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Schmidt & Schulta FUNERAL HOME

Serving Central Wisconsin with locations in Wittenberg & Birnamwood
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These prices are effective as of January 1, 2026, but are subject to change without notice.

General Price List

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Explanation of General Price Updates/Changes

The Federal Trade Commission requires us to change the effective date on our General Price List whenever there is a change made. The change can be anything from increasing pricing to adding packages or services. We would like you to know why we have a change in the date of our General Price List.

1/1/2026 – Updated Casket and Vault Price List and adjusted package pricing with additional discounts

10/1/2024 – Updated Casket Price List due to manufactures increases

9/1/2024 – Updated Funeral Home Photos, increased candle (\$30-\$35) angel (\$30-\$35) Word Art (\$25-\$30)

3/1/2024 – Updated Casket Price List (decreasing most caskets)

1/1/2024 & 12/1/2023 – Updated Casket Price List and Increased Embalming Charge (\$750-\$950)

10/1/2023 – Updated Outer Burial Container and Vault Price List

4/1/2023 – Updated Casket Price List

10/1/2022 – Updated OBC and Casket Price Lists and listed items included in packages.

5/1/2022 – Created WFCAP packages to accommodate the changes with the WFCAP program.

4/1/2022 – Additions to Price List dated 10/1/2021 due to requests from families that we have package options for viewing a loved one without embalming. We also added the Chaise Viewing Rental. We have also added package coding for families to see where the charges are coming from for packages.

10/01/2021 – Update to Price List dated 9/28/2020 – Due to Vault & Casket Increases & cremation equipment

09/28/2020 – Update to Price List dated 11/1/2019 – Due to Vault & Casket Increases

11/1/2019 – Clarification on cash advanced items.

10/1/2019 – Update to the Price List dated 2/15/2019 – Due to Vault Increases

2/15/2019 – Correct Package Price for Tribute 3 and 4. Updated the Payment Options to include Tribute Pay

10/1/2018 – Updated the language of visitation and memorial to include gathering/celebration

9/1/2018 – Update due to Vault Increases

4/23/2018 – Update to the General Price List dated 6/23/2017 - Increased the price for Receiving of Remains from other..\$250 additional. Added that package pricing only applies when merchandise is purchased from Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home. Reorganized the price list to include the 'Peace of Mind' Cremation Guarantee. Added the Casket and Outer Burial Container Price List and added package discounts for services held M-F, 9am-3pm

6/23/2017 – Update to the General Price List dated 4/1/2017 – Added Inflation Protection Option for pre-funding funerals and increased price of Oak Rental Casket due to vendor increases.

4/1/2017 - Update to the General Price List dated 1/1/2017 - Needed to add pricing for Removal for Body Donation to Medical College and changed pricing for Remembrance Candle, Angel Ornament and Laminated Obituaries. Added discounted pricing if Schmidt & Schulta assisted with service.

1/1/2017 - Update to the General Price List dated 5/1/2016 - Added Packages for receiving cremated remains

5/1/2016 - Added packages so that tax would not have to be charged to our families.

9/1/2015 - Increased overhead cost \$150 due to inflation.

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FUNERAL HOME

Email us at schmidtschulta@hotmail.com

We, at Schmidt-Schulta Funeral Home, thank you for the trust you have placed in us and hope that you will find all of your expectations met. Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to let us know. We will do our very best to provide the services that you and/or your family have selected and deserve.

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This booklet presents an itemized listing of our service and merchandise offerings. It also lists several packages which offer a simplified way of selecting complete services at a single, discounted price. Our “Peace of Mind Cremation Care” is also described in detail.

The goods and services shown within this booklet are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only those 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.

This list does not include prices for certain items that you may ask us to buy for you, such as cemetery or church services, flowers, and newspaper notices.

The prices for those items will be shown on your bill or the statement describing the funeral goods and services you selected and will be listed as cash advanced items.

Promise of Privacy

Maintaining your trust and confidence is at the core of our business. We value your concerns about the privacy of the information you have entrusted to us concerning the funeral or cremation services we provide to you and your family, and are in compliance with the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act (FACT Act or FACTA) Red Flags regulation. In the process of providing our services to you, such as pre-need financing plans, and gathering death certificate information, it is necessary to collect and maintain nonpublic personal information about you, such as your Social Security number and credit card information. We collect this from the information given for the death certificate, the contract that you signed and other information obtained as a result of your financial transactions with us. Here is how we will keep our privacy promise to you:

* We will not disclose nonpublic personal information about our current or former customers and consumers to any affiliates or non-affiliated third parties except as described below, or as permitted by law.

* We will limit access to nonpublic personal information to those employees, representatives, and service providers who need to know such information in order to serve you. We will maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards to protect the security of your nonpublic personal information as required by law.

In the event we collect nonpublic personal information from you in order to provide third-party products and services requested by you (such as filing for insurance), such third-party's use of your information will be subject to their privacy policy as disclosed to you by them.

PAYMENT AND CREDIT POLICY

Payment is due in full prior to services being provided.

Arrangements for payment of the total charges must be made prior to the services being scheduled. We are unable to finance funeral and cremation services after death has occurred. It is the policy of Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home, and in accordance with our pre-need contracts (when applicable), that all services, merchandise, sales tax, opening/closing fees and cash advances must be paid for prior to services unless other financial arrangements have been made and approved by the company.

Following are the payment options that are available through our firm once death has occurred:

Cash, Personal Check, Money Order, Cashier's Check

***Life Insurance Assignment** handled through Tribute Pay or Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home. If this is not handled through Tribute Pay or Schmidt & Schulta, payment is required prior to services.

