

SIMPLE CREMATION ARRANGEMENT FORMS

FAX TO SIMPLICITY: (888) 959-9105

OR EMAIL TO: info@Simplicity247.com

FROM: _____ TELEPHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

ARRANGEMENTS FOR : _____

CURRENTLY LOCATED AT: _____

Please check one of the following: ☐ A Death Has Occurred ☐ A Death is Imminent (will happen soon)

QUESTIONS COMPLETING THESE FORMS? (888) 959-9101

These forms are required by the State of California to authorize cremation. Each forms purpose is described below for your information. check the forms over thoroughly, sign, initial or otherwise complete wherever indicated.

SIMPLICITY CREMATION STATEMENT OF FUNERAL GOODS & SERVICES

This agreement outlines the arrangements you are ordering and their cost.

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION

This page allows the payee to provide payment information (must include cardholder's signature).

VITAL INFORMATION FORM

The information provided on this form is required to complete the non-medical portion of the official Death Certificate. PLEASE NOTE: Any vital information left blank will be deemed "Unknown"

HOSPITAL RELEASE

This form is required and presented to hospital to bring deceased to our care facility. (If deceased is at a Coroner/Medical Examiner then you must print separate release from SIMPLICITY website.)

DISCLOSURE OF PRENEED FUNERAL AGREEMENT

This form indicates an existence or absence of a pre-arrangement with Simplicity Cremation or a different funeral home.

AUTHORIZATION FOR DISPOSITION WITH OR WITHOUT EMBALMING

This form serves as written confirmation of the legal next of kin's desires regarding embalming.

AUTHORIZATION FOR CREMATION (PAGES 9, 10)

*These forms authorize Simplicity Cremation to handle the cremation of deceased.
Reminder: 51% of closest next of kin must authorize the cremation.*

DECLARATION FOR DISPOSITION OF CREMATED REMAINS

This page describes the details of final disposition of the cremated remains (residence, cemetery, county of sea scattering)

RELEASE OF CREMATED REMAINS

This page describes the details how we return the cremated remains to you.

ALSO INCLUDE:

COPY OF PICTURE I.D. FOR EACH PERSON SIGNING (REQUIRED)

COPY OF DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR HEALTHCARE (IF APPLICABLE)

While we operate 24 hours a day, once faxed, our administrative staff will contact you during their normal business hours (Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m to 4 p.m.) to go over and confirm receipt of this paperwork.

Please contact us with any questions: (888) 959-9101

LOS ANGELES

LONG BEACH

BURBANK

SANTA ANA

SAN BERNARDINO

RIVERSIDE

PALM SPRINGS

DECEASED: _____ DATE OF STATEMENT: _____

SIMPLE BASIC CREMATION OPTION

■ Simple Private Cremation Service \$ 980.00

- Southern California Transportation (Residence, Facility, or Medical Examiner)
- Secure Alternative Care (Refrigeration)
- Basic Cremation Container (Cardboard Container deceased is cremated in)
- Private Cremation (within approx. 7 business days of obtaining cremation permit)
- Basic Plastic Container/Temporary Urn for Cremated Remains
- California State Cremation Regulatory Fee
- California Cremation/Disposition Permit
- Notify Social Security of Death
- Receiving Cremated Remains at a Simplicity release location

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS OR NECESSARY FEES

- Deceased Weight: (_____) select from page 4 \$ _____
- Additional Transportation: (_____) select from page 4 \$ _____
- ☐ Removal of Implanted Devices containing batteries such as pacemaker \$ 240.00
- ☐ Witness Cremation (6 persons, 15 minutes, minimal preparation, at crematory) \$ 950.00
- ☐ Identification Viewing (6 persons, 15 minutes, minimal preparation, at crematory) \$ 750.00
- ☐ Alternative Care (Refrigeration) after 5th day of death ____ days at \$50/day \$ _____
- ☐ Local Hand Delivery of Cremated Remains to Family or Cemetery \$ 340.00
- ☐ Shipping within Southern California by US Postal Service (Tracked and Restricted Delivery) \$ 65.00
- ☐ Shipping outside Southern California by US Postal Service (Tracked and Restricted Delivery) \$ 280.00
- ☐ Sea Scattering off Coast of Orange County (non-witness, non-recoverable) \$ 245.00
- ☐ Placement of Cremated Remains in Urn/Keepsake Provided by Family (each) \$ 40.00

B. MERCHANDISE

- ☐ Urn or Keepsake...select from page 4 (_____) \$ _____

C. COUNTY / STATE FEES

- 8.75% Sales Tax on Merchandise only \$ _____
- ☐ Additional Disposition Permits for Additional Urns # _____ at \$12.00 each \$ _____
- ☐ Coroner / Medical Examiner Fees (_____) select from page 4 \$ _____
- Certified Copies of Death Certificate (*select one option*) (*see note below*)
 - ☐ Option 1 # _____ at \$24.00 per copy plus \$55.00 for retrieval and forwarding \$ _____
 - ☐ Option 2 You will obtain Certified Copies on your own from local health department \$ 0.00
(Presently, Counties in Southern California charge \$24.00 per Certified Copy)

