



Funeral Services
Price Guide

Planning a funeral
service, burial or
cremation.

JAMES MURRAY
FUNERAL DIRECTORS
AUSTRALIAN FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED



Our Philosophy

**"We don't just plan funerals
- we care for people, with
compassion and dignity,
every step of the way."**

Complete Transparency

Several factors can affect the cost of a funeral, making each service unique. We're here to help explain the factors that influence the final price.

Our Pricing Breaks Down Into Two Parts: Essential Care & Extras

*Prices include GST

Funeral Prices: Essential Care and Extras

'Essential care' includes all the core services you need for a funeral, while 'extras' covers add-ons like a celebrant, catering, flowers and design touches. Choosing burial or cremation will also influence the final cost. We aim for complete transparency so you can make informed decisions that honour your loved one and suit your budget.

Introduction of Our Fees

Care of Your Loved One	\$935
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Your loved one will be transferred into our care by at least two dedicated staff members, ensuring the highest level of respect at all times. They will be cared for in our accredited mortuary facilities by our experienced and highly trained mortuary staff.

Professional Fee	\$1,870
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24/7 phone support to notify us when a loved one has passed. Compassionate guidance from our experienced team, including a dedicated meeting with one of our Funeral Arrangers. Our administration staff will liaise with nursing homes, doctors, Births, Deaths & Marriages managing all required legal documentation. This fee also contributes to the ongoing operational costs of our business.

Funeral Service Fee	\$2,805
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Your Funeral Arranger will coordinate all aspects of the service, including communication with third parties such as florists, celebrants, newspapers, and catering providers. This fee also includes the support of our wider team, with staff attending and overseeing the service, including one of our trained audio-visual specialists and covers state-of-the-art facilities.

The Necessities

Essential Care

Death certificate	<p>The official death certificate, from Births, Deaths, & Marriages</p> <p>Registered post of death certificate</p>	\$57
		\$11
Coffin Selection	<p>Coffin range</p> <p>Custom size XL coffin surcharge</p> <p>Custom size XXL or XXXL coffin surcharge</p> <p>No service 'essential' coffin</p>	<p>From \$1,760</p> <p>From \$220</p> <p>From \$440</p> <p>\$715</p>
Care of your loved one	<p>Bringing your loved one into our care, mortuary care & preparation</p> <p>Out of area transfer (Per km)</p> <p>After hours transfer</p>	<p>\$935</p> <p>POA</p> <p>\$550</p>
Professional fee	<p>Our expertise and skills, and behind-the-scenes coordination</p> <p>After hours arrangement</p>	<p>\$1,870</p> <p>No Cost</p>

Essential Variables

Cremation	<p>Cremation</p> <p>Doctor's / coroner's paperwork</p> <p>Government cremation levy</p>	<p>From \$730</p> <p>From \$330</p> <p>\$45.10</p>
Burial	<p>Cemetery plot</p> <p>Gravemarker</p> <p>Government burial levy</p>	<p>From \$1,750</p> <p>\$275</p> <p>\$171.60</p>

Holding a funeral service

Funeral service fee	<p>Coordinating & running the service also our facilities &/or equipment (60 minutes)</p> <p>Double venue fee (eg. Service followed by graveside or crematorium committal)</p> <p>External venue fee</p> <p>Extended chapel venue fee</p> <p>Delayed burial</p> <p>Saturday service surcharge</p> <p>Sunday service surcharge</p> <p>Memorial service discount</p>	<p>\$2,805</p> <p>\$550</p> <p>At Cost</p> <p>From \$220</p> <p>From \$250</p> <p>\$1,760</p> <p>\$1,980</p> <p>-\$1,650.10</p>
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The Special Extras

Personal touches such as a professional celebrant, floral cover, service booklets or photos for a presentation can transform a service into a heartfelt tribute to a loved one, celebrating their personality and what they loved.