Tribute Pay

- **Credit Card Processing - Will include a non-refundable 4% service fee**
- **Crowdfunding – Family must request activation from Schmidt & Schulta**

To access Tribute Pay, visit www.schmidtschulta.com. Click on the tab 'Services', you will then see 'Payment Center'. Here you are able to apply for a loan through Tribute Loan or make a credit card payment through the Tribute Pay.

Funeral Trust or Policy

By law, excess funds in the funeral trust account of a MA/SSI recipients must be returned to the State of Wisconsin. We, as funeral directors, are obligated to inform families of this. It is our policy that if any monies are left over from the funeral trust account, the financial institution or insurance company a check will be made payable to the "Estate of the Deceased" for the excess. We will send the check to the informant along with a final statement of the funeral services and a receipt of what the funeral trust paid. The deceased's family is responsible for returning the money to the State of Wisconsin at: Estate Recovery Program, PO Box 309, Madison, WI 53707-0309, (608) 266-9435.

A WORD ABOUT PRICE COMPARISONS

We invite you to compare our entire offering of services, facilities, equipment, merchandise, and professional care with any other funeral home of your choice. We are proud to have a consumer-orientated pricing policy, and believe we provide superior quality services at reasonable prices. Comparisons between funeral homes, however, must be made with care. Some firms may appear, at first glance, to be less costly because their service charges are lower, yet the burial merchandise they provide is priced higher or the attention to detail is lacking. Our funeral home's focus is on the family and their needs, not only at the time a death occurs, but as well as the assistance after the funeral. When you compare the service provided, professional fees, merchandise, and facilities, you will find a Schmidt & Schulta service provides the best value in the area. We welcome the opportunity to discuss and compare our charges.

DEATH OF AN INFANT, CHILD OR YOUTH

Schmidt-Schulta Funeral Home understands the impact the death of a child can have on a family. Not only the emotional side of it but also the financial side.

In the event of the death of an Infant, Child or Youth, Schmidt-Schulta Funeral Home provides the following discounts when the situation arises.

Children under the age of 18 (eighteen) - We will discount our professional services and convenience grouping for a family that loses a child under the age of 18.

Schmidt & Schulta will also provide an option of four caskets for burial and a National Vault at no expense to the family.

Should the family choose cremation, Schmidt & Schulta will cover the cost of the crematory, cremation permit and will provide an Alternative Container and a choice of four urns at no cost to the family.

Should the family elect to have a viewing prior to cremation, Schmidt & Schulta will provide a rental casket as deemed appropriate at no cost to the family.

The only expenses the family will have will be any cashed advanced items that are incurred such as, but not limited to, flowers, grave space and opening, cemetery fees, honorariums, obit charges and monuments.

STEPS TO SELECTING A SERVICE

Most often we hear families say that they want to follow their loved ones' wishes. What we first must do is ask ourselves – What do I need to help me through the grieving process? We all handle death differently. Many will need to view a loved one. While others will need to have a celebration of their loved one's life.

With the assistance of our experienced staff, you can plan the desired service to honor your loved one.

Step One: Choose the visitation/gathering/ceremony you desire:

- Visitation/Gathering and Ceremony held in two days.
- Visitation/Gathering and Ceremony held on the same day.
- Visitation/Gathering only.

Step Two: Choose the type of service you would like:

- Funeral Service with embalming or the body present for visitation and/or ceremonies – Honor or Cherish Package
- Memorial/Gathering without the body present for visitation and/or ceremonies. Tribute Package

Step Three: Choose the disposition you prefer:

- Burial of embalmed body or cremated remains
- Cremation either immediately or following funeral ceremony
- Entombment

Step Four: Choose the products you need:

- Casket, cremation casket or container
- Vault or Urn
- Stationery and Tribute Items

PACKAGE PRICING

These offerings represent the services most often selected by those arranging funerals. We have discounted the price of items included in these packages (exclusive of the basic services fee) to provide you overall savings between 3-35%. **No substitutions can be made, and no credit will be given for unwanted items**, but any combination of services may be selected from our General Price List on the following pages.

*** Please refer to pages within this General Price List for full understanding of each item listed in the packages. The listed **packages do not include** any type of casket, outer burial container, an urn or cash advanced items. Price lists for caskets and outer burial containers are available at the funeral home. Please ask your funeral director for further details.

All Package Pricing MAY include the following:

(Some items may be discounted in Package Pricing)

- * Basic Service of Funeral Director & Staff/Overhead \$2,870 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home \$1,000 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Online Obituary Tribute & Online Facebook Memorial

Funeral/Memorial Service/Private Family Viewing with loved one present

- * Other Preparation of deceased for viewing following embalming (private or public) \$530
- * Embalming \$950 * In house Hair Stylist \$75
- * Sheltering of embalmed loved one for up to three days
- * Full coordination of Visitation or Gathering as selected
- * Full coordination of Funeral/Celebration Service & Graveside as selected
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Visitation/Gathering/Celebration as selected \$395
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Funeral/Celebration Service as selected \$395
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Casket Graveside Service as selected \$355
- * Evening (after 3pm), Saturday or Sunday Overtime Fee* \$500
- * Transfer of Deceased to service and/or cemetery as selected \$355
- * Transfer of Deceased to visitation (Hearse, Van or SUV) as selected \$355
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Memorial/Gathering/Celebration as selected \$800
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for an urn Graveside Service as selected \$700
- * Use of Lead/Flower Car \$125 * Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration \$85/per hour
- * Special Care of Autopsied Body \$240 * Special Care of Organ Donation Body \$400
- * Live Streaming/Recording of Service and placement on Website & Facebook \$150
- * Special Care of Communicable Disease \$250 * Personalized Register Book \$130T
- * Personalized Memorial Folders or Holy Cards (up to 100) \$135T * Personalized Word Art \$50T
- * Personalized Acknowledgement Cards (up to 100) \$135T * Cross/Crucifix (displayed in casket) \$30T
- * Memorial Folder or Holy Cards or Acknowledgment Cards may be printed, as needed/requested, for an additional service charge of \$10T per 25 or \$15T per 50
- * Laminated Temporary Marker (included for all burial packages if needed)...\$50T
- * Remembrance Candle...\$60T * Laminated Obituaries 4/\$30T

