, we are making the following recommendations to the families we serve.

- We recommend that funeral arrangement conferences be attended by only 3 essential family members.
- We recommend that family members who may have been in contact with COVID-19 or are sick not attend arrangement conferences, visitations or services.
- We recommend that all funeral visitations be held 1 or 2 hours prior to the service and that both visitation and funeral service be attended only by members of the deceased family not consisting of more than 10 people.
- With the family's permission, and where available, we will begin posting the funeral service (that has been previously recorded) to our website.

If you have any questions or need assistance please do not hesitate to contact us at 601-824-6018.