



ALEXANDER & HOULE
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Price List

Effective date: January 25th, 2021

Person in charge of day-to-day operations:

Managing Director & Owner: Daniel Houle

	Funeral with Visitation Day Before	Funeral with Visitation One Hour Prior	Memorial Service at Funeral Home/Other	Immediate Cremation/Burial
Basic Professional Services	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$450.00
Co-ordinating rites & ceremonies	\$475.00	\$475.00	\$475.00	\$0
Documentation – permits, forms, etc.	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00
Transport remains - initial (50 km)	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00
Basic preparation of remains	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Embalming of remains	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$0	\$0
Facilities for preparation/embalming/shelter	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00
Staff services for visitation	\$450.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Facilities for visitation	\$475.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Staff services for ceremony	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$0
Facilities for ceremony	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$0
Transport remains - additional (To the cemetery or crematorium) \$2.50 per kilometer one way			\$150.00	\$150.00
Funeral Coach	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$0	\$0
Administrative/Clergy Automobile	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$85.00
TOTAL	\$4210.00	\$3285.00	\$2885.00	\$1460.00

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Explanation of Services

Professional & Staff Services – fall into the following categories

Basic Professional Fees (requires Basic Facility Charges)	\$ 450.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Professional consultation with licensed personnel, including, but not limited to, expert advice on options to meet your needs including essential services related to disposition, drafting notices, planning scheduling of services, advising regarding possible government benefits. A basic professional fee is payable whenever we provide services to you.	
Coordinating Rites & Ceremonies	\$ 475.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Co-ordination of all activities, rites and ceremonies, before, during and after they have been provided, including services and supplies provided by us, as well as those provided by third party suppliers, such as flowers and death notices.	
Transport remains – initial or additional (within 50 km; additional fees apply beyond 50 km)	\$ 250.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Transportation of the remains from one place to another, for example the hospital to the business, or the business to the cemetery or crematorium, a charge applies for each transportation request<ul style="list-style-type: none">Using an unmarked vanUsing a funeral coach or hearse	
Basic preparation of remains (requires Facilities for preparation/embalming/shelter)	\$ 100.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">The preparation of the body for placement into the casket, including bathing, dressing and the setting of facial features for identification or viewing without embalming.	
Embalming of remains (requires Basic preparation of remains)	\$ 300.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Embalming is the process of replacing blood and bodily fluids with chemical preservatives. It is a process of sanitation, restoration, and temporary preservation. Embalming is not legally required but may be recommended to preserve the body between the time of death and the visitation or disposition of the deceased. Our professional funeral directors will make a recommendation based on the condition of the body and expected service needs.	
Facilities for preparation/embalming/shelter	\$ 175.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Facilities used to prepare, embalm, and shelter the body	
Staff services for visitation	\$ 450.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Staff to coordinate and oversee the visitation (informal gathering) for a period up to 4 hours.	
Facilities for visitation (requires Staff services for visitation)	\$ 475.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Designated facilities used for visitation for a period up to 4 hours.	

Staff services for ceremony	\$ 500.00
• Staff to coordinate and oversee the ceremony or memorial service for up to 3 hours	
Facilities for ceremony (requires Staff services for ceremony)	\$ 450.00
• Designated facilities used for the ceremony or memorial service for up to 3 hours.	
Administrative/Clergy Automobile (Vehicle used to collect documentation & transportation to the cemetery for the minister/clergy person)	\$ 85.00
Funeral Coach (Used to carry casket or urn from place of service to the cemetery)	\$ 250.00
Unmarked Service Vehicle (Use to transport deceased to crematorium and cemetery)	\$ 150.00
Additional mileage – mileage travelled beyond 50 km from the business will be charged one way only (this is a rate of \$2.50 per kilometer)	\$