Direct/Simple Cremation

- * Other Preparation of deceased for identification prior to cremation \$530 * Alternative Container \$125
- * Crematory and Cooler Fee** \$575-\$900 (This is a cash advanced item as the crematory is separately owned. This fee will be pulled out of any package pricing for WFCAP purposes) **Additional Fees will Apply if over 275 lb

All Packages DO NOT include Delayed or Spring Burial Service Fees. Additional Overtime charges will be applied for Holiday and Holiday Weekend Committal/Graveside Services. Package pricing may not be used for WFCAP clients.

VISITATION, FUNERAL AND BURIAL PACKAGES

Visitation/Gathering and Funeral Package provides your loved one peacefully in a casket (purchased separately) at a visitation or gathering and funeral/celebration service. Burial of the casket would then take place in a local cemetery, mausoleum or crypt space. *Items not included: casket, vault and cash advanced items

Honor Package - \$6,490

Held Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm - \$5,990

The Honor package includes one of the below selections and the Remembrance Package with printing of items as needed. Package pricing only applies when the casket and vault is purchased/provided from Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home.

No sales tax will be added to the Honor Package price.

1 or 2 Day Visitation/Service/Gathering/Celebration held at the Funeral Home or 'Other Location' with same day burial

(Without a casket purchase \$9,040-\$10,020+tax, 33-35% savings)

DELAYED/SPRING BURIAL OF LOVED ONE (Spring or by Choice)

- * Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500 * Transfer of Deceased to cemetery \$355
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Casket Graveside Service \$355

Delayed Burial of loved one held M-F, 9am-3pm.....\$500

Delayed Burial of loved one held 3:30pm-6pm and Saturday 9am-1pm.....\$1,000

Package pricing excludes Holidays and/or Holiday Weekends (\$1,000)

(Some items may be discounted in Package Pricing)

- * Basic Service of Funeral Director & Staff/Overhead \$2,870 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home \$1,000 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Online Obituary Tribute & Facebook Memorial * Embalming \$950 * In house Hair Stylist \$75
- * Sheltering of embalmed loved one for up to three days * Full coordination of all services selected
- * Other Preparation of deceased for viewing following embalming (private or public) \$530
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Visitation/Gathering/Celebration as selected \$395
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Funeral/Celebration Service as selected \$395
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Casket Graveside Service as selected \$355
- * Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500
- * Transfer of Deceased to service and/or cemetery as selected \$355
- * Transfer of Deceased to visitation as selected \$355 * Use of Lead/Flower Car \$125
- * Live Streaming/Recording of Service with placement on Website and Facebook \$150
- * Remembrance Package may include the Personalized Register Book \$130, Personalized Memorial Folders/Holy Cards \$135, Personalized Acknowledgement Cards \$135, Laminated Temporary Marker \$50, Remembrance Candle \$60, 4 Laminated Obituaries \$30, Personalized Word Art \$50, and Cross/Crucifix \$30.
- * Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration \$85/per hour * Special Care of Autopsied Body \$240
- * Special Care of Organ Donation Body \$400 * Special Care of Communicable Disease \$250.00

*The Honor package may not be used for WFCAP clients per guidelines.

VISITATION & FUNERAL FOLLOWED BY CREMATION

Visitation/Gathering/Celebration and Funeral Package provides your loved one peacefully in a rental casket (or Casket purchased separately) at a visitation or gathering and funeral service. Cremation will take place after the funeral service has taken place. Burial of the urn may then take place in a local cemetery, mausoleum or crypt space. No sales tax applies. *Items not included: Urn or cash advanced items

Cherish Packages

HELD AT FUNERAL HOME, CHURCH OR OTHER LOCATION

1-2 Day Funeral Service/Celebration/Gathering (Cherish 1)....\$8,090

(If selected separately.....\$10,725+tax)

If held Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm (Cherish 2).....\$7,590

BURIAL OF URN

Burial of loved one held M-F, 9am-3pm....\$850

Burial of loved one held M-F 3:30pm-6pm or Sat. 9am-1pm...\$1350

Package pricing excludes Holidays and/or Holiday Weekends (\$1,000)

(The day of the Holiday and or the Saturday/Sunday/Monday of the Holiday Weekend)

****Additional Fees will Apply if over 275 lbs.***

(Some items may be discounted in Package Pricing)

- * Basic Service of Funeral Director & Staff/Overhead \$2,870 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home \$1,000 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Online Obituary Tribute & Facebook Memorial * Embalming \$950 * In house Hair Stylist \$75
- * Sheltering of embalmed loved one for up to three days * Full coordination of all services selected
- * Other Preparation of deceased for viewing following embalming (private or public) \$530
- * Use of our Oak Rental Casket \$1,100
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Visitation/Gathering/Celebration as selected \$395
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Funeral/Celebration Service as selected \$395
- * Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500 * Use of Lead/Flower Car \$125
- * Transfer of Deceased to service as selected \$355 * Transfer of Deceased to visitation as selected \$355
- * Crematory and Cooler Fee** \$500-\$900 * Use of SUV \$125
- * Transfer of Loved One to Cemetery \$355 * Use of staff for a graveside Service \$355
- * Cemetery equipment for Urn burial - \$345 * Evening (after 3pm)/Saturday/Sunday Service \$500
- * Remembrance Package may include the Personalized Register Book \$130, Personalized Memorial Folders/Holy Cards \$135, Personalized Acknowledgement Cards \$135, Laminated Temporary Marker \$50, Remembrance Candle \$60, 4 Laminated Obituaries \$30, Personalized Word Art \$50, and Cross/Crucifix \$30.
- * Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration \$85/per hour * Special Care of Autopsied Body \$240
- * Special Care of Organ Donation Body \$400 * Special Care of Communicable Disease \$250

*The Cherish package may not be used for WFCAP clients per guidelines.

