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SNODGRASS
FUNERAL HOME
Honoring Life

Sharing memories *and telling stories* of a special life

Saying Goodbye

It's never easy, but saying goodbye is a natural and healthy part of the grieving process.

At our funeral home, this can take place in a number of ways. From a more traditional ceremony joined by family and friends, to a private, meaningful service with your immediate family.

Regardless of how you want to say goodbye, our professional staff is ready to serve.

Sharing the Story

A caring parent, a lifelong friend - every life tells a story.

Our team will help you share that story in a unique and appropriate way. We believe in celebrating the life of the individual by recognizing how they touched the lives of others. This is the story that we all have to share.

Cremation Choices

Choosing cremation offers several choices for service and memorialization. The following considerations will help you determine the type of event that would be most meaningful to you, your family, and friends.

- *Do you prefer to offer friends and extended family the opportunity to say goodbye and offer their love and support with a public viewing or memorial?*
- *Do you prefer to conduct ceremonial services at a church or place of worship?*
- *If family and friends are coming from a great distance, do you prefer to arrange a memorial service following the cremation?*

Whatever your preference, our staff will work one-on-one with you to create an appropriate tribute. To help simplify the planning and arrangement process, the offerings described on the following pages represent the most popular choices of our families who select cremation. Each of these packages offer our Signature Service Commitment.

Choosing a Final Resting Place

Following the service and the cremation process, there are several options for choosing a peaceful, final resting place, including:

- H** Home - Keeping in your private residence
- N** Niche - Designated place in a church or mausoleum
- B** Burial - Traditional placement in a cemetery
- S** Scattering - Spread in a special location



the **Community** *Gathering*

A personalized service with traditionally planned, beautiful events to commemorate your loved one.

Service Includes:

- Basic service with Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer of remains to mortuary (up to 25 miles)
- Embalming
- Preparation of remains
- Use of facilities, equipment and staff
- Visitation (one day, up to 3 hours) at our Funeral Home, your church or other facility
- Funeral service the next day in our chapel, your church, or other facility
- Basic memorial package
- Local use of funeral coach/hearse
- Crematory fee
- Allowance for permanent urn from Tier 3 Selections

Price: \$5,865.00 *(plus casket selection)*

We can accommodate large or small groups and arrange both traditional and non-traditional services.



the **Single Day** *Service* *with Visitation*

A single day service to honor a loved one.

Service Includes:

- Basic services with Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer of remains to mortuary (up to 25 miles)
- Embalming
- Preparation of remains
- Use of facilities, equipment and staff
- Visitation (up to 2 hours) and funeral service same day at our Funeral Home, your church or other facility
- Basic memorial package
- Crematory fee
- Allowance for permanent urn from Tier 3 Selections

Price: \$5,365.00 *(plus casket selection)*

We can accommodate large or small groups and arrange both traditional and non-traditional services.



the Friends & Family *Goodbye*

A memorial service for family and friends to share memories and show their support.

Service Includes:

- Basic service with Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer of remains to mortuary (up to 25 miles)
- Preparation of remains
- Use of facilities, equipment and staff
- Memorial service in our chapel or location of your choice
- Basic memorial package
- Crematory fee
- Allowance for permanent urn from Tier 3 Selections and minimum alternative cremation container

Price: \$4,115.00

We can accommodate large or small groups and arrange both traditional and non-traditional services.



the **Private Informal** *Goodbye*

A personal and private opportunity for your family to say goodbye.

Service Includes:

- Basic service with Funeral Director and staff
- Transfer of remains to mortuary
- Preparation of remains
- Use of facilities, equipment and staff
- Crematory fee
- Allowance for permanent urn from Tier 3 Selections

Price: \$3,765.00 *(plus casket selection)*

Private Goodbye's are limited to a small gathering of immediate family for a brief period of time.

Casket Selections



Dayton
Poplar
Dark Satin Finish
Ivory Basketweave Interior
Price: \$3,660



Falcon
Poplar
Medium Satin Finish
Rosetan Crepe Interior
Price: \$2,725



Longley
Carte Veneer
Medium Cherry Finish
Rosetan Crepe Interior
Price: \$2,180



Kenton
Veneer
Medium Satin Finish
Rosetan Crepe Interior
Price: \$1,900

Casket Selections



Norfolk
Carte Veneer
Light Pine Finish
Ivory Crepe Interior
Price: \$1,850



Lancaster
Veneer
Light Satin Finish
Rosetan Crepe Interior
Price: \$1,795



Dawson
Cardboard
Tabor Blue Cloth Finish
Blue Crepe Interior
Price: \$1,040



Dawson
Cardboard
Aruba Bronze Cloth Finish
Rosetan Crepe Interior
Price: \$1,040



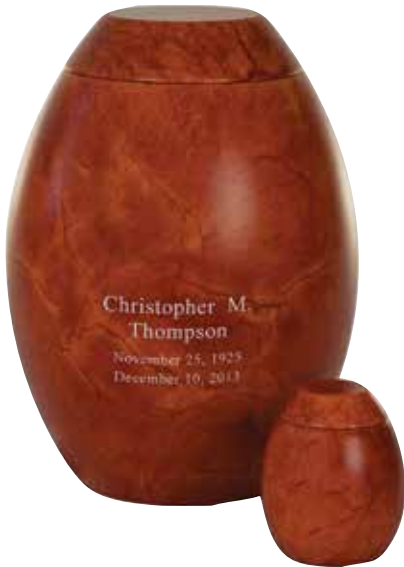
Eternity
Natural cherry hardwood urn

Price: \$595



Fidelity Roma
Cast bronze urn in simple design.
Shown w/ optional personalization.

