

DESERT MEMORIAL

CREMATION & BURIAL

WITNESSED CREMATION DISCLOSURES & CERTIFICATIONS

Cremation of: _____ .

A Witnessed Cremation is designed as an opportunity for the next of kin to positively identify their loved one prior to cremation. ***It is not a replacement for a formal visitation or viewing period.*** The decedent is placed in a rigid Cremation Container or, if purchased by the family, a Cremation Casket. With that in mind, please note the following information:

Most states require that the decedent either be embalmed or placed under refrigeration within 24 hours of death.

When embalming has not been elected by the family, there are always limitations to presentation of your loved one in the best possible way. Limitations may include discolorations that cannot be removed, fluid leakage or odors that cannot be managed, controlled, or contained. For that reason, regular dressing, cosmetics, hair styling, and removal of facial hair ***will not be completed.***

ALL WITNESSED CREMATIONS ARE HELD AT A SCHEDULED TIME AND ARE LIMITED TO 10 PEOPLE AND A MAXIMUM TIME OF 30 MINUTES. LIST BELOW THE TEN (10) PEOPLE WHO WILL ATTEND:

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| 1) _____ | 2) _____ |
| 3) _____ | 4) _____ |
| 5) _____ | 6) _____ |
| 7) _____ | 8) _____ |
| 9) _____ | 10) _____ |

I have read and fully understand this disclosure statement. I assume full responsibility for complying with its limitations. I understand that witnessing a cremation may be emotionally and physically stressful. I agree to hold the funeral home harmless and indemnify it from all liability, including all reasonable attorneys' fees as a result of this viewing.

Signature of Next of Kin Authorizing Witnessed Cremation Date

Signature of Funeral Arranger

Date

Date of Cremation

Time of Cremation