MEMORIAL/GATHERING/CELEBRATION PACKAGES

Memorial/Gathering/Celebration Packages provides your family with a time of visitation or gathering and memorial service. Burial of the urn may then take place in a local cemetery, mausoleum or crypt space. Items included would be the Remembrance Package as well as the crematory fee (cash advanced) and alternative container. No sales tax applies. *Items not included: Urn and cash advanced items **Additional Fees Apply if over 275 lbs.

Tribute Packages

NO BURIAL – HELD AT FUNERAL HOME, CHURCH OR OTHER LOCATION

1 or 2 Day Memorial/Gathering/Celebration...(Tribute 1).....\$5,995

(If selected separately.....\$8275-\$9235+tax)

1 Day Service held M-F, 9am-3pm (Tribute 2).....\$5,495

(If selected separately.....\$7,775-8,255+tax)

BURIAL – HELD AT FUNERAL HOME, CHURCH OR OTHER LOCATION

1 or 2 Day Memorial/Gathering/Celebration...(Tribute 3).....\$6,340

(If selected separately.....\$9,025+tax)

1 Day Service held M-F, 9am-3pm (Tribute 4).....\$5,840

(If selected separately.....\$8,045+tax)

DELAYED/SPRING BURIAL OF LOVED ONE (Spring or by Choice)

* Transfer of Deceased to cemetery \$355 * Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500

* Use of Staff for Graveside Service \$355 * Equipment for an Urn Burial \$345

Burial of loved one held M-F, 9am-3pm....\$850

Burial of loved one held M-F 3:30pm-6pm or Sat. 9am-1pm...\$1350

Package pricing excludes Holidays and/or Holiday Weekends (\$1,000)

(The day of the Holiday and or the Saturday/Sunday/Monday of the Holiday Weekend)

(Some items may be discounted in Package Pricing)

* Basic Service of Funeral Director & Staff/Overhead \$2,870 **(Every Family pays this)**

* Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home \$1,000 **(Every Family pays this)**

* Online Obituary Tribute & Facebook Memorial

* Full coordination of all services selected

* Use of Staff & Equipment for Memorial Service/Celebration of Life/Gathering \$800

* Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500

* Live Stream/Record Service for upload to Website & Facebook \$150

* Use of Vehicle for Service as selected \$355 * Transfer of Deceased to visitation as selected \$125

* Crematory and Cooler Fee** \$500-\$900

* Transfer of Deceased to Cemetery \$355 * Equipment for an Urn Burial \$345

* Staff for a Graveside Service

* Remembrance Package may include the Personalized Register Book \$130, Personalized Memorial Folders/Holy Cards \$135, Personalized Acknowledgement Cards \$135, Laminated Temporary Marker \$50, Remembrance Candle \$60, 4 Laminated Obituaries \$30, Personalized Word Art \$50 and Cross/Crucifix \$30.

* Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration \$85/per hour * Special Care of Autopsied Body \$240

* Special Care of Organ Donation Body \$400 * Special Care of Communicable Disease \$250

*The Tribute package may not be used for WFCAP clients per guidelines.

PRIVATE FAMILY VISITATION ADD ON PACKAGE

This 'ADD ON' package provides your family with a time of viewing your loved one in our chapel prior to cremation. This package is in addition to a simple cremation or the Tribute Package. The package includes your loved one dressed in desired clothing, other preparation of your loved one and hair styling as well as placement in our Chaise viewing casket (included).

The private family visitation will be held in our chapel and limited to 2 hours. The visitation must take place within 48 hours of death for unembalmed remains.

Following this visitation, the cremation will then take place once all required paperwork is obtained. * There may be instances when embalming and restoration work may need to be done and will be charged accordingly. These cases include, but are not limited to, delayed viewing/visitation times, extended family or public wanting to be present, accidents, suicides, organ donation or autopsy.

Immediate Family members include: spouse, parents, grandparents, children, grandchildren, siblings and nieces/nephews (no friends or public)

IMMEDIATE FAMILY VISITATION - HELD AT FUNERAL HOME ONLY

1-2 hours in our chapel w/ IMMEDIATE FAMILY only, M-F, 9am-3pm \$1,175

1-2 hours in our chapel w/ IMMEDIATE FAMILY only.....\$1,165

PREPARATION - HELD AT FUNERAL HOME ONLY

1-2 hours in our chapel for FAMILY & PUBLIC...held M-F, 9am-3pm \$1,925

1 or 2 hours in our chapel for FAMILY & PUBLIC.....\$2,425

Items that may be included in this package

- * Embalming \$950 * In house Hair Stylist \$75
- * Full coordination of all services selected * Use of our Chaise Viewing Casket \$350
- * Other Preparation of deceased for viewing following embalming (private or public) \$530
- * Use of Staff & Equipment for Private Family Viewing \$395
- * Evening (after 3pm) or Saturday or Sunday Charge \$500 * Use of Lead/Flower Car \$125
- * Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration \$85/per hour * Special Care of Autopsied Body \$240
- * Special Care of Organ Donation Body \$400 * Special Care of Communicable Disease \$250

'Peace of Mind' Cremation Care Guarantee

Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home's 'Peace of Mind' Cremation Care begins as one of our Licensed Funeral Directors assumes custody of your loved one. If the death has occurred in a health care facility, all identification bands are checked, and identity is confirmed with nursing personnel. Should death occur at home or other location, the identity is confirmed with the next-of-kin, responsible family member, coroner, or other authority.

