

## 30895 Huron River Drive Flat Rock, MI 48134 (734) 783-2646

Daniel P. Dwyer, President, Owner & LFD

#### PAYMENT POLICY

*Michigan Memorial Funeral Home, Inc.* has established a uniform payment policy to serve all families fairly and to prevent misunderstandings. This payment policy enables us to contain our costs to all the families we serve.

Our policy requires that all financial arrangements must be completed prior to the setting of services or viewing times. Payment for our merchandise and service is due one full day before the service time or use of our merchandise or property. *Note: Michigan Memorial Funeral Home, Inc. may be referred to as MMFH hereafter. Michigan Memorial Park may be referred to as MMP hereafter.* 

#### THE FOLLOWING ARE ACCEPTABLE PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

- 1. Cash or check. (Checks are subject to electronic funds verification). Third party checks are **NOT** acceptable.
- 2. VISA, MasterCard, Discover or American Express.
- 3. Assignable insurance, for the face value of the policy only, once the insurance company has verified the assignability and beneficiary. Policies under two years old are generally contestable and are not acceptable. When acceptable insurance has been assigned, a monthly statement may be sent to the purchaser until payment is received from the insurance company. When payment is received, a statement may be sent showing the amount, date, and paid in full or new balance due. The normal processing time for a policy is 4 to 6 weeks.

Michigan Memorial Funeral Home does not accept future payments from "Estate Funds".

#### **DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES**

Our funeral home makes no representations of warranties regarding caskets, urns, or other funeral goods sold by the Funeral Home. The only warranties granted, express or implied, in connection with the goods sold with this funeral service are the manufacturers thereof, if any. No other warranties, express or implied, including implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, are extended by the Funeral Home.

#### **NOTE**:

- 1. Memorial Charms became part of the package price offering on June 1, 2007; Videos became part of the package price offering on April 1, 2005. None of these items can be guaranteed available on a "pre-need" basis because they are provided by outside vendors.
- 2. Urn Credit, Death Certificates, and Medical Examiner fee became included in Cremation Packages after July 1, 2008. These items may not be guaranteed.
- 3. Collages are discontinued as of February 1, 2018. Newspaper credit discontinued as of March 15, 2024.

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An Open Letter

For many years the funeral industry has done a very good job of keeping its customers confused about what their options are and how one funeral home may meet their needs better than another. This has led many people to believe that all funeral homes are the same, or that all funeral homes charge the same price.

As a fourth-generation funeral director, I have seen and heard many things over the course of my career that have caused me great concern. There are <u>5</u> things, listed below, that the funeral consumer should be aware of.

#### DID YOU KNOW?

- If you have already prearranged your funeral, you can transfer it to another funeral home, possibly, at a cost savings.
- If you're choosing cremation, you should insist on a tour and inspection of the crematory being used
- Every funeral home *must* provide you with a General Price List of all services they provide, upon request and upon visit to the funeral home. You may request an outer burial container or casket price list as well.
- It is important for all funeral homes to be able to compare what they offer and stand behind the price that they charge.
- That you can shop and compare funeral homes to choose the one that best fits your tastes, needs and budget. If the funeral home you have always used hasn't kept up with the times, it may be time to consider a change.

It is important to remember that we work for you. Michigan Memorial Funeral Home is open for your inspection seven days a week. We welcome you to stop in. If you would like to schedule an appointment, you can call me at (734) 783-2646. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Daniel P. Dwyer
President
Michigan Memorial Funeral Home, Inc.

### Michigan Memorial Funeral Home

#### GENERAL PRICE LIST

(Effective March 15, 2024)

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.** If legal or other requirements mean you 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.