Celebrant	<i>Celebrant (single service) Required at graveside</i>	From \$440 At Cost
Our Florist	<i>Standard casket spray Sheaf coffin cover Bowl / vase arrangement Individual flowers</i>	From \$330 From \$220 From \$330 From \$5
Design Studio	<i>Service booklet design fee Service booklet printing fee Photo presentation - 60 photos Framed photos Candles Memorial cards / bookmarks design fee Memorial cards / bookmarks Memorial book</i>	\$110 From \$2.20 each \$275 From \$66 \$44 \$110 From \$2.20 each \$88
Notices	<i>Website notice Newspaper notice (at cost)</i>	No Cost From \$330
Viewings	<i>Funeral home 1 hour (Mon - Fri - 9am to 4pm) *Services only Extended viewing (per 60 mins) Prior to funeral service (funeral home church or crematorium chapel) Off site location After hours viewing</i>	No Cost \$220 No Cost \$715 From \$330

The Special Extras

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Mortuary	Temporary preservation	\$660
	Full embalm	\$1,760
	Bio seal	\$1,540
	Shroud	\$165
	Body holding after 14 days (per week)	\$330
Church Fees	Church clergy	From \$440 (No GST)
	Church fees	POA (No GST)
	Organist	From \$120 (No GST)
Our Vehicles	Hearse	Included
	Mourning car	From \$440
AV Requirements	Live stream & record at our site	No Cost
	Live stream by external provider	From \$660
Cemeteries & Crematoria NSW levy	Per cremation	\$45.10
	Per ash interment	\$69.30
	Per burial	\$171.60
Other Services	Mounted Crucifix	\$220
	Postage of Ashes	\$165
	Cremation urn / jewellery	From \$264
	Repatriation domestic	\$4,840 plus freight
	Repatriation international	\$8,500 plus freight

Our Commitment

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Pricing Examples

Cremation, with no service

Essential Care	Death certificate	\$57
	Registered post of death certificate	\$11
	Essential coffin	\$715
	Care of your loved one fee	\$935
	Professional fee	\$1,870
Cremation	Cremation	\$730
	Doctor's / coroner's paperwork	\$330
	Government levy	\$45.10
	No service cremation package discount	- \$1,013.10
	Total \$3,680.00	

A service at one of our chapels, with a cremation

Essential Care	Death certificate	\$57
	Registered post of death certificate	\$11
	Service coffin (most affordable)	\$1,760
	Care of your loved one	\$935
	Professional fee	\$1,870
Cremation	Cremation	\$730
	Doctor's / coroner's paperwork	\$330
	Government levy	\$45.10
Funeral Fee	Service held in our chapel	\$2,805
Main Additions	Celebrant	\$440
	Hearse	-
	Website notice	-
	Live stream & record	-
	Total \$8,983.10	
Special Additions	Standard casket spray	\$330
	Service booklets, 20 copies	\$150
	Photo presentation	\$275
	Catering for 30 guests	From \$220
	Total \$9,958.10	

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Proudly
Australian Owned Family Business

At James Murray Funeral Directors, we make a difficult time a little easier by managing every aspect of the funeral service in-house at our state-of-the-art facilities. We offer the highest quality care at a price that is among the most affordable.

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Catering - The Belford

Prices include GST. Catering is available for groups of up to 120 guests, which includes linen tablecloths, disposable napkins, tea, coffee, milk, juice and scones for up to 30 people. Menu items may vary depending on availability, and we're happy to accommodate dietary requirements – just let us know.

Base Package \$220

The base package includes linen tablecloths, disposable napkins, tea, coffee, milk, juice and scones for up to 30 people.