Unless circumstances dictate otherwise, we require a personal identification by the next-of-kin, or his or her representative. This can be done at the time we assume custody of your loved one or in the comfort of our Reflection Room at our Care Center.

A non-combustible identification tag is placed on your loved one, and information is logged into our record system. This tag stays with your loved one through the cremation process and is then placed with the cremated remains in the urn or temporary container.

Your loved one is transferred to an on-site climate-controlled secure Care Center for shelterization while we obtain authorizations and permits. At the Care Center the cremation casket or cremation container selected by the family is clearly labeled for identification.

By Wisconsin law, cremation cannot take place until 48 hours after death, nor before the next-of-kin, attending physician, coroner or medical examiner, and registrar have all given their respective certifications or authorizations. This can sometimes take three or seven days, especially over a weekend.

One of our Licensed Funeral Directors reviews the cremation documents to ensure that all required authorizations and permits have been received and schedules the cremation with the Crematory. All cremations are performed in the private, interior, on-site crematory, so the deceased never leaves our building.

One of our Licensed Funeral Directors or Cremation Specialists (under the direction of a Certified Cremation Operator or Licensed Funeral Director) assists in placing the cremation casket or container into the cremation chamber and begins the cremation process.

If you wish, you are welcome to view the crematory at any time for a pre-cremation inspection where you will have the opportunity to see that the cremation chamber is clean and empty. If desired, immediate family members may witness the cremation casket or container enter the cremation chamber. A Cremation Specialist will be available to answer any questions you may have.

Following cremation and processing, the cremated remains, along with the identification tag, are placed in the permanent urn the family has selected or placed in a clearly labeled temporary container. The urn is ready for committal services, if any, or it may be picked up by the family, or delivered or mailed by us as instructed.

SIMPLE CREMATION PACKAGES

Simple Cremation with No Service (SC 1) - \$3,695 (If selected separately \$4,960 + tax)

Simple Cremation provides for the dignified disposition of the body without any funeral or memorial ceremonies or public visitation or gathering. A casket is not required for a Simple Cremation, but a cremation container must be selected. We provide a private, interior, on-site crematory, as well as a 'Peace of Mind' Cremation Care Guarantee, Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home can assure those we serve of the highest level of care for their loved ones.

Offering more than other funeral firms do with their 'direct cremation', our Simple Cremation adds our exclusive 'Peace of Mind' Cremation Care, sanitary care, setting features and dressing of the deceased in a hospital gown when requested. This allows for two (2) immediate adult family members to have a **(one time)** private time to identify and say good-bye in our Reflection Room prior to cremation. Immediate adult family members include a spouse, child, sibling or parent. Our licensed funeral directors will transfer the deceased from the place of death into our care. We will provide shelter in our on-site climate-controlled facility while we secure all authorizations and permits, and our Cremation Specialists affiliates (NCW Services, LLC) will perform the cremation. In addition, we will prepare and submit the obituary to local newspapers, publish the obituary on our internet media-sites, and coordinate with clergy, cemeteries, and others who may be involved. We will also prepare and file the death certificates and request any certified copies on behalf of the family as well as provide our staff assistance with any life insurance paperwork. If you would like to arrange a simple cremation, you can use an alternative container or cremation casket which encase the body and can be made of materials such as fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). You may also select any of the Wood/Veneered caskets we have in our Casket Price List for cremation.

*This package may not be used for WFCAP clients.

(Some items may be discounted in Package Pricing)

- * Basic Service of Funeral Director & Staff/Overhead \$2,870 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Transfer of Deceased to the Funeral Home \$1,000 **(Every Family pays this)**
- * Online Obituary Tribute & Facebook Memorial * Full coordination of all services selected
- * Other Preparation of deceased for viewing following embalming (private or public) \$530
- * Alternative Container \$125
- * Crematory and Cooler Fee** \$575-\$1,200 *extra charge over 300lbs

Simple Cremation with Graveside Service (SC2)

held M-F, 9am-3pm....\$4,810

held M-F 3:30pm-6pm or Sat. 9am-1pm...\$5,310

As above with a graveside service at a local cemetery with a staff member in attendance to coordinate details, memorial folders and necessary equipment. (If selected separately - \$6,840+tax)

**Additional fees for crematory will apply if over 300 lbs

Sheltering of Cremated Remains of Loved One.....\$250

(Refunded to family when cremated loved one is picked up from the funeral home within 5 months of death)

Dividing of cremated body of Loved One - \$15 per division - Price is included in keepsake and/or jewelry prices. *It is our policy to only fill keepsakes and/or jewelry purchased at our facility.

Filling jewelry or keepsakes - \$10 per item - Price is included in keepsake and/or jewelry prices sold at the funeral home. Items brought in by the family members will be charged \$10 per item. Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home, or its staff, is not responsible for any faulty keepsakes or jewelry that family members may bring in.

WFCAP SERVICE PACKAGES

Wisconsin Funeral & Cemetery Aid Program (WFCAP) is handled through the State of Wisconsin. This benefit is to be used as a last resort for funds. The deceased estate or the family should take care of the services and merchandise selected. When this program is to be used as a last resort for funds, these packages are to be used. This program DOES NOT cover the total funeral bill. It is an aid program and provides partial benefits. **The program allows for a max total of funeral home charges (including casket) to be \$4,500 which includes all services and merchandise selected. There is a potential reimbursement to the funeral home of \$1,500. For the Cemetery Charges, the program allows for a max total of \$3,500 which includes the crematory, monument/inscription (if required by the cemetery), grave space and grave opening. The potential reimbursement to the funeral home if \$1,000.** The difference is to be paid by the family of the deceased. Should the services you select go over the max allowed, there will be no benefit paid by the State of Wisconsin.

