

Serenity Mortuary Services, Inc.
2514 South 6th Ave, Phoenix, Arizona 85003
Authorization For Cremation and Disposition

The Mortuary ("Funeral Home") in charge of the arrangements is: At Seasons End Mortuary

I/we hereby certify that I/We have full legal authority as per ARS 36-831(A) to authorize the cremation, processing, and disposition of the cremated remains of the deceased _____.

Who died on the _____ day of _____, 20 _____, and I/we hereby authorize and direct Serenity Mortuary Services (The Crematory) to take possession of, cremate, process and make disposition of the remains of the deceased in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this authorization, the crematory's rules and regulations according to any applicable state or local laws, rules and regulations.

1. I/we hereby certify and represent that the remains delivered for cremation are those of the person named above.
2. I/we understand that Serenity Mortuary Services Inc. cannot be held responsible for any improper disposition made by the funeral home and that any damages shall not exceed the fee paid. I/we agree to release and indemnify and hold harmless Serenity Mortuary Services, its affiliates their agents and employees from all liability of whatsoever kind (except for willful or intentional misconduct) or claim therefore, for whatsoever they, or any of them, may do by virtue hereof.
3. The deceased's remains will not be accepted unless they are in a suitable rigid leak proof container approved by the crematory.
4. I/we understand that due to the nature of the cremation process any valuable material such as jewelry or dental gold will either be destroyed and not be recoverable. 5. I/we understand that any personal possessions of the deceased have been removed from the decedent by the contracted funeral home or it will be destroyed. (The crematory will not be held liable for any property not removed before the decedent is delivered for cremation.)
6. I/we understand that the cremated remains are bone fragments which will be processed to permit their placement in an urn or other container.
7. If permanent arrangements for final disposition of the cremated remains are to be carried out by the undersigned or their duly authorized representative and have not been completed within 90 days after date of their availability for final disposition, I/We authorize the crematory or funeral home in charge to dispose of the cremated remains in any manner it may deem suitable.

Initial _____

The decedent does _____ does not _____ contain battery operated mechanical devices implanted in the deceased, In the event the decedent does contain such device it must be removed by the contracted funeral home.

To avoid any confusion or misunderstanding the person/people listed are hereby authorized to receive and make final disposition of the cremated remains:

Unless previously authorized by the decedent, in accordance to ARS 36-831(A) no cremation may take place without written authorization from the immediate of next kin to the deceased or their legal representative. The immediate next of kin is the person or persons described below in the following order.

(IF THERE ARE MULTIPLE PEOPLE IN THESE CATAGORIES ALL RESPONSIBLE MUST SIGN)

- A) Surviving Spouse; B) Adult Children; C) Parent(s); D) Adult Sibling(s); E) Adult Grandchildren; F) Grandparent(S)
G) An adult who exhibited special care and concern for the dead person; H) The Guardian at the time of death

Print _____ Sign _____ Relationship _____

Witness _____ Witness Relationship _____ Date _____

The Cremation Process disclosure below MUST be initialed.

Cremation is performed by placing the deceased in a casket or other container and then placing the casket or container into a cremation chamber or retort, where they are subjected to intense heat and flame. Through the use of suitable fuel, incineration of the container and contents is accomplished by raising the temperature to approximately 1600 degrees Fahrenheit. Due to the nature of the cremation process any personal possessions or valuable materials, such as dental gold or jewelry (as well as any body prostheses or dental bridgework), that are left with the decedent and not removed from the casket or container prior to cremation will be destroyed or will otherwise not be recoverable. As the casket or container will not be opened by Crematory (to remove valuables, to allow for final viewing or for any other reason), the Authorized Agent understands that arrangements must be made with the funeral home to remove any such possessions or valuables prior to the time that the decedent is transported to crematory. The cremated remains are swept or raked from the cremation chamber to follow with a cooling process before processing of the bones can be completed. The crematory makes a reasonable effort to remove all the cremated remains from the cremation chamber, but it is impossible to remove all of them, as some dust and other residue from the process are always left behind. In addition, while every effort will be made to avoid co-mingling, inadvertent or incidental co-mingling of minute particles of cremated remains from the previous cremations is a possibility, and the Authorized Agent understands and accepts this fact. After the cremated remains are removed from the cremation chamber, all non-combustible materials such as bridgework, materials from the casket or container, such as hinges, latches, nails, etc., which contain some bone particles or other human residue will be removed and all metal will be disposed of by crematory with similar materials from other cremations in a non-recoverable manner, so that only human bone fragments will remain. When the cremated remains are removed from the cremation chamber they will then be mechanically processed (pulverized), which includes crushing or grinding and incidental co-mingling of the remains with residue from the processing of previously cremated remains, into granulated particles of unidentifiable dimensions, virtually unrecognizable as human remains prior to placement into designated container.

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