This list does not include prices for certain items that you ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery or crematory services, flowers, newspaper notices and other outside charges commonly referred to as "cash advances". The prices for those items will be shown on your bill or the statement describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

#### **Funeral Goods and Services**

**Professional Services** 

### **Basic Services of our Funeral Director and Staff and Overhead**

\$2,995

Our charge includes, but is not limited to:

- Shelter and care of the deceased for up to three (3) days before ceremonies and services
- Arrangement conference/consultation with the family
- Use of our facilities for the arrangement conference
- Obtaining necessary authorizations and signatures from doctors / hospitals / hospices or other entity/entities (local, within 30 miles)
- Consultation with clergy
- Recording of vital statistics
- Preparing and placement of obituary and death notices (cost of notice NOT included)
- Preparing social security and/or military claims
- Coordinating with others to provide portions of the requested services
- A proportionate share of our basic overhead costs

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

### **Immediate Burial / Direct Cremation**

Varies by Service. See Below

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Immediate Burial (does NOT include casket price)	\$4,195
Direct Cremation with container provided by purchaser and cremation	\$4,495
Direct Cremation with alternative container (corrugated cardboard) and cremation	\$4,495

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 materials (with or without outside covering). The containers we provide are corrugated cardboard.

Varies by Service, See Below

Embalming \$995

Except in certain special cases, 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. Michigan law *does*, however, *require* embalming in cases such as when certain infectious diseases caused death, or when the body isn't taken to its destination (cemetery, crematory, medical school or other) within 48 hours. If a delay is caused by other than Michigan Memorial Funeral Home (i.e. medical examiner, doctor, hospital, family, etc.) it is deemed selected and authorized, and it will be charged for.

Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2 (see page 12 for details)

Other Preparation of the Deceased

Washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, casketing, or other specialized care  Use of facilities for preparation of the body by family (per hour)  Refrigeration (starts after 48 hours) per day  Use of facilities for private autopsy (in addition to Pathologist)  Use of staff / vehicle / facilities for anatomical donation (up to 50 miles)  Visitations and Services  Varies by Service, See Between the hours of; Day 1, 5-8 pm and Day 2, 12-8 pm  b. 1 day, between the hours of 12-8 pm  Use of our facilities and staff for a Memorial Service for up to 2 hours  Use of our facilities and staff for a Memorial Service for up to 2 hours
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a. In our Visitation Room (ending between 12 PM and 5 PM) \$1
b. In our Visitation Room (ending between 9 AM and 12 PM)
c. Additional – Per Hour (added to either option a or b, above)
Use of our facilities and staff for a Funeral Ceremony for up to 2 hours
a. In our Visitation Room (ending between 12 PM and 5 PM) \$1
b. In our Visitation Room (ending between 9 AM and 12 PM)
Use of our equipment and staff for a Funeral Ceremony at a \$1
Non-Michigan Memorial Funeral Home site up to 3 hours
Use of equipment and staff for Cemetery / Graveside Service (per hour)
Non- "Celebration of Life" Package Luncheon Service (in addition to any package price) \$1
Includes use of 2 rooms, set-up for luncheon, \$150.00 credit for table arrangements, up to
14 six-person tables with linens, 3 buffet tables with linens, 2 servers, 1 staffed bar.
Catering using MMFH's designated caterer and bar selections are at an additional cost.

**50 guest minimum**. If more than **84** guests are expected, additional space may be required.

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(cost of menu selections multiplied by the number of guests)