Below are the options available when using the WFCAP program. There may be times when there will not be benefits available through the Funeral Service portion but there would be some for the cemetery portion. Please ask for details.

Honor Package – Please refer to the Honor Package on page 7. Selecting this package would be over the allowable for the WFCAP program and there would be no benefits received for the funeral service portion but potentially \$1,000 towards cemetery expenses.

Cherish Package – Please refer to the Cherish Package on page 8. Selecting this package would be over the allowable for the WFCAP program and there would be no benefits received for the funeral service portion but potentially \$1,000 towards cemetery expenses.

Tribute Packages – Direct Cremation - Urn present for service

Does not include the crematory, alternative container or cash advanced items. Please refer to the Tribute Package on pages 9 and 10. Listed below is the package that would qualify for funeral service benefits as well as cemetery benefits. Does not include an urn or registry package.

HELD AT FUNERAL HOME, CHURCH OR OTHER LOCATION

1 Day Memorial/Gathering/Celebration held M-F, 9am-3pm..(WFCAP1) \$4,500

Simple Cremation - Please refer to page 11. Listed below are packages that would qualify for funeral service benefits as well as cemetery benefits.

No Service (SC 1) - \$3,380

with Graveside Service (SC2) held M-F, 9am-3pm-\$4,500

Private Family Viewing prior to Cremation (WFCAP) - \$4,500

Package pricing excludes delayed burials, Weekends, Weeknights, Holidays and/or Holiday Weekends as there would be no benefit available.

****All cashed advanced items will need to be paid by the family.**

**Additional fees for crematory will apply if over 300 lbs

CASH ADVANCED ITEMS

Cash advanced items are not our fees but are fees that are associated with a funeral that we pay on behalf of the family. There are set fees that are billed to us after the funeral as well as items that are considered "gifts".

We have listed them below. While this list includes common Cash Advances, it does not (and cannot) include the prices for all the items that you may ask us to pay for on your behalf. The prices for these individual items will however be shown on your Itemized Statements.

Set Fees

Certified Copies of the death certificate (\$20/\$3)

Cemetery Fees (grave opening/reseeding)

Flowers

Newspapers/Radio Notices

Luncheon/Groceries/Cooks/Caterers

Mass Servers or Parish

Monument Inscription

Hair Stylist

Janitor/Church Cleaning Fee

Cremation Permit Fee

Crematory Fee

These items are considered a gift and we have indicated what is usual or customary but feel free to give what you feel your family can afford. However, some may have a fee different than our recommended amount. If this is the case, you will have to pay their required fee in order to use their services.

Clergy Honorarium (\$175-\$200)

Musician/Organist/Pianist (\$150-\$175)

Soloist/Singers/Choir (\$150-\$175)

Donation to Church group for preparing luncheon (\$125-\$250)

ITEMIZED SELECTIONS

Basic Services and Overhead Fees

Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff.....\$2,870

Our fee for the basic services of funeral director and staff includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service; arrangement conference with family and responsible parties; arrangements of funeral; preparation and filing of necessary authorizations and permits; recording vital statistics; preparation and placement of obituary notice; and coordination with those providing other portions of the funeral, e.g., cemetery, crematory, vault companies and others as required. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses relative to our facilities such as professional licensing, legal and accounting fees, insurance, building and utility expenses, parking lot and grounds, maintenance, taxes, equipment, furnishings, inventory costs, record keeping, and secretarial and administrative 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 cremations, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving Loved One. **It is also included in all of our packages.**)

Automotive Equipment

Prices quoted are for operation within our local, 35-mile service radius. Mileage outside of our service radius is \$1.75 per mile, both ways.

Transfer of Deceased to Funeral Home (***included in all package pricing***).....\$1,000

(Wisconsin law requires a licensed funeral director or apprentice/intern to perform initial transfer from place of death, price includes one or two people for the removal 24 hours per day)

Transfer to Service/Visitation/Cemetery (H, C3/4, T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4, SC2/3).....\$355

Lead Car/Flower Car/ Service Utility Vehicle (H, C3/4, T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4).....\$125

Transfer of Deceased to Cemetery for Cremation/Spring/Delayed Burial (T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4)..\$125

Additional Transportation fee to/from: Milwaukee Airport \$450 Chicago Airport \$650

We Charge for our services in obtaining the following Goods & Services

Photo Enlargements.....\$20T

Mailing Cremated Loved One via U.S. Express Registered Mail w/Return Receipt..\$300

ITEMIZED SELECTIONS

Additional Services and Facility Fees

Use of Staff & Equipment for Visitation/Gathering/Celebration.....\$395

Our services include set-up of area used for the visitation/gathering/celebration, placement of encased loved one, display of floral arrangements, supervision of and attendance during the visitation/gathering/celebration at the funeral home or at a location other than the funeral home the evening prior to services or immediately prior to service. (\$50.00 per hour after four hours) (H, C3/4, SCV1/2)

Use of Staff & Equipment for Funeral Service/Celebration.....\$395

Our services include coordinating the funeral arrangements, supervision of funeral/celebration, staff to attend funeral ceremony if needed, supervision of committal or other disposition service and associated set up for funeral ceremony at the funeral home or at a location other than the funeral home, all associated equipment/payments. (H, C3/4, SCV1/2)

Graveside Service.....Casket Burial...\$355.....Urn Burial....\$700

Use of staff to include coordinating the graveside service, associated setup and all associated equipment and payments. (H, T3/4, TV3/4, SC2)

