

# General Price List- California Cremation Society LIC. #FD 1271

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Effective date 04/01/2012 - Prices subject to change without prior notice.

## Statement of Services

**Professional Services** ..... \$395.00  
Non-declinable services of staff includes, but is not limited to: staff to respond to initial request for service; arrangement and conference with family or responsible party; preparation of necessary authorizations and permits; including coordination with those providing other portions of requirements, i.e., crematory, transportation services. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses, secretarial and administrative costs, and equipment and inventory expenses.

**Transportation** ..... \$300.00  
Includes removal from place of death locally. Other areas will be quoted depending on distance.

**NOTE: There is a \$50 additional charge for evening, weekend and holiday removals.**

**Alternative Cremation Container Basic** ..... \$25.00  
(Sales tax not included) Cremation container special needs \$150.00\*\*

**Cremation and Refrigeration\*** ..... \$75.00  
A few days will elapse from the time of death until cremation is completed. This time span necessitates a refrigerated holding facility, thus eliminating the need and cost of embalming.

**Total Basic Cremation Cost \$795.00**  
(Plus Disposition)

## Disposition - You Must Choose One!

**Deliver to Sea** ..... \$100.00  
By boat and a memorial certificate stating the day of delivery to sea. (Transport containers are reused for the transportation of cremated remains from the crematory for delivery at sea.)

**Return to Family** ..... \$100.00

### State Fees

**Department of consumers affairs** ..... \$8.50

**County Permits each@** ..... \$12.00

**Certified copy of Death Certificate each@** ..... VARIES

**Price for death certificate(s) in some counties may be higher** (usually \$21.00-\$25.00)

## Additional Services

**Shipping** ..... \$95.00  
Cremated remains to anywhere in the the United States. This fee includes preparation and postage for registered mailing through the United States Post Office. (California Cremation Society assumes no responsibility for accidents occurring during the shipping over which it has no control.)

**Delivery of cremated remains within a 30 mile radius** ..... \$135.00

**Express Mail of Death Certificates** ..... \$25.00

**Coroners Fees** ..... VARIES

Each counties coroner's office or medical examiner facility charge a fee if the individual is to be removed from their facility.

Certain circumstances, such as the Coroner's Office, Government Holidays and weekends could alter this time frame and cremation could take longer to accomplish.

**\*California Cremation Society makes every effort to have remains ready in 7 - 10 working days.**

**Direct Cremation with container provided by purchaser** ..... \$770.00  
Our Cremation container is the least expensive option for crematory acceptance. You can use an unfinished wood box or other upgrade combustible casket, or you can provide your own container or casket. All such containers must meet crematory requirements.

Special Handling and Circumstances Additional charges will apply for oversize removals and cremations depending on number of removal personnel, container, vehicle and other situations that can only be determined at time of need.

\*\*Special Needs Container For remains with height and weight that exceeds the capacity of the basic container.

### For information on funeral, cemetery, and cremation matters contact:

Department of Consumers affairs, Cemetery and Funeral Bureau,  
1625 North Market Blvd.. Suite S-208,  
Sacramento, CA 95834  
(916) 574-7870

Prior to drafting any contract for goods or services, the responsible party or the decedent's survivor who is handling the funeral arrangements is entitled to receive a copy of any pre-need agreement in the possession of the funeral establishment that has been signed and paid for, in full or in part, by on behalf of the decedent.

The goods and services shown inside are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only those items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you may 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. Price is important. **NO ONE SHOULD PAY MORE THAN IS NECESSARY FOR ANY SERVICE.** You can be assured that our charges are based on actual expenses and that our total prices for cremations, urns and outer containers are very competitive.

Even more important, you receive courteous, personalized service from a staff dedicated to meeting your needs. People who take the time to listen and make sure that every detail is followed to completion.

This list does not include prices for certain items that you may ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery property, obituaries, etc. The prices for those items will be shown on your bill or the statement describing the funeral goods and services you selected.