\$825 to \$3,500

\$1,250 to \$9,500

# Transportation and Vehicles Varies by Vehicle, See Below

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Removal Vehicle and staff to transport the deceased up to 30 miles	\$575
(to MMFH, to a local cemetery, or to any other destination)	
Traditional MMFH Hearse up to 30 miles	\$575
<b>Limousine</b> up to 30 miles and 3 hours	\$675
a. Additional use of limousine per hour	\$195
MMFH Horse Drawn Hearse or Military-Style Caisson	
a. On Michigan Memorial Property (non-MMFH service)	\$1,200
b. Off Michigan Memorial Property (limit of three miles)	starts at <b>\$1,750</b>
Motorcycle Hearse (up to 50 miles)	
a. On Michigan Memorial Property (services by MMFH)	\$295
b. Services by other than MMFH	starts at <b>\$725</b>
Each additional 25 miles or any part therein	\$85
(applies to Removal Vehicle, MMFH Hearse, Limousine, or Motorcycle Hearse)	
Other Merchandise and Fees	Varies, See Below
(May be included in packages)	
Crucifix	\$55
Register Book	
a. Standard	\$55
b. Custom (full selection of packages available)	starting at \$125
Memorial Folders / Prayer Cards	starting at \$30
Video / DVD only (if not in package selected)	\$145
Copies of Video / DVD	\$20
Keepsake Jewelry	starting at \$195
Photo for Memorial Service (16 x 20")	starting at \$175
Hairdresser (coloring, specialized care, etc. will be additional)	starting at \$95
Clergy Fee (if MMFH arranges for clergy)	starting at \$200
Air tray for air shipment of casketed human remains	\$475
Human remains pouch	\$395
Combination tray for air shipment of non-casketed human remains	\$465
Caskets (A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.)	\$825 to 197,500
Rental casket – hardwood (as available)	\$1,395
Sleigh bed (for public visitation)	\$795
Urns, urn vaults, and keepsake urns	\$45 to \$5,000
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**Infant and child caskets** (5'6" and smaller)

Outer Burial Container (A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.)

Other Services	Varies, See Below
(May be included in packages)	
Packaging and Mailing of Cremated Remains (within the US)	Starting at \$125
(does not include postage / insurance)	
Death certificate filing/documentation fee over 30 miles	Starting at \$125
(vehicle and staff for out-of-town filing)	
Administrative fee for processing insurance claims, per policy	4.00%
(not related to MMFH services)	
Transfer of Cremated Remains into 3 <sup>rd</sup> party urn or keepsake(s) (per container)	\$20

#### **Receiving Remains from Another Funeral Home with No Ceremony**

a.	Burial at Michigan Memorial Park	<b>\$1,595</b>
b.	Burial at Cemetery other than Michigan Memorial Park	\$2,195

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our transfer vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Use of our service vehicle to transport deceased to cemetery (30 miles)
- Scheduled at the convenience of MMFH

#### Notes;

- 1. All arrangements, services, preparation, dressing, and casketing must be done by shipping funeral home.
- 2. If this service is scheduled to accommodate family, clergy, military rites, etc. add \$300.00

#### Forwarding Remains to Another Funeral Home

\$1,995

#### **Infant and Child Services**

At the discretion of Michigan Memorial Funeral Home, we will provide <u>specific services</u> for infants and children under the age of 10 (Ten) at no cost. They include a traditional funeral package with a 2-hour visitation and 1-hour service <u>ending before 12 noon</u>, Monday through Friday. Full-service arrangements for children up to twelve (12) are 50% of the standard service fees as listed and itemized. **For this pricing, the casket must be purchased from Michigan Memorial Funeral Home**. This policy does not apply to any cash advance items or vehicles.

<u>Infant Caskets</u>	<u>Burial</u>	<u>Cremation*</u>
Wilbert - Loved & Cherished 19"	\$995	\$1,125
Wilbert – Loved & Cherished 24"	<b>\$1,095</b>	\$1,225
Wilbert – Loved & Cherished 31"	\$1,295	\$1,295

<sup>\*</sup>Cremation package includes Medical Examiner Permit, Crematory Fee, and an Urn Credit of \$65.00

#### **Traditional Funeral and Cremation Funeral Packages**

For your convenience and to assist in your selection process of the funeral services that we offer, we have "prepackaged" some of the most frequently requested traditional services. (**Please note**: all package prices are in addition to merchandise selected and cash advanced items). Deductions will not be made to these packages. If a type of arrangement is desired that is not packaged, selections must be made from the itemized section of the General Price List.