Memorial Service/Gathering/Celebration.....\$800

Our services include set-up of memorial service/gathering/celebration of life area, placement of encased loved one, display of floral arrangements, supervision of and attendance during the memorial service/gathering/celebration of life at the funeral home or at a location other than the funeral home and all associated equipment and payments. (T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4)

Non Holiday Saturday/Sunday/Evening Service/Visitation (after 3pm)..\$500 (H, C1/3, T1/3, TV1/3)

Holiday or Holiday Weekend Service Overtime.....\$1,000

Use of cooling center - NCW Services, LLC - \$25/day (T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4, SC1/2/3, SCV1/2)

Sheltering of embalmed loved one (after three days).....\$25 per day

Use of Repository for Winter Sheltering.....\$ 250

Body Donation Services.....\$1,750

Our fee for the body donation service includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service; transportation of loved one to our funeral home; refrigeration of loved one; conference with family and responsible parties to obtain biographical information; arrangements with Medical College for transfer of loved one; preparation and filing of necessary authorizations and permits and recording vital statistics.

Inflation Protection (Pre-Funding Option).....15% of Funeral Home Charges

Inflation Protection is a one-time surcharge of 15% added to the current pricing on preselected Services and Merchandise items. This option is available through Pekin Life Ins. Co. and Schmidt & Schulta Inc. for the pre-funding program. Speak with your funeral director or pre-need counselor for further details.

ITEMIZED SELECTIONS

Preparation of the Deceased

Embalming.....\$950

Embalming is the scientific preparation and sanitary care of the body by licensed professionals using universal precautions for the protection of public health. 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. All embalming is performed by our licensed professional staff or agents, who may on occasion be assisted by licensed interns and mortuary students to the extent allowed by law. For both public health and aesthetic reasons, it is our policy to require embalming when it becomes a practical necessity. Such necessity will be determined by the specific circumstances in each individual case. (H, C1/2/3/4)

Other Preparation of the Body

Traditional Burial - Preparation and care of deceased for viewing (Public or Private) includes, but not limited to, standard cosmetic care, dressing and casketing...(H, C1/2/3/4, T1/2/3/4).....\$530

Cremation - Preparation and care of deceased for a **private viewing prior to cremation** includes, but not limited to, wash & disinfecting, feature setting, dressing, cosmetics, hair styling, and casketing into selected cremation casket, container or Chaise Viewer. (TV1/2/3/4, SCV1/2).....\$530

Cremation - Preparation and care of deceased for a simple cremation may include, but not limited to, washing & disinfecting, feature setting, dressing in hospital gown and placement in selected cremation container. (SC1/2/3,).....\$60

Use of Equipment.....\$2,500

Use of Equipment for memorial/funeral service away from the funeral home when the funeral home is not in attendance. Includes, as needed: flower stands, memorial contribution container, photo display boards, etc to be picked up and delivered back to the funeral home by the family.

In House Hair Stylist (H, C1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4, SCV1/2).....\$75

Special or extensive Reconstructive Restoration.....\$85/per hour

Special Care of Autopsied Body of Loved One\$240

Special Care of Organ Donation Body of Loved One.....\$400

Special Care of Communicable Disease.....\$250

Cooperative and Immediate Services

Forwarding of loved one to another funeral home (If selected separately...\$5,845+tax), \$ 4,120

Includes removal of loved one (within 35 miles), necessary services of staff, necessary authorizations, embalming, other preparations of the body (no cosmetics, dressing, hair), minimum shipping receptacle and transportation to Chicago Airport. It does not include shipping fees or casket.

Forwarding of loved one to Mexico \$ 7,810-\$9,555

Includes removal of loved one (within 35 miles), necessary services of staff, necessary authorizations, embalming, other preparations of the body, visitation of 2 hours, minimum casket shipping receptacle, transportation to Milwaukee, coordination in all required paperwork and translations required by the Mexican Consulate and Mexico and a 20-gauge casket. It does not include air fare, funeral home in Mexico or any funeral service in Wisconsin.

Receiving loved one from another funeral home..... \$ 2,755-\$4,880

Packages may include some or all of the following depending on the service selected: receiving of Loved One at the Chicago or Milwaukee Airport or another funeral home, transportation to funeral home, necessary services of staff, necessary authorizations, visitation, Registry Package, rites, graveside service, transportation of loved one to local church/cemetery (35 miles) or crematory. The fee does not include charges for the casket, outer burial container or any cash advanced items. *Does not include registry package

Immediate Burial* - \$ 2,755 (M-F only) Graveside Service* – \$3,610 *M-F 9-3...\$3,110

Visitation/Gathering/Celebration/Funeral Service at funeral home/other location - \$4,880 (M-F 9-3 - \$4,380)

Receiving Cremated Remains \$1,875-\$3,920

Packages may include some or all of the following depending on the service selected: receiving of loved one's cremated remains from family/post office, necessary services of staff/equipment for a memorial service with or without the cremated remains present and/or graveside service following the service, necessary authorizations and registry package. Does not include: urn, outer burial container, delayed graveside or cash advanced items. *Immediate burial and graveside do not include registry package

Memorial/Gathering/Celebration

at funeral home – no burial - \$ 3,470 (M-F 9am-3pm - \$2,970)

at funeral home with burial or other location with/without burial - \$ 3,825 (M-F 9am-3pm - \$3,325)

Immediate Burial* - \$ 1,475 (M-F only) Graveside* - \$2,675 (M-F 9am-3pm - \$2,175)

The above pricing DOES NOT include the Holiday Weekend charge of \$1,000

Immediate Burial..... \$ 4,155-\$5,010

Burial must take place within 60 hours of death or embalming charges will apply. Includes continuous twenty-four hour availability of Funeral Director and staff for receiving notification of death and coordinating release of deceased from place of death. Coordinating and filing of all necessary medical examiner forms and cemetery forms. Use of staff and vehicle for transfer of the deceased from the place of death to the funeral home and transportation to the cemetery. Washing and disinfecting, casketing or encasing when the body is unembalmed, including necessary chemical and equipment required per Wis. Statute 136.04. Also included in this charge are proportionate allocations of overhead expenses relative to our facilities such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, secretarial and administrative costs, and general operating expenses.