Casket Selection

Name & Manufacturer	Description	Price
Cremation Container Model #1 Manufacturer: Funeral Home	Adult cremation container. 5/8 Particle board construction. No interior or pillow. Suitable for cremation.	\$ 210.00
The Winston Model # DM220-00002 Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. 1/2 Particle board construction with a blue cloth covering. White satin interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$ 1100.00
The Alfred Model # WR252-00085-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. 1/2 Particle board construction with a poplar veneer. Beige satin interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$ 1495.00
The Borealis Model # WR232-00359 Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid ash & veneer components, topaz colour treatment, satin finish, lined in beige crepe, wood bar carriers. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$ 1995.00
The Milword Model#WR252-00262 Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Solid poplar and veneer components, walnut colour treatment, satin finish, tan crepe. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$1995.00
The Winfield Model # WR252-00052-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid poplar & veneer construction. Beige crepe interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$2295.00
The Dominion Maple Model # WR220-00379-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid maple adult standard shell, maple construction from 1" stock timber & 5/8 material, hand rubbed titian exterior, tan crepe interior, & wood swing bars. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$2550.00
The Fairholme Model # WR210-00195 Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid oak construction with fully lined pink rose interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$2985.00
The Maxima Model I# WC212-00003-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid red oak construction with fully lined cream crepe interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$3100.00
The Michael Angelo Model #WC220-00001-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Adult casket. Solid red oak construction with fully lined cream crepe interior. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$3695.00
The Wabash Cherry Model WC205-00029-CC Manufacturer: Victoriaville	Finest Solid Cherrywood, Embassy Colour Treatment, Hand-Rubbed High Gloss Finish, Beige Velvet. Suitable for burial & cremation.	\$3895.00
Aegean Copper Model: 147935 Manufacturer: Batesville	Non-Rusting Copper - 32 Ounce-Brown Champagne Velvet Interior MemorySafe® Drawer Living Memorial® Program Suitable for burial.	\$7895.00

Adult Caskets: Are Approximately 30 inches wide & 84 inches long

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Urn Selection

Name & Manufacturer	Description	Price
Infinity Pewter or Infinity Gold-Adult Urn Model #A Supplier: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Made of brass with a brushed pewter finish and or gold finish and accented with a black floral pattern on the body and lid.	\$270.00
Returning Home-Adult Urn Model #B Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Silver & blue urn with decorative doves.	\$340.00
Prairie Wheat-Adult Urn Model #C Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Brown urn with three shafts of wheat. Golden coloured accents.	\$350.00
Autumn Leaves-Adult Urn Model #D Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Brown urn with golden coloured accents (three maple leaves).	\$350.00
Saturn Chestnut-Adult Urn Model #E Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Handcrafted brass urn with 3 gold polished rings.	\$370.00
Mother of Pearl-Adult Urn Model #F Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). Beautiful, solid brass urn with the mother of pearl inlay. It features a shiny gold finish with a threaded top lid.	\$385.00
Floral Etched-Adult Urn Model #G Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). The Floral Etched is a solid brass urn with gold floral etching on a dark surface	\$395.00
Vienna Copper-Adult Urn Model #H Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). The Vienna Copper has a beautiful copper finish accented with a gold floral pattern band on the body and the lid.	\$395.00
Blessing Pearl-Adult Urn Model #I Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Standard Urn Size (to accommodate cremated remains from one adult). The Blessing urn features smooth hand-applied pearlescent finish, adorned with beautiful hand-engraved band around the lid of the urn. The sleek, creative design of this urn features a curious combination of classic and modern elements.	\$420.00
TEALIGHTS & KEEPSAKES Commemorate Group Inc.	Various co-ordinating tealights and keepsakes. Placement for candle and used as a keepsake. Height: 5" Capacity: 18 Cubic Inches	\$125.00 each
Keepsakes Manufacturer: Commemorate Group Inc.	Heart Brushed Pewter or Gold, Star Brushed Gold or Silver, Heart Hammered Gold Bronze or Pewter Midnight, Heart Returning Dove or Heart Flying Doves (Blue)	\$110.00 each

Urn Keepsakes Models A to I are available. Descriptions above, except in small keepsake size \$99.00 each All urns are □ Capacity: approximately 200 Cubic Inches □ Dimensions: 10.3" x 6.1"

Vault Selection

Name & Manufacturer	Description	Price
Concrete Grave Liner Model: Concrete Grave Liner Manufacturer: Haberers	The concrete grave liner is designed to meet basic cemetery requirements for an outer container. The liner will prevent grave collapse. This product has no seal between the lid and base. There are holes in base to promote drainage.	\$925.00
Standard Vault Model: The Topseal Manufacturer: Haberers	The Topseal offers families the best in value burial products. The Topseal's main structural feature is a butyl rubber seal between the lid and base bonding them together for the best possible strength.	\$1150.00
The Estate Model: The Estate Manufacturer: Haberers	The Estate burial vault offers the highest level of protection with the addition of the moisture protective polystyrene inner liner. Additional steel reinforcement and tiered lid structure creates the best in pressure, seal and moisture protection. The Estate also features a standard copper concrete sealant covering the full outer surface with lid on display at the graveside. The lid features a full colour professionally designed nameplate. Optional full lid personalization.	\$1450.00
The Trilogy Model: The Trilogy Manufacturer: Haberers	The Trilogy burial vault offers all the structural benefits to the Estate vault with the added feature of a decorative white marble polystyrene, on the lid and inside the box. The Trilogy is finished with white paint and gold accents, has 2 decorative gold handlebars on the lid and features the flat top full colour lid design for personalization. The Trilogy includes a full top professionally designed lid graphic.	\$2000.00
Grass & Device	Vault placed partially in ground, sitting on steel support hangers, plywood and planking to create safe gravesite, and artificial grass to cover boards and mound	\$150.00
The Expandable Urn Vault Model: Sand Span Urn Vault 027 Manufacturer: Eckels	This vault is constructed of moisture proof, non-deteriorating polystyrene. Featuring height adjustments via stackable extensions to accommodate most sizes & styles of urns. Size: 14 1/2 inches W X 9 inches H Band Depth-2 inches	\$290.00