Most packages include specific credits. Those credits cannot be used toward anything other than what is specified.

#### **Traditional Service Packages**

# 1. Traditional Funeral Service with 2 Day Visitation(usually from 5-8pm / 1-8pm)a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property\$8,695b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property\$7,695c. Standard Package\$7,495

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for two-day viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

2. Traditional Funeral Service with 1 Day Visitation	(usually 1-8pm)
a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$7,895
b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$7,195
c Standard Package	\$6 895

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for one-day viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

3. Traditional Funeral Service with 1 Day Visitation, Same Day Service	(usually 1-8pm)
a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	<b>\$7,695</b>
b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	<b>\$6,895</b>
c. Standard Package	\$6,595

#### Our charge includes the following: (Interment scheduled at MMFH discretion)

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for one-day viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

4. Traditional Funeral Service Up To 3 Hour Visitation

a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	<b>\$7,695</b>
b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,895
c.	Standard Package	\$6,595

#### Our charge includes the following: (Interment scheduled at MMFH discretion)

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for 3-hour viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

5. Traditional Funeral Service Up To 1 Hour Private Family Visitation

a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$6,795
b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,095
c.	Standard Package	at 11:00 AM or after \$5,895
d.	Standard Package	before 11:00 AM - <b>\$5,495</b>

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- This fee for our basic **services and overhead** will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you select.
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for 1-hour viewing / funeral service
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### 6. Minimum 1 Hour Cemetery Service at Michigan Memorial Park

\$4,395

*Note* – if at a cemetery other than MMP, add \$295 plus mileage (if applicable)

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Use of our service vehicle to transport deceased to cemetery
- Other preparation of the deceased to include dressing and casketing
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

Embalming is not included in this package charge. The MI Public Health Code requires that a deceased person must be embalmed if it doesn't reach its destination (cemetery, crematory, medical school, etc.) within 48 hours. For compliance with this rule, if a delay is caused by other than Michigan Memorial Funeral Home (i.e. medical examiner, doctor, hospital, family, etc.) it is deemed selected and, thus charged for.

Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2(see page 12 for details)

#### 7. Immediate Burial without Ceremony at Michigan Memorial Park

\$4,195

*Note* – if at a cemetery other than MMP, add \$295 plus mileage (if applicable)

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Use of our service vehicle to transport deceased to cemetery
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

Embalming is not included in this package charge. The MI Public Health Code requires that a deceased person must be embalmed if it doesn't reach its destination (cemetery, crematory, medical school, etc.) within 48 hours. For compliance with this rule, if a delay is caused by other than Michigan Memorial Funeral Home (i.e. medical examiner, doctor, hospital, family, etc.) it is deemed selected and, thus charged for.

Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2(see page 12 for details)

\$5,580

#### 8. Receiving Remains from Another Funeral Home Prices Vary, See Below

(Remains must already be embalmed, dressed and casketed)

	2 Day	<b>Visitation</b>	/ 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Day	Service
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	2 Day	Visitation / 5 Day Service	
	a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$7,380
	b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,480
	c.	Standard Package	\$6,280
>	1 Day	Visitation / 2 <sup>nd</sup> Day Service	(usually 12-8 pm)
	a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$7,180
	b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,380
	c.	Standard Package	\$5,980
>	1 Day	Visitation / Same Day Service	(usually 12-8 pm)
	a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$6,680
	b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$5,980
	c.	Standard Package	\$5,580
>	Up to	2 Hour Visitation Followed by Service	
	a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$6,480
	b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$5,780

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Traditional MMFH hearse (30 miles)

c. Standard Package

- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony

- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### 9. Forwarding Remains to Another Funeral Home

\$2,195

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and local airport (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming

#### 10. Receiving Remains from Another Funeral Home with No Ceremony

c.	Burial at Michigan Memorial Park	<b>\$1,795</b>
d.	Burial at Cemetery other than Michigan Memorial Park	\$2,395

