

# GENERAL PRICE LIST

\*Required by Federal Trade Commission for *all* funeral homes to offer to families\*

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This General Price List (GPL) may be viewed at [www.RobertMassie.com](http://www.RobertMassie.com) .

*Family-Owned for over 111 years*  
*Feb. 28, 1906 – Present*

*Serving the families of San Angelo*  
*and the surrounding area*  
*since 1906.*



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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.

**Professional Services**

**BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL**

**DIRECTORS AND STAFF .....\$3,575.00 C G**

Our fee for the services of funeral director and staff includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service, arrangement conference with family or responsible parties, arrangement of funeral, preparation and filing of necessary authorizations and permits, recording vital statistics, preparation and placement of obituary notices, and coordination with those providing other portions of the funeral, e.g. cemetery, crematory, vault companies and others as required. Also included in the charge are overhead expenses relative to our facility such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, secretarial and administrative cost, and equipment and inventory expenses.

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 cremation, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving remains.)

**EMBALMING .....\$ 645.00 C G**

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.

Embalming is a chemical process which provides temporary preservation of the body and eliminates health hazards; therefore, it is a policy of this funeral home that remains be embalmed or refrigerated if held over 24 hours after death. This is for the protection this facility, the general public, and our employees.

**OTHER PREPARATION OF THE BODY**

- (A) Dressing and casketing.....\$ 125.00 C G**
- (B) Special care for autopsied remains .....\$ 200.00**
- (C) Organ donation care .....\$ 200.00**
- (D) Washing & disinfecting remains, when no embalming .....\$ 275.00**
- (E) Refrigeration per day .....\$ 275.00**
- (F) Refrigeration three days.....\$ 835.00**
- (G) Temporary Shelter of remains per day .....\$ 125.00**

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**Facilities and Equipment**

**USE OF FACILITIES & STAFF FOR:**

VISITATION (per DAY) .....	\$ 125.00 C G
CHAPEL SERVICE .....	\$ 125.00 C*
FUNERAL SERVICE AT OTHER FACILITY (Church & Etc.) .....	\$ 125.00 C*
MEMORIAL SERVICE IN CHAPEL OR OTHER FACILITY ..	\$ 125.00 C*
ROSARY OR PRAYER SERVICE .....	\$ 125.00
EQUIPMENT & STAFF FOR GRAVESIDE SERVICE .....	\$ 125.00 G
COMMITTAL CEREMONY .....	\$ 00.00
TRANSFER OF YOUR LOVED ONE TO FUNERAL HOME .....	\$ 565.00 C G
(WITHIN 90 MILE RADIUS)	

(C\* = Choice on one of these three locations for Ceremonial Service)

**Automotive Equipment**

USE OF FUNERAL COACH .....	\$ 465.00 C G
USE OF PALLBEARER LIMOUSINE .....	\$ 125.00 C
USE OF FAMILY LIMOUSINE and Driver .....	\$ 125.00
USE OF FLOWER CAR (local cemetery).....	\$ 75.00
USE OF FLOWER CAR (within 90 mile radius) .....	\$ 150.00
USE OF SERVICE VEHICLE/SUBURBAN .....	\$ 375.00
TRANSPORTATION MILEAGE CHARGES (one way, per vehicle) ..	\$ 2.50 per mile
Add additional mileage charges outside 90 mile service radius.	

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**Additional Services**

**Forwarding of Remains to another Funeral Firm**

This charge includes removal of remains, necessary authorizations and basic services of staff and embalming. This charge does not include cash advance items, visitation, rites or ceremonies prior to forwarding of the body.

- (A) With minimum shipping container.....\$5,060.00**
- (B) With casket selected from our funeral home, (in addition to the cost of the Casket) .....\$5,660.00**
- (C) Air Tray or Combo Unit.....\$ 275.00**

**Receiving of Remains from another Funeral Home .....\$4,165.00**

This charge includes temporary shelter of the remains, transportation of remains to cemetery and basic services of staff. This charge does not include embalming, transportation from common carrier; cash advance items, visitation, rites or ceremonies.

**Immediate Burial.....\$4,730.00**

The charge for an immediate burial includes removal of remains, local transportation to the cemetery, necessary authorizations and basic services of staff. This charge does not include the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to burial.