TOTAL \$ _____

A note about certified copies of the death certificate:

Certified copies of the death certificate are issued by the local county registrar of the county of death. You may order certified copies on your own after we have filed the original death certificate, or you may request that Simplicity orders them for you. **Either way, depending on the county, it may take up to four to six weeks to receive your certified copies of the death certificate once they are ordered depending on the county of death.**

We suggest that you check on the requirements of the following, but you may need certified copies for: Social Security, Bank Accounts, Life Insurance, Real Estate, Trust Accounts, Department of Motor Vehicles, Creditors, Stocks and Bonds.

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION



Type of Card: ☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover

Name of Cardholder (please print): _____ Telephone # _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

3 Digit ID # on Reverse of Card: _____ 4 Digit ID # on Front of American Express: _____

Credit Card Billing Address: _____

Signature of Purchaser / Cardholder: _____ Date: _____

Email Address (this is so we may email you receipt of payment) _____

By signing above I acknowledge and agree to pay for the final services of the deceased, and I authorize SIMPLICITY to perform the requested services. I agree to pay the balance listed on this statement. I understand and agree that by signing above I am assuming personal liability for the charges set forth in this statement. I hereby agree to all above charges and acknowledge receipt provided by email or will be provided upon release of cremated remains.

Simple Cremation includes: Basic Cremation fee (non-scheduled), Professional services of funeral director and staff, Transfer of remains into our care from place of death (unless transportation fee is required due to location of decedent), Refrigeration (until permit is filed), and Transfer to crematory.

No Embalming

Crematory Requirement: A rigid container for cremation

California Requirement: Disposition Permit, Cremation Regulatory Fee, Sales Tax on Merchandise

In connection with the funeral agreements made by purchaser for the decedent named on page one, purchaser hereby confirms to seller that:

1. Purchaser was provided a printed General Price List prior to discussing or upon beginning discussion of, the prices of funeral goods or funeral services, the overall type of funeral disposition, or the specific funeral goods or funeral services offered by the seller.
2. Purchaser was provided a printed Casket Price List upon beginning discussion of, but in any event before being shown, caskets.
3. Purchaser was provided a printed Outer Burial Container Price List upon discussion of, but in any event before being shown, outer burial containers.
4. Purchaser was advised that the law does not require embalming except in certain special cases. Purchaser was not advised that embalming is required for direct cremation, immediate burial, or a closed casket funeral without viewing or visitation when refrigeration is available and when state or local law does not require embalming. If embalming was provided for a fee, it was done with purchaser's approval or the permission of someone authorized to give approval.
5. Purchaser was not advised that state or local law requires a casket for direct cremation or that a casket (other than an alternative container) is required for direct cremation.
6. Purchaser was not advised that state or local law requires the purchase of an outer burial container. Purchaser was advised, however that many cemeteries do require that purchaser have such a container so that the grave will not sink in, and that either a grave liner or a burial vault will satisfy these requirements.
7. A prepaid benefits contract was applicable to the funeral.
8. Purchaser was not advised that any funeral goods or funeral services offered by seller would delay the natural decomposition of human remains for a long term or indefinite time, or that any such funeral goods have protective features or will protect the body from gravesite substances when such was not the case. No representations or warranties were made to purchaser about the protective features of caskets or outer burial containers other than those made by the manufacturers. Purchaser was advised that the only warranties, expressed or implied, extended in connection with any funeral goods sold with the funeral service were the express written warranties, if any, extended by the manufacturers thereof. No express warranties, and no warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, were extended by the seller to purchaser with respect to those funeral goods.
9. Purchaser was not advised that the price charged for a cash advance item was not the same as the cost to seller for the item when such was the case.
10. Certain charges may be estimated and if the difference between such estimates and such actual charges is less than \$ 10.00, no refund to you or billing by us for the difference will be made.
11. Purchaser agrees that if the cremated remains are not picked up within twenty (20) days after the cremation, Simplicity may ship the cremated remains to the authorizing agent without notice and use the credit card on file for the additional shipping fees or may deliver the remains to a licensed cemetery for final disposition, or release to the proper public administrator as abandoned which may make the cremated remains unrecoverable.