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted Basic Services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our transfer vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Use of our service vehicle to transport deceased to cemetery (30 miles)
- Scheduled at the convenience of MMFH

#### Notes;

- 3. All arrangements, services, preparation, dressing, and casketing must be done by shipping funeral home.
- 4. If this service is scheduled to accommodate family, clergy, military rites, etc. add \$300.00

#### Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2

Laws Concerning the Timing of Embalming, Final Disposition, and Funeral Establishment Inspections (Published June 26, 2018) The Occupational Code and its mortuary science administrative rules govern the practice of embalming, funeral directing, and mortuary science in the State of Michigan and are administered by the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Corporations, Securities & Commercial Licensing (the Department). Additionally, portions of the Public Health Code along with its associated administrative rules and the Michigan Penal Code contain provisions on the proper handling, custody, care, and transportation of a dead human body. Section 1810(h) of the Occupational Code, MCL 330.1810(h), states that a person is subject to penalties under the Occupational Code for violating any of these provisions as well as any applicable municipal or county ordinance affecting the handling, custody, care and transportation of a dead human body. The purpose of this Bulletin is to alert licensees and the public to the various statutory provisions and administrative rules surrounding the issues of embalming, the final disposition of a dead human body, and the Department's inspection of licensed funeral establishments. When is embalming necessary? The Occupational Code prohibits a person from obtaining possession of or embalming "a dead human body without first being expressly directed or authorized to do so by a relative of the deceased person or other person entitled to custody." MCL 339.1810(1)(k). However, administrative rules promulgated under the Public Health Code require that a dead human body be embalmed before being transported or before being accepted for transportation when the cause of death was "diphtheria, meningococcal infections, plague, poliomyelitis, scarlet fever, or smallpox." Michigan Admin Code, R 325.1(1). If the cause of death is anything other than one of these enumerated conditions, embalming is also required if the body is to be transported more than 48 hours from the time of death and the body is not addressed to the demonstrator of anatomy of a medical college or for other demonstration purposes. Michigan Admin Code, R 325.2. Therefore, once 48 hours has passes from the time of death, an un-embalmed body cannot be transported, unless the above exception exists. It is important that licensees consider these timeframes and requirements when agreeing to take possession of a dead human body. While section 2848(1) of the Public Health Code, MCL 333.2848(1), states that a funeral director has 72 hours after death or the finding of a dead body to obtain authorization for the final disposition, the requirement to embalm if the body will not reach its place of final disposition within 48 hours of death may require obtaining the necessary approvals within this shorter timeframe.

#### **Cremation Service Packages**

#### For Catered "Celebration of Life" with Cremation / Memorial Service – Please see page 20

For your convenience and to assist in your selection of the funeral services that we offer, we have "pre-packaged" some of the most frequently requested cremation services. (Please Note: all package prices are in addition to merchandise selected and cash advanced items). No deductions will be made to these packages. If a type of arrangement is desired that is not packaged, selections must be made from the itemized section of the General Price List. Not included in packages are other cash advance items.

If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you may choose an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without hard outside covering). The containers we provide are corrugated cardboard. You also have the right to provide your own container.

#### (All cremation prices include crematory only if it is selected by MMFH)

1. Traditional Cremation Service with 2 Day Visitation	(usually from 5-8pm / 1-8pm)
a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$8,725
b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$8,225
c. Standard Package	\$7,825

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- *Michigan* Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Sleigh Bed for Public Visitation and Alternative Cremation Container, in place of a casket purchase or rental, add \$795 to package price

<b>2. T</b> 1	raditional Cremation Service with 1 Day Visitation / Next Day Service	(usually from 1-8pm)
a	. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$8,525
b	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$7,925
C	Standard Package	\$7 525

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Sleigh Bed for Public Visitation and Alternative Cremation Container, in place of a casket purchase or rental, add \$795 to package price

