



# Gate City Cremations

*North Carolina's Direct Cremation Service*

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*Simple.....Affordable.....Compassionate*

## General Price List

These prices are effective as of September 15, 2016 but thereafter are subject to change without notice.

Note: Please be aware that *Gate City Cremations* is not a full service funeral home. We are, however, licensed as such by the NC Board of Funeral Service. We offer direct cremations only. The Federal Trade Commission requires that we give to you this General Price List for retention. You will notice that it describes the services we offer along with the corresponding charge. At the conclusion of the arrangement conference, we will give to you a Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected. This document will show you the cost for our services and the total amount due. There will be items listed that reflect services that we do not offer. State and federal laws control the wording and the format of this contract. If your family needs services and facilities beyond those that we offer (such as a visitation or a memorial service), we will be happy to refer you to a full service funeral home who will be pleased to meet the extended needs of your family. Payment in full is required at the conclusion of the arrangement conference.

The goods and services below are those that 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 select.

## Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff

Our fee for the basic services of the funeral director and staff includes, but is not limited to, staff response to initial request for service; arrangement conference with family and responsible parties; preparation and filing of necessary permits, authorizations and certificates; recording of vital statistics; coordinating with the crematory. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses relative to the building and utility expenses, taxes, equipment, furnishings, record keeping, secretarial and administrative expenses. This fee for our basic services will be added to the cost of the service you select. (This fee is already included in our charge for direct cremations.).....\$940.00

## Additional Services and Merchandise

Vehicle and staff to transfer deceased from the place of death into our care.....\$200.00  
 This fee is already included in our charge for direct cremation. When a death occurs outside of Guilford County, a mileage fee of \$3.00 per mile will be charged. If more than two staff members are required to transfer a decedent, there will be an additional charge of \$100.00 per additional person needed.

To be present at the start of the cremation process.....\$100.00  
 This is for viewing only, no service may be conducted. This fee is used to cover the time when we cannot schedule any other cremations and the additional staff needed to accompany those present at the time the cremation begins. Please note, this is only for the start of the cremation process.

Composing and emailing obituary..... \$100.00  
 This does not include the fee charged by the newspaper. We will professionally compose and email the obituary to any newspaper in the US. Newspaper charges for obituaries vary greatly, and must be paid in advance by credit card. Many families choose to compose and send the obituary themselves. We will be glad to provide email addresses for regional newspapers. Again, advance payment is required. At the request of the family, we will place a brief statement of death (not to exceed seven lines) in the Greensboro *News and Record*. This service is provided at no charge.

Mailing cremains within the US by registered mail .....	\$	85.00
Refrigeration per day after 48 hours .....	\$	75.00
Alternate Container for cremation .....	\$	50.00
If a decedent weighs in excess of 300lbs .....	\$	300.00
Cremation Urns .....	\$85.00 to	\$362.00
If medical examiner authorization is required by the state .....	\$	50.00
Register Book (per book price) .....	\$	25.00
Acknowledgement Cards (price per box) .....	\$	10.00
Register Book & Two Boxes of Acknowledgement Cards .....	\$	30.00

## Direct Cremation

The charge for direct cremation includes transfer of remains from the place of death (an excess mileage fee of \$3.00 per mile will be charged if the death occurs outside Guilford County), sheltering the remains for 24 hours, transportation to the crematory, services of Guilford Cremation Service, securing necessary authorizations and permits, and basic services of the funeral director and staff.....940.00 to \$990.00

If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternate container. Alternate containers encase the body, and are made of materials like fiberboard, and composition materials (with or without outside coverings). The container we provide is made of basic cardboard.

Direct cremation with Alternate Container provided by the purchaser (all such containers must meet applicable state and/or crematory regulations).....\$940.00

Direct cremation with basic cardboard container provided by Gate City Cremations.....\$990.00