Immediate Burial w/ casket provided by the purchaser or selected at our funeral home...\$4,155

Immediate Burial with a Graveside Service w/ casket selected from our funeral home*.....\$5,010

Held M-F, 9am-3pm*.....\$4,510 * Plus Casket/Container Cost

Outer Burial Container Price List

In most areas of the country, state or local law does not require that you purchase 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 a burial vault will satisfy these requirements. These prices are effective January 1, 2026.

Premium Vault

Triple Reinforced Burial Vault with High Impact ABS & Bronze and Copper.

Wilbert Bronze.....Bronze over Concrete.....\$17,000

Bronze Triune.....Heavy Concrete/Bronze.....\$6,100

Copper Triune.....Heavy Concrete/Copper.....\$5,700

Standard Vault

Double Reinforced Burial Vaults with High Impact ABS & Stainless Steel Interiors.

Stainless Steel Triune.....Heavy Concrete/Stainless.....\$4,950

Cameo Rose.....Heavy Concrete/Stainless.....\$4,750

Veteran.....Heavy Concrete/Stainless.....\$4,750

Basic Vault

Single Reinforced Burial Vaults with High Impact Thermo Plastic (Marbelon) or Stentex Plastic.

Venetian.....Medium Concrete/Marbelon.....\$3,650

Continental.....Medium Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,950

Economy Vaults

Monticello.....Medium Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,550

Oxford.....Medium Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,550

Salute.....Medium Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,675

Economy Outer Burial Container

Monarch.....Light Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,350

National.....Light Concrete/Plastic.....\$2,350

Utility Grave Box

Grave Box.....Cement/unlined and unsealed.....\$1,999

Saturday Delivery Charge.....\$600

Sunday Delivery Charge.....\$800

Legal Holiday Delivery Charge.....\$1,100

Overtime Charge.....\$90 per half hour after 4:00

Or funerals arriving 30 minutes after the scheduled burial time

Names included on all vaults. Colors: Bronze, Antique Gold, Copper, Silver, Pale Pink, and Silver Blue.

Emblems: American Legion, Crucifix, Wreath, Lions International, Masonic, Rose, K. of C., WW I, WW II, & V.F.W.

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Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home makes no representations or warranties regarding the outer burial containers listed above. The only warranties, expressed or implied, granted in connection with the outer burial containers are the express written warranties, if any, extended by the manufacturers thereof. Schmidt & Schulta Funeral Home hereby expressly disclaims all warranties, expressed or implied, relating to the outer burial containers, including, but not limited to the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. The Monarch outer burial receptacle does not carry a manufacturer's warranty, either expressed or implied.

MISCELLANEOUS MERCHANDISE

Merchandise

Caskets – Infant/Youth *\$400 to \$1,110
Undergarments (per set)...\$ 25T Cremation Bag...\$20T Body Bag...\$50-\$150T
Zigler Case...\$1,000T Shipping Tray...\$300T Combo Shipping Tray....\$450T

Urns

We offer a wide selection of urns at each of our funeral home locations. Urns may be categorized as statuary art, traditional, contemporary, decorative, functional and basic. Urns are made from various materials, such as bronze, wood, crystal, glass, ceramic, or steel, and many urns are available in Keepsake and Memento versions.

Temporary Urns.....\$15-\$60 Urns (Wood, Metal, Marble & Granite)...\$200-\$600
Urn Vaults.....\$250-\$2,500

Remembrance Items

Our Memorial Options Gallery offers many choices in stationery designs, accessory selections, and other helpful aids. Personalization is an important part of the services we offer, and we provide many opportunities for families to choose appropriate designs.

Personalized Register Book \$250T (Discounted pricing \$130T when funeral service selected)
\$75 each additional register book

Personalized Folders/Holy Cards (up to 100) \$275T (Discounted pricing \$135T when funeral service selected)
Includes color photo on outside of card. Additional \$50 for color photo on inside.

Personalized Thank You Cards (100)\$275T (Discounted pricing \$135T when funeral service selected)
Does not include photo. Additional \$50 for color photo to be on inside.

* Memorial Folder or Holy Cards or Acknowledgment Cards may be printed, as needed/requested, for an additional service charge of \$10T per 25 or \$15T per 50

Laminated Temporary Marker \$50T Cross/Crucifix (displayed in casket).....\$30T

Glass Angel Ornament. ..\$50T (Discounted pricing \$40T when funeral service selected)

Remembrance Candle...\$60T(Discounted pricing \$35T when funeral service selected)

Personalized Word Art...\$50T (Disc. pricing \$30w/frame, \$10 w/out frame (T) when funeral service selected)

Laminated Obituaries 4/\$30T(Discounted pricing 4/\$15T when funeral service selected)

Memorial tribute video (one DVD).....\$150T

Photos received digitally on a thumb drive or uploaded online – Additional DVD \$25T

Live Streaming/Recording of service for online viewing (some areas affected) ..\$150

DVD (one DVD)..\$150T – additional DVD \$25T each

Remembrance Package may include the Personalized Register Book, Personalized Memorial Folders, Personalized Acknowledgment Cards, Laminated Temporary Marker, Remembrance Candle, Laminated Obituaries, Personalized Word Art and Cross/Crucifix and is included in H, C1/2/3/4, T1/2/3/4, TV1/2/3/4, SCV2.

NOTES & REMINDERS