# 3. Traditional Cremation Service with 1 Day Visitation / Same Day Service (usually from 1-8pm) a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property c. Standard Package 57,295

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Sleigh Bed for Public Visitation and Alternative Cremation Container, in place of a casket purchase or rental, add \$795 to package price

#### 4. Traditional Cremation Service Up To 3 Hour Visitation

a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$8,025
b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$7,425
c.	Standard Package	\$7,095

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- *Michigan* Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Sleigh Bed for Public Visitation and Alternative Cremation Container, in place of a casket purchase or rental, add \$795 to package price

#### 5. Traditional Cremation Service Up To 1 Hour Private Family Visitation

a.	With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$7,225
b.	With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,725
c.	Standard Package	at 11:00 AM or after \$6,425
d.	Standard Package	before 11:00 AM <b>\$5,925</b>

#### Our charge includes the following:

• Basic services of our funeral director and staff

- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Embalming
- Other preparation of the deceased such as washing, bathing, cleaning, cosmetics, dressing, and casketing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Sleigh Bed for Public Visitation and Alternative Cremation Container, in place of a casket purchase or rental, add \$795 to package price

Note – <u>Package 6</u> and <u>Package 7</u> are new as of June 15, 2018. All packages after these have had the package number adjusted.

# 6. Cremation followed by 1 Day Visitation / Next Day Service (usually from 1-8pm) a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property c. Standard Package \$6,625

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2(see page 12 for details)

7. Cremation followed by 1 Day Visitation / Same Day Service	(usually from 1-8pm)
a. With Antique Horse Drawn Hearse or Military Style Caisson on Property	\$7,325
b. With Customized Harley Davidson Drawn Hearse on Property	\$6,725
c. Standard Package	\$6,225

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles)
- Transportation to crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for viewing
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and/or staff for the funeral ceremony
- Use of our equipment and staff for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 DVD video (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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#### 8. Direct Cremation with Container Provided by Purchaser

\$4,495

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle and staff to transport the deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and to the crematory (30 miles)
- Crematory fee (MMFH selects crematory)
- *Michigan* Medical Examiner permit
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Temporary container

- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need) (added 5/10/2015)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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#### 9. Direct Cremation with Alternative Container

<u>\$4,495</u>

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle and staff to transport the deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and to the crematory (30 miles)
- Crematory fee (MMFH selects crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- Temporary container
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need) (added 5/10/2015)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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Ref. MI Public Health Rules R325.1142 Rule 1 and Rule 2(see page 12 for details)

#### 10. Direct Cremation with Alternative Container and Cemetery Service at MMP

\$4,795

(added 2/1/2010)

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and crematory (30 miles)
- Filing and documentation (30 miles)
- MMFH staff member present to coordinate cemetery services at MMP (Family & friends gather at MMFH 30 minutes before service and are lead in procession to MMP)
- MMFH staff member for a committal (at cemetery) service
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

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#### Celebration of Life

For the convenience and ease of having everything in one place

#### 11. Celebration of Life Cremation – up to 4 Hours for Memorial Service / Reception \$6,595

Michigan Memorial Funeral Home's designated caterer must be used with this package

#### Recommendations:

- Memorial hours; 5:00-8:00 pm with service at 6:00 pm
- Cold appetizers / water / soda / coffee; 5:00-5:45 pm
- Hot appetizers / bar; after service ends until 8:00 pm

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Adjusted basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and crematory (30 miles)
- Crematory fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and staff for Memorial Service / Reception
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from the MMFH selection
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- Corrugated Cardboard Alternative container or \$100.00 credit toward any other MMFH casket (added 5/10/2015)
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 DVD (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 *Michigan* Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 14 six-person tables with linens; 3 buffet tables with linens; 1 bar (additional tables with linens are \$35.00 each)
- \$150.00 credit toward table decorations from Michigan Memorial Flower Shop

