

Funeral Home Price Questions



Questions to ask before you choose a funeral home

- Can you give me your prices over the phone? (Under the FTC Funeral Rule they must.)
- May I have your General Price List to keep?
- May I see the casket price list before I see the caskets?
- Do you offer direct cremation or immediate burial, and what does each cost?
- Is an alternative container available for cremation?
- If I buy a casket or urn elsewhere, will you accept it with no extra fee? (Under the Rule they must.)
- Is embalming needed for what we've chosen, or is refrigeration an option?
- Will I get an itemized written statement before I pay?
- Provider 1: _____ Total quoted: \$ _____
- Provider 2: _____ Total quoted: \$ _____
- Provider 3: _____ Total quoted: \$ _____

Sources: [FTC: The Funeral Rule](https://consumer.ftc.gov/articles/ftc-funeral-rule) (<https://consumer.ftc.gov/articles/ftc-funeral-rule>).

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