Price: \$595



Madrid & Madrid Keepsake
Alabaster urn with optional personalization

Price: \$495 Keepsake: \$95



Blue Sapphire & Blue Sapphire Keepsake
Traditional Cloisonné design with intricate pattern

Price: \$495 Keepsake: \$125



Venice & Venice Keepsake

Brass urn with pewter finish in classic design

Price: \$495

Keepsake: \$95



Avon Cherry

Cherry hardwood urn with natural finish

Price: \$495



Mallorca & Mallorca Keepsake

Solid marble urn

Price: \$495

Keepsake: \$95



Family Tree Scattering Urn

Cherry scattering urn with engraved image & quote

Price: \$495

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Seaside
Handmade stained glass memory chest

Price: \$295

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Blossoms and Butterflies & Blossom Keepsake
Composite statuary urn with 3D detail

Price: \$295

Keepsake: \$60

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Green Marble & Green Marble Keepsake
Cultured marble urn

Price: \$295

Keepsake: \$99

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Mother of Pearl & Mother of Pearl Keepsake
Brass urn with natural mother of pearl.
Charm not included.

Price: \$395

Keepsake: \$50

H Home

N Niche

B Burial

S Scattering

← Personalize with engraving

Garden Memorials

Garden memorials offer you the opportunity to memorialize your loved one at home. Many of our garden memorials can be personalized with a small plaque as a special tribute.



Margarita
22" H x 14" Dia.
Volume: 365ci
Price: \$300



Blue Mosaic Birdbath
22 1/4" H x 15 1/2" Dia.
Price: \$355



Serenity Falls
17 7/8" H x 16 1/2" Dia.
Price: \$295



Rose Garden Panel
43 1/2" H x 14 3/4" Dia.
Price: \$255



Gazing Ball
31" H x 12" Dia.
Price: \$245



Bird Bath
8" H x 15 1/2" Dia.
Price: \$195

All garden memorials hold small amounts of cremated remains.

Memorial Jewelry

Sterling Silver



Cross
w/ Clear CZ Stone
Price: \$330



Open Teardrop
w/ Clear CZ Stone
Price: \$165



Swirl w/ Birthstone
Shown w/ February
Price: \$165



Toggle Closure Charm
Bracelet with Heart w/
Clear CZ Stone
Price: \$245



Heart
w/ Clear CZ Stone
Price: \$280



Etched Teardrop
Price: \$280



Signet Ring
Price: \$195



Ladies Ring w/ Birthstone
Shown w/ March
Price: \$195

Stainless Steel



Open Heart
Price: \$120



Etched Cylinder
Price: \$140



Carbon Fiber Cross
Price: \$165



Large Teardrop
Price: \$140



Etched Cross
Price: \$140



Small Cross
IP Plated
Price: \$140



Small Heart
IP Plated
Price: \$120



Carbon Fiber Bracelet
Price: \$180

All jewelry holds small amounts of cremated remains.

Our History

When Lyle and Virginia Snodgrass arrived in South Charleston in 1936 from Clay, West Virginia, with their daughter, Nancy, Virginia was a registered nurse working at Dunn's Hospital. They had \$3.50 and an old Ford auto that had been made into a hearse. They went to the First National Bank of South Charleston and were granted a loan of \$4,000.00 with the promise to stay in South Charleston. Snodgrass Funeral Home begun with a handshake and a promise. The old house on Eastern Avenue, now MacCorkle Avenue, was bought and business began. At the same time, Lawrence Haggerty opened his insurance agency, along with Ballengee's Drug Store, Harrison's Gas Station and Poe's Garage – the corner was complete.

Founder Lyle M. Snodgrass and his wife, Virginia, were joined in the funeral business by his brother, William M. Snodgrass, two years later, as well as his parents, W.H. and Jesse Snodgrass. Lyle and Bill, both South Charleston High School graduates, completed their studies at the Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science and were considered among the best in their field from West Virginia. In 1962, the funeral home was moved to its present location at 4122 MacCorkle Avenue, across from Sunset Memorial Park.

Two years after Lyle's death in 1966, Virginia took over the day to day operations in the business and in 1970, Marion, her husband John, and their two children, L.J. and Courtney, moved back home from Charlotte, North Carolina. John Fairless began his apprenticeship that year with Marion, working in the office as well with Virginia. After earning his degree in Mortuary Science from Cincinnati, John was an integral part of the funeral home until 1979, when he and Marion divorced.

In 1986, L.J. Fairless began working in the family business with his mother and grandmother, following a somewhat brief career in radio after college at Marshall University. Five years later, alzheimer's and cancer ravaged the Snodgrass's, putting the fourth generation of the family to be a part of this profession at the helm. In 1995, four years after their diagnosis, both Virginia and Marion died six weeks apart. L.J. purchased the remaining shares of the business and property from his aunt, Nancy, and his sister, Courtney, and immediately began the first of two major renovations that would eventually take place.

L.J., his wife, Lia, and their two children, Ben and Francesca, are the fourth and fifth generation to reside in the family home on the Kanawha River. Snodgrass Funeral Home is proud to be a part of the fabric in this wonderful community we call home. Serving the great people of this valley is not only an honor, it's a privilege and we don't take it for granted.

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