- (A) With casket provided by purchaser.....\$4,730.00**
- (B) With minimum casket selected from our funeral home.....\$5,480.00**
- (C) With casket selected from our funeral (in addition to the cost of the Casket) .....\$4,730.00**

**Direct Cremations .....\$2,145.00**

The charge for a direct cremation includes removal of remains, local transportation to crematory, necessary authorizations and basic services of the staff. This charge does not include the crematory fee or the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to the cremation. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition material (with or without an outside covering). The containers we provide are made of cardboard.

- (A) With container provided by purchaser .....\$2,145.00**
- (B) With alternative container .....\$2,240.00**
- (C) With minimum casket selected from our funeral home .....\$2,895.00**
- (D) Viewing Fee (for other than ID purposes).....\$ 125.00**

Please note that viewing for identification purposes only is allowed in direct cremations. There will be an additional fee for any other viewing arrangements including but not limited to the purchase of a cremation container suitable for viewing.

**Medical/Body Donation .....\$1,875.00**

The charge for a direct donation includes removal of remains, embalming of deceased, necessary authorizations, and basic services of the staff. This charge does not include the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to the donation.

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**TRADITIONAL SERVICE CHARGES**

(These are totals of C or G marked items on Pg. 3 & 4)  
These Service Charges include our Good Stationery Package (Pg. 7) at no charge.

<b>Ceremony (or Memorial) at Chapel or Church .....</b>	<b>\$ 5,750.00 C</b>
Includes a Pallbearer Limo, but <b>does not</b> include a Family Limo.	
<b>Graveside .....</b>	<b>\$ 5,625.00 G</b>
<b>Does not</b> include a Family or Pallbearer Limo.	

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**CASKET PRICE LIST**

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Robert Massie Funeral Home’s mission is to provide a meaningful experience through services, therefore all casket prices are wholesale cost, taxes, shipping, and a minimal markup.

Casket Price Range \$750.00 - \$11,245.00  
(A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home,  
or may be viewed at [www.RobertMassie.com](http://www.RobertMassie.com) .)

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Urn Price Range \$115.00 - \$3,863.00  
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**Alternative Containers Price List**

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- 1. Air Tray (Meets Airline Requirements for Human Remains and or Caskets) .....\$ 275.00
- 2. Minimum Alternative Container, Cremation Tray, No Interior .....\$ 95.00

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**Merchandise Price List**

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- 1. Premium Stationery Package .....\$ 365.00  
(Includes: 1 Register Book, 100 Tri-Fold Programs, 50 Acknowledgement Cards with Envelopes, 1 Life Journey Candle, 1 Tribute Video, and 4 Bookmarks)
- 2. Standard Stationery Package.....\$ 265.00  
(Includes: 1 Register Book, 100 Memorial Folder Programs, 50 Acknowledgement Cards with Envelopes, 1 Life Journey Candle, 1 Tribute Video, and 4 Bookmarks)
- 3. Good Stationery Package .....\$ 165.00 C G  
(Includes: 1 Register Book, 100 Memorial Folder Programs, and 50 Acknowledgement Cards with Envelopes)
- 4. Additional Life Journey Celebration Candles .....\$ 35.00
- 5. Additional Laminated Obituary Bookmarkers (4) .....\$ 20.00
- 6. Additional Tribute Video copy .....\$ 20.00
- 7. Casket Insert Panel (Velvet) .....\$ 493.00
- 8. Casket Insert Panel (Crepe) .....\$ 220.00
- 9. Woven Tribute Tapestry .....\$ 150.00
- 10. Keepsakes Fingerprint Jewelry .....\$ \*\*\*  
(Price varies with the daily fluctuations in the International Metals Market.)
- 11. Lifestyles Memorial Keepsake (engraved medallion) .....\$ 25.00
- 12. Life Stories Memorial Keepsake (Sterling Silver bead) .....\$ 225.00
- 13. Crucifix (Standard, Goldtone or Silvertone).....\$ 25.00
- 14. Crucifix (Goldtone on Wood, Magnetic Mounts by Batesville).....\$ 100.00

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**OUTER BURIAL CONTAINER PRICE LIST**

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State or local law does not require that you buy a container to surround the casket in the grave. However, many cemeteries require that you have such a container so that the grave will not sink in. Either a grave liner or burial vault will satisfy these requirements.

