

GREEN FUNERALS & BURIALS



Courtesy of Milton Fields

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE “GREEN” IN FUNERAL SERVICE?

As with the concept of “green” in general, green in funeral services means practicing environmental consciousness and being eco-friendly. There are several “shades” of green possible when planning an eco-friendly funeral. Sometimes referred to as “blended” funerals, these services combine conventional funeral practices with green burial practices.

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the location nearest you.*

WHERE YOUR JOURNEY ENDS YOUR WAY®

IMMEDIATE GREEN BURIAL WITH NO SERVICE

Basic services of Funeral Director and staff

Transfer from place of passing
to Funeral Home (within 40 miles)

Dressing and Casketing

Service Vehicle (within 40 miles)

Filing of the Death Certificate

Includes Casket Below



TOTAL PRICE: \$2,295

**cemetery costs and cash advances not included*

GREEN FUNERAL SERVICE AT THE CEMETERY GRAVE SITE

Basic services of Funeral Director and staff

Transfer from place of passing
to Funeral Home (within 40 miles)

Dressing and Casketing

Service at the Cemetery Grave Site (within 40 miles)

Service Vehicle

Filing of the Death Certificate

Includes Casket Below



TOTAL PRICE: \$3,295

**cemetery costs and cash advances not included*

Prices and merchandise subject to change without notice

GREEN FUNERAL WITH VISITATION

Basic services of Funeral Director and staff

Transfer from place of passing
to Funeral Home (within 40 miles)

Ecobalming (Non-Toxic)

Dressing, Casketing and Cosmetizing

Same day visitation
(1-2 Hours prior to Service)

Funeral Service
(within 40 miles)

Funeral Hearse & Service Vehicle

Procurement of the Death Certificate

Earthwise Register Book & up to 100 Memorial
Folders

Casket (includes choice of casket below)



Seagrass Casket



6 point Bamboo Casket



Willow Casket

TOTAL PRICE: \$6,595

**cemetery costs and cash advances not included*

*Total Price includes membership discount
Plan prices are based on normal business hours*

SOUTHCARE[®] is the first Green Burial Council Certified Funeral Home in the state of Georgia



Green Burial Council (GBC) certification is awarded based on established standards. As such, SouthCare is committed to supporting green burial initiatives, maintaining verifiable green standards, protecting the environment and helping to shape the future of funeral services.

WHY GBC CERTIFICATION MATTERS

What the GBC does is simple:

They recognize the effort in making significant changes that support environmental sensitivity that includes foregoing the use of toxic chemicals, expensive, resource and energy intensive caskets, concrete, fiberglass or plastic vaults.

Green burials-also known as natural burials-are increasingly popular. As simple as cremation, yet as ritualistic as traditional burials, green burials are environmentally friendly, and, in some cases, more economical than traditional funerals. Green burials typically take place in green cemeteries without the use of vaults or outer burial containers. Caskets are comprised of biodegradable materials such as wood or wicker. SouthCare[®] works with green burial cemeteries across the state of Georgia. Funeral rites can be the same as traditional burials, and can include public viewing with ecobalming, a private family viewing, ceremony or graveside service. For those who elect a dignified burial while maintaining important environmental standards, allow us to assist you in planning a memorable service.

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