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| **2017 *Direct Cremation* Price Survey The 10 Lowest Prices for Direct Cremation in the Twin Cities Metro Area *Funeral Consumers Alliance of Minnesota – fcaofmn.org*** | | | | | |
| **CREMATION PROVIDER** | **PRICE** | **PRICE(S) ON WEBSITE?** | **CREMATORY USED** | **WITNESS CREMATION CHARGE** | **PRIVATE VIEWING CHARGE** |
| ***ONLINE CREMATION ARRANGEMENT PROVIDERS*** | | | | | |
| **ECremationMN.com** | **745** | **Yes** | **Cremation & Trade Service *(St. Paul)*** | **No Charge** | **520** |
| [ecremationmn.com](https://ecremationmn.com/) |  | | | | |
| **SimpleCremationOnline** | **990** | **Yes** | **Forest Lawn Memorial *(Maplewood)*** | **196** | **96** |
| [simplecremationonline.com](https://www.simplecremationonline.com/arrange-a-cremation?view=carrangement&layout=default) | *NOT INCLUDED: container for the cremation process. Lowest priced cremation container: $176. TOTAL PRICE: $1,166.* | | | | |
| ***FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICE PROVIDERS*** | | | | | |
| **Crescent Tide Funeral & Cremation Service***(St. Paul)* | **750** | **Yes** | **Cremation & Trade Service *(St. Paul)*** | **120** | **120** |
| 651-315-8214  [www.crescenttide.com](http://www.crescenttide.com) | *ADDITIONAL CHARGE: for second person if removal is from a home: $60.* | | | | |
| **Holcomb-Henry-Boom-Purcell Funeral Home***(St. Paul)* | **1,205** | **Yes** | **Hillside Cemetery *(Minneapolis)*** | **125** | **95** |
| 651-646-2844  [www.holcombhenryboom.com](http://www.holcombhenryboom.com) | *NOT INCLUDED: cremated remains container (urn) ADDITIONAL CHARGES: for second person if removal is from a home: $135; removal after hours and on weekends $85; pacemaker removal: $65.* | | | | |
| **Simple Traditions by Bradshaw** *(St. Paul)* | **1,295** | **Yes** | **Forest Lawn Memorial *(Maplewood)*** | **No Charge** | **150** |
| 651-767-9333 [www.simpletraditions.com](http://www.simpletraditions.com) | *NOT INCLUDED: cremated remains container (urn). Price includes a $50 credit toward purchase of an urn from Bradshaw.* | | | | |
| **Choice Cremation***(Fridley)* | **1,295** | **Yes** | **Choice Crematory *(Fridley)*** | **150** | **295** |
| 763-571-5030 [www.choicecremation.com](http://www.choicecremation.com) | *ADDITIONAL CHARGE: for second person if removal is from a home: $150.* | | | | |
| **Cremation Services of  Mpls/St. Paul***(St. Paul)* | **1,395** | **Yes** | **Forest Lawn *(Maplewood)***  ***or* Cremation & Trade Service *(St. Paul)*** | **No Charge** | **No Charge** |
| 651-793-8730  [www.cremation-services.com](http://www.cremation-services.com) | *ADDITIONAL CHARGE:* *private viewing,* *if evening (after 8 PM) or weekend: $95.* | | | | |
| **Billman-Hunt Funeral Chapel***(Minneapolis)* | **1,450** | **No** | **Hillside Cemetery *(Minneapolis)*** | **225** | **No Charge** |
| 612-789-3535  [www.billmanhunt.com](http://www.billmanhunt.com) |  | | | | |
| **Spielman Mortuary***(St. Paul)* | **1,495** | **No** | **Cremation & Trade Service *(St. Paul)*** | **50 (M-F) 150 (SAT)** | **150** |
| 651-222-6363  [www.spielmanmortuary,com](http://www.spielmanmortuary,com) | *ADDITIONAL CHARGES: if removal is from a home: $100; if removal is in evening or on weekend:$150.* | | | | |
| **Twin Cities Cremation***(St. Paul)* | **1,495** | **No** | **Lakewood Cemetery *(Minneapolis)*** | **125** | **175** |
| 651-645-1233  [www.twincitiescremation.com](http://www.twincitiescremation.com) |  | | | | |
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| ***Unless otherwise noted above, all prices include:*** | ▪ **Basic Services of Funeral Provider and Staff** ▪ **Removal of Deceased from Place of Death to Funeral Home** ▪ **Care/Shelter of Deceased Until Time of Cremation** ▪ **Filing Necessary Paperwork** ▪ **Crematory Fee** ▪ **Alternative Containers for Cremation Process & Cremated Remains** | | | | |
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