Wilbert Concrete/Bronze Liner over ABS Trilon Liner (Bronze Triune) .....	\$ 3,750.00
Wilbert Concrete/Copper Liner over ABS Trilon Liner (Copper Triune).....	\$ 3,450.00
Wilbert Concrete/Stainless Steel Liner (Cameo Rose) Burial Vault .....	\$ 2,550.00
Wilbert Concrete/Stainless Steel Liner (SST Triune) Burial Vault.....	\$ 2,550.00
Wilbert Concrete/ABS Marbelon Liner (Venetian) Burial Vault.....	\$ 2,000.00
Wilbert Concrete/Strentex Liner (Continental) Burial Vault.....	\$ 1,500.00
Wilbert Concrete/Strentex Liner (Monticello) Burial Vault.....	\$ 1,000.00
12 ga. Steel Standard Galvanized Clark Vault.....	\$ 1,325.00
12 ga. Steel Century Vault .....	\$ 950.00
Concrete Air-Seal Vault.....	\$ 1,100.00
Concrete Box (no liner) .....	\$ 750.00

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**URN VAULT PRICE LIST**

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State or local law does not require that you buy a container to surround the urn in the grave. However, many cemeteries require that you have such a container so that the grave will not sink in. Either a grave liner or burial vault will satisfy these requirements.

1. Charleston Urn Vault – Composite & Bronze.....\$ 638.00
2. Pebblecove Urn Vault - Composite.....\$ 472.00
3. Vanderbur Urn Vault – Cultured Marble .....

**DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES:** Robert Massie Funeral Home makes no representations or warranties regarding the caskets, outer burial containers, and/or urn vaults listed above. The only warranties expressed or implied granted in connection with the caskets/outer burial containers are the express written warranties, if any, extended by the manufacturers thereof. Robert Massie Funeral Home hereby expressly disclaims all warranties, expressed or implied, relating to the caskets/outer burial containers, including, but not limited to, the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose.



## **Cremation Service Packages**

All cremation packages include professional services of funeral directors and staff, transfer of deceased, funeral coach, cremation casket/container, urn, crematory fee and package discount.

### **Full Services with Cremation:**

(Simply a full funeral followed by cremation rather than burial. Not a “package”.)  
A personalized life commemoration with both a set visitation time and planned ceremonial event with the deceased present at both events.

**\$ 6,075.00** – Plus Casket and Urn Selections

### **Viewing and Visitation with Cremation:**

A set time with the deceased prepared and present for family and friends to visit; share memories and show support prior to the cremation.

**\$ 4,515.00\*\*** – Plus Casket and Urn Selections

### **Cremation with Memorial Services:**

A personalized life commemoration with following the cremation. There is no public viewing of the deceased. The urn selected containing the deceased’s remains may or may not be present for the Memorial Service.

**\$ 3,515.00\*\*** – Plus Urn Selection

### **Direct Cremation:**

No visitation, no ceremony – merely the safe and sanitary disposition of your loved one’s human remains with no added ceremonies or gatherings.  
(Includes Minimum Alternative Container)

**\$ 2,515.00\*\*** – Plus Urn Selection

\*No refund or credit will be issued for the package sale goods of services which remain unused by the customer at the time of need.

\*\* Includes reduced Service Charge and/or Package Discount with lessened demands on staff and facilities.

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**CASH ADVANCE ITEMS:**

These are items associated with the cost of a funeral, but are not the funeral home charges and are subject to change without notice. At-need, these charges may be paid by the family at the place of services. Pre-need, these items cannot be “locked down” on prearrangements; however, they may be funded at today’s prices with any future increases adjusted and paid by the family at time of death. These are the current prices for services of other providers to the best of our knowledge as of this date: **August 1, 2017.**

**Cemetery Opening & Closing:** (*Charges shown in italics MUST be paid directly to the cemetery providing the service.*)