Cold Food Platters		Per Platter
Traditional Mixed Sandwiches	_____	30 Pieces
Small Fruit Platter	_____	\$45
Larger Fruit Platter	_____	\$65
Small Cheese and Antipasto Platter	_____	\$60
Large Cheese and Antipasto Platter	_____	\$100

Hot Food Platters		Per Platter
Mini Meat Pies	_____	36 Pieces
Cocktail Sausage Rolls	_____	\$70
Cocktail Quiche	_____	\$70
Pumpkin Arancini	_____	\$90
Spinach and Fetta Filo Parcels	_____	\$60
Tempura Prawn	_____	\$60
Meat Balls with Spicy Sauce	_____	\$90
Cocktail Fish	_____	\$45
		\$75

Sweets Platters		Per Platter
Caramel Slice, Cherry Slice and Carrot Cake	_____	30 Pieces
Scones with Jam and Cream	_____	\$65
Tarts - Berry and Ricotta, Portuguese, & Chocolate	_____	\$35
		\$75

Portion Guide

Light - 2-4 Pieces Per Person | Substantial – 4-6 Pieces Per Person

Beverages

We offer a BYO option, allowing families to provide their own alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages. A delegated person holding a current RSA is required to serve during the event. To ensure everything is properly chilled and ready for service, all beverages must be delivered to our venue at least 48 hours prior to the funeral.

A service fee of \$165 applies.

Please note that additional fees apply for functions held on Saturdays. Outside food is not permitted due to health and safety requirements.

Coffins & Caskets

We're committed to making the selection process smooth and dignified. You can meet our staff in person at one of our offices or speak over the phone, and they'll guide you through our range of styles and finishes to choose the option that best honours your loved one's memory.

Caskets

Imperial	———	Solid cedar casket with domed lid and large corner pillars, full length drop bar handles, ruffled satin interior.	Standard - \$7,590
Regal	———	Solid Timber casket with domed lid, 3/4 drop bars, ruffled satin interior.	\$6,820
Grecian Urn	———	Rosewood gloss finish with full couch lid and ruffled satin interior.	Full Lid - \$5,500

Solid Timber

State Cedar	———	Gloss finish triple raised lid with panelled sides and ruffled satin interior.	\$5,060
Wentworth Cedar	———	Cedar, gloss finished flat lid with scalloped ends and ruffled satin interior	\$4,620
Rosedale	———	White or pine, gloss finish, triple raised lid with panelled sides and end, with ruffled satin interior.	\$4,290

Craftwood

Macquarie	———	Pine high gloss finish, double raised lid, veneered timber finish, white satin interior.	\$3,630
Windsor	———	Rosewood, high gloss finish, double raised lid, combination of craft wood and solid timber, white satin interior.	\$3,410
Classic White	———	White gloss finish with a single raised lid and white satin interior.	\$3,025
Richmond	———	Rosewood high gloss finish with white plisse interior.	\$2,359.50
Rosewood	———		
Richmond	———	Maple high gloss finish and white plisse interior.	\$2,112
Maple	———		
Economy	———	Teak, matt finish with flat lid and plisse interior.	\$1,760

Environmental Coffins

Enviro	———	Plantation Radiata Pine coffin. Natural Oil finish. Fully dowelled locking system. Rope Handles.	\$4,400
Wicker	———	Sustainably sourced and handwoven without glues or metals. Features round ends, a wooden nameplate, and six handles.	\$4,070
Expression	———	Handmade in Australia with high-resolution image wraps using eco-friendly, water-based latex inks.	\$3,850

Child Services

We understand that the loss of a child is beyond words, and we are here to support you with the utmost care and compassion. Our professional fees reflect the dedication, time and sensitivity required to honour every child's memory with dignity. We are committed to providing thoughtful, transparent guidance at every step, so you can focus on what matters most.

Our Professional Care Service Fees

Professional Fees	—————	Cremation, with no service viewing Fee <i>Children to 7 years</i>	\$1,100
		Professional Service Fee (Single Venue)	\$2,178
		Professional Service Fee (Double Venue)	\$2,783
		Stillborn & Baby cremation, with no service	\$990
		Stillborn & Baby Funerals	\$1,980

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