#### CATERING / BAR total will be added to the funeral contract.

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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#### **Memorial Service Packages**

# 12. Cremation with 2 Hour Visitation and Memorial ServicePrices Vary, See Belowa. Service ending at or after 12 noon\$6,125b. Service ending before 12 noon\$5,725

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of our vehicle to transport deceased to MMFH (30 miles) and crematory (30 miles)
- Crematory Fee (MMFH selects the crematory)
- Filing and Documentation (30 miles)
- Use of our facilities, equipment, and staff for memorial service
- Michigan Medical Examiner permit
- \$100.00 credit toward and urn from the MMFH selection
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package
- 1 Basic Memorial Charm (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 1 DVD (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)
- 5 Michigan Death Certificates (cannot be guaranteed pre-need)

#### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ**

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#### 13. Hour Visitation and Memorial Service When Cremation Has Taken Place Elsewhere

(When cremation has already taken place using a funeral home, cemetery, society, or service other than Michigan Memorial Funeral Home)

a.	Service ending at or after 12 noon	<b>\$3,995</b>
b.	Service ending before 12 noon	\$3,695

#### Our charge includes the following:

- Basic services of our funeral director and staff
- Use of facilities, equipment, and staff for a memorial service
- \$100.00 credit toward an urn from MMFH selection
- \$75.00 credit toward any acknowledgement package

#### Selecting a Funeral Home – It's All About You

Deciding for a funeral is a naturally difficult process; don't let a funeral home make it worse. Choosing your funeral home should be done with care and consideration. You shouldn't feel obligated to select a funeral home that doesn't meet your standards simply because your family's funerals have always been held there, or, because it is the closest to your home. A funeral is a life event, much like a wedding. Don't settle for anything that doesn't provide the value that you are entitled to.

#### Why Select Michigan Memorial Funeral Home?

Because at Michigan Memorial Funeral Home our philosophy is simple -You are our guest. For you we provide the following:

- ❖ A beautifully appointed, first-class facility capable of hosting small services to those more than 400 people.
- **Crematory** on-site (owned and operated by Michigan Memorial Park, Inc.)
- ❖ A **private viewing room** to spend time with a loved one before the cremation takes place without the need to purchase or rent a casket.
- **Catered receptions** for up to 150 guests, with or without full bar service.
- ❖ Comfortable lobbies with several seating arrangements that allow you a place to relax or have a cup of coffee in front of one of our fireplaces.
- ❖ Creation of a **Memorial Tribute DVD** to be played at the funeral home and given to you as a keepsake.
- ❖ 2 large coffee and food lounges. Coffee and hot chocolate are provided at no cost, and we encourage you to bring food. Food has always been central to life's events and a visitation and funeral are no different. Because of this, our lounge is open to you and your guests for as long as you are here. When you're done, we'll clean up. That is our job because you are our guest.
- ❖ An on-site, full-service flower shop to handle all of your immediate floral needs, as well as cemetery flowers and wreath placement into the future. The flower shop also provides you and your guests a place to order "last-minute" tribute items such as flowers, plants and sympathy cards
- ❖ A complete line of **keepsake memorial** products in our resource center and floral shop.
- ❖ Specialty hearses. We offer both <u>Cadillac</u> and <u>Lincoln</u> hearses, but we know those are not always the most suitable transportation choices. So, we also offer both black and white horse-drawn hearses, a military caisson and a customized Harley-Davidson Road King motorcycle hearse. These vehicles allow a unique avenue to express an individual's personality and are available both on and off our property.
- ❖ If you are using **Michigan Memorial Park**, we use a **private road** that connects our funeral home to it. This allows for a formal and respectful funeral procession without the worry of navigating our increasingly dangerous roads.
- ❖ An open mind. If there is something that you need, ask us. Because, you are not an imposition, you are our guest.

And <u>THAT</u> is what separates us from all the other funeral homes.