<i>Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens (outer burial container required)*</i> .....	\$1,720.00*
<i>Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens (overtime fee past 3:00pm M-F)</i> .....	\$ 500.00
<i>Calvary (no outer burial container required)* (Same charges as Lawnhaven)</i> .....	\$1,595.00*
<i>Belvedere/Pioneer (outer burial container required at Pioneer)*</i> .....	\$1,195.00 (M-F)*
<i>Saturday Morning Graveside</i> .....	\$1,345.00*
<i>Saturday Morning Church/Chapel (Includes \$300.00 Overtime)</i> .....	\$1,645.00*
Fairmount (outer burial container required).....	\$1,250.00 (M-F)
Overtime .....	\$ 325.00/Hr.
Digger Cemetery Services .....	\$1,195.00
H and H Cemetery Services .....	\$1,195.00
Delta Memorial Park (Space and monument).....	\$ 850.00
Delta Memorial Park (no outer burial container required).....	\$1,195.00
Hairdresser .....	\$35.00
Certified Copy of the Death Certificate (State Mandated).....	\$20.00 +
5 certificates: \$32.00 / 10 certificates: \$47.00 .....	\$3.00 each additional
Standard Times Newspaper Pending Notice.....	No Charge
Standard Times Newspaper Death Notice .....	No Charge
Standard Times Newspaper Obituary (one day with photo) .....	\$250.00 Average
Standard Times Newspaper Obituary (two days with photo) .....	\$375.00 Average
Motorcycle Escorts .....	\$500.00 Two Stops
Motorcycle Escorts .....	\$600.00 Three Stops
Honorariums for Rosary/Mass/Minister .....	\$200.00 & up suggested
Honorariums for Musicians/Singers/Organist .....	\$100.00 & up suggested
Family Casket Spray (varies with floral provider and type of flowers chosen).....	\$500.00 and up
Airline Transportation Charges (varies with destination and carrier).....	\$600.00 Average
Transportation mileage charges (loaded miles only) .....	\$2.50 per mile
Crematory weekday .....	\$325.00
Crematory oversize (300lbs to 400lbs. Limit 400lbs).....	\$400.00
(This includes delivery of cremated remains to funeral home. Shipping to another address will cost more.)	

## **We respectfully ask that all bills be paid in full at the completion of the arrangement conference.**

For your convenience, we accept the following methods of payment at-need: Cash, Check, or Credit Cards. We accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover.

### ***CASH ADVANCE ITEMS:***

For your convenience, we regularly coordinate with third party providers on a family's behalf to arrange products and services such as newspaper notices and obituaries, flowers, police escort, and death certificates, etc. These third-party costs are associated with a funeral but not provided by our funeral home. When these cash advance items are included as part of the funeral contract, payment for such services **MUST** be made prior to services being rendered.

### ***INSURANCE POLICIES:***

Life insurance policies may be used as a payment method if the insurance benefit is able to be assigned to the funeral home. Bring your loved one's policy information to the arrangement conference so we may review the policy. First, we will verify that the policy benefits exist and that the benefits may be assigned. If the policy benefits cannot be assigned (such as in the case with state and federal policies) we cannot accept it as a payment method. A policy with "Estate" as the beneficiary cannot be accepted since it is subject to Probate. Please note: life insurance assignment incurs a processing fee charged by a third party on the assignable amount, plus any service fee imposed by the processor for each policy processed, which is usually deducted from the policy benefits.

### ***BANK ACCOUNT FUNDS:***

If payment is made from a bank account of the deceased, most banks will issue a cashier's check payable to the funeral home (even before a death certificate has been issued by The State) upon the presentation of a copy of the Statement of Goods and Services from the funeral home by the next-of-kin to the bank.

- **Loan Option:** In most cases, banks will advance a loan to a responsible borrower with adequate collateral or credit. If you have a life insurance policy that is a state or federal policy, or a policy with an "Estate" designated as the beneficiary, you may be able to use these policies as collateral. Talk to your local banker about your options.

### ***PREARRANGEMENT POLICIES:***

At-need, any local, and many out-of-town, funeral home prearrangement plans are welcomed at our funeral home. We will review your prearrangement contract with another funeral home at no extra cost and advise you of any pending balance or lapse that may have occurred without your knowledge. Any costs that are not covered by the prearrangement plan will be the responsibility of the family and **MUST** be paid prior to services being rendered.

#### **Prearrangements – Change of Funeral Home Provider (Pre-Need):**

It's not a funeral home's pre-need, it's your pre-need. All pre-arranged funeral plans may be transferred to whichever funeral home you choose.

#### **New Prearrangements:**

We encourage everyone to *PREARRANGE* and fund their funeral needs *WELL IN ADVANCE* of illness or advanced age to avoid the stress and uncertainty of any financial burden an unexpected death might impose upon their surviving family.

Prearranging is intended to be a long-term planning tool. Although, even those prearrangement plans set when death is imminent or when your days seem numbered can benefit your surviving family as well.

Prearrangement Payment Options include: Cash, Check Credit/Debit Card, Monthly/Semi-Annual/Annual Installments with or without Insurance Protection.

To quote the Boy Scout and Girl Scout Mottos, "BE PREPARED."

***It is better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it.***