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Other Available Services and Equipment

Reception facilities	\$250.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Use of facilities for a reception following a funeral service or memorial service is available at no additional cost for families. If the rental of our reception facilities is all you are requesting (no funeral service or memorial service), there is a fee of \$350 which includes the set up of the facilities, the use of the facilities and amenities. Staff will set up and clean up the reception room.	
Catering services	\$10.00 per person
<ul style="list-style-type: none">We offer catering at \$10.00 per person. This includes sandwiches, squares, fruit & vegetable trays, coffee, tea, and juice. A hostess is provided to assist your family during your gathering.You may cater the food yourself.	
Stationery Packages	\$250.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Registrar Book, as many Thank You, Prayer Cards, Personalized Memorial Cards as needed. This package includes a personalized memorial DVD created in the funeral home.	
Additional DVD's	\$10.00 each additional copy
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Additional copies of the personalized memorial DVD created in the funeral home are available at the family's request.	
Removal of pacemaker or implant	No charge
<ul style="list-style-type: none">The removal of a pacemaker or implant will be carried out by a licensed professional.	
Refundable Deposit for Cremated Remains	\$350.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none">When human remains are to be cremated, a refundable deposit will be required to be paid. If the cremated remains are not claimed within one year of the cremation, the deposit may be used to inter the cremated remains in common ground. If the cremated remains are claimed before they are interred, the deposit will be refunded.	

Proudly Affiliated with the Following Providers

Alexander & Houle Funeral Home Ltd. is proud to be affiliated with following service providers.

Municipality of Chatham-Kent Cemeteries
PO Box 640
Civic Centre
315 King St W
Chatham, Ontario
N7M 5K8

Heavenly Rest Crematorium
5005 Howard Ave.
Windsor, Ontario
N9H 1Z5

Disbursements

Disbursements are items arranged for and possibly paid for on your behalf by us. You are expected to pay for these items at the time the contract is entered. The following are some items that are often identified as disbursements.

Coroner's fee – this is a fee charged by the coroner for issuing a certificate that allows cremation to take place. The fee is set by the Chief Coroner for Ontario.

Clergy honorarium & Organist/Soloist/Piper honorarium – this is an amount paid to the clergy/organist/soloist/piper for their services. In some cases, the amount is set by the clergy/organist/soloist/piper, in others it is an amount to be determined by you.

Newspaper or radio notices – these are charges for death notices placed in newspapers or radio or other media outlets.

Municipal death registration fee – this is a fee charged by the local municipality to register the death. The fee is set by the municipality and may vary.

Grass & Device-equipment used for burial set-up at cemetery.

Payment, financing, and funding

We are proud to offer various payment, funding, and financing options to our clients.

Payment

Unless otherwise specified, payment is due within 30 days of signing the contract. Payment may be made by cash & cheque. Payment plans are also available to meet most budgets. Financing charges apply to payment plans. Beyond the allotted time, interest will be charged at a rate of 1.5% which is equivalent to 18% per annum (APR).

If you are prepaying for services or supplies, pre-authorized chequing is also available.

Financing

Our payment plans give you the option of making payments over time. We offer a competitive financing program, administration fees and interest rates.

Funding

For your convenience, we offer two funding options when prepaying services or supplies. When prepaying, you pay for the services and supplies today, and the money will be used to pay for the services and supplies when they are delivered at the time of death.

Trust: You may pay the money directly to us and we will place it in trust, where it will accrue interest until the contract is fulfilled (when the services and supplies are delivered) or the contract is cancelled.

Insurance: You may purchase an insurance contract where the proceeds of the insurance contract will be used to pay for the services or supplies at the time they are delivered, or the contract is cancelled.