SIGN

Signature of Purchaser: _____ Printed Name of Purchaser: _____

Purchaser's Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Purchaser's Telephone #: _____ Purchaser's Email Address: _____

BASIC URN SELECTION



- ☐ **Basic Plastic Container**
8.25" x 6.5" x 4.5"
200 cubic inches
\$ Included



- ☐ **Basic Catalpa Wood Urn**
8.5" x 6.5" x 4.5"
200 cubic inches
\$ 85.00



- ☐ **Rosewood Hand Carved Urn**
5" x 9.5" x 6.5"
218 cubic inches
\$145.00



- ☐ **Parting Stone Solidified Remains**
40 to 80 "stones" various sizes
shapes, color, and texture
Requires 8-10 weeks to produce.
\$ 2585.00



- ☐ **Traditional Bronze Urn**
10.5" x 6" x 6"
200 cubic inches
\$ 285.00



- ☐ **Brushed Pewter Urn**
10.5" x 6" x 6"
200 cubic inches
\$ 285.00



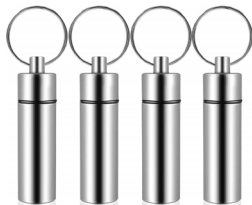
- ☐ **Espresso Brown Alloy Urn**
9" x 6.9"
200 cubic inches
\$ 385.00



- ☐ **Kenzy Cultured Marble Urn**
9.75" x 6.75" x 6.5"
200 cubic inches
\$ 395.00



- ☐ **Peaceful Return**
Biodegradable Scattering Urn
11.25" H x 6.75" W x 5.5"
215 cubic inches
\$ 185.00



- ☐ **4 Capsule Keepsakes Tubes**
Brushed Silver / Approx 2"
Pictured Design Might Vary
\$ 100.00



- ☐ **Traditional Bronze Keepsake**
2.75" x 1.7"
3 cubic inches
\$ 65.00



- ☐ **Brushed Pewter Keepsake**
2.75" x 1.7"
3 cubic inches
\$ 65.00

A NOTE ABOUT KEEPSAKE URNS: Keepsake urns hold a very small portion of the entire cremated remains

Additional Urns, Keepsakes, and Cremation Jewelry can be found on our website at www.Simplicity247.com

ADDITIONAL CREMATORY FEE

Based on Weight

251 lbs. to 275 lbs.	\$ 350.00	276 lbs. to 300 lbs.	\$ 475.00
301 lbs. to 325 lbs.	\$ 675.00	326 lbs. to 350 lbs.	\$ 875.00
351 lbs. to 375 lbs.	\$ 975.00	376 lbs. to 400 lbs.	\$ 1075.00
401 lbs. to 425 lbs.	\$ 1375.00	426 lbs. to 450 lbs.	\$ 1575.00
451 lbs. to 475 lbs.	\$ 1775.00	476 lbs. to 500 lbs.	\$ 1975.00
501 lbs. to 525 lbs.	\$ 2175.00	526 lbs. to 550 lbs.	\$ 2375.00

ADDITIONAL TRANSPORTATION

• Riverside County (Coachella Valley)	\$ 0.00
• Riverside County (Riverside Metro)	\$ 0.00
• Riverside County (Hemet, Sun City)	\$ 0.00
• Riverside County (Temecula, Murrieta)	\$ 0.00
• San Bernardino County (Joshua Tree, 29 Palms, Yucca Valley)	\$ 150.00
• San Bernardino County (Metro)	\$ 0.00
• San Bernardino County (Victorville, Hesperia)	\$ 0.00
• San Bernardino County (Barstow and East County)	\$ 150.00
• Orange County	\$ 0.00
• Los Angeles County (Metro)	\$ 0.00
• Los Angeles County (Antelope Valley)	\$ 350.00
• Imperial County	\$ 400.00
• San Diego County	\$ 400.00
• Ventura County	\$ 350.00

CORONER FEE

(If Deceased is at Coroner
or Medical Examiner's Office)

Riverside County	\$ 320.00
San Bernardino County	\$ 283.00
San Diego County	\$ 280.00
Los Angeles County .. (bills family direct)	
Orange County	\$ 318.00
Ventura County	\$ call
Santa Barbara County	\$ call
Kern County	\$ call
Imperial County	\$ call

Reminder: The Coroner/Medical
Examiner will need their own release
signed by the next of kin of record.

Coroner/Medical Examiner releases are
found on our website at
www.Simplicity247.com

VITAL INFORMATION FORM

(REQUIRED FOR NON-MEDICAL PORTION OF DEATH CERTIFICATE)

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PLEASE NOTE: Any vital information left blank will be deemed "Unknown"



1. NAME OF DECEDENT-FIRST (GIVEN)		2. MIDDLE		3. LAST (FAMILY)	
4. AKA, ALSO KNOWN AS - INCLUDE FULL FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST			5. DATE OF BIRTH		6. SEX
7. BIRTH STATE/ FOREIGN COUNTRY		8. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER		9. EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN	
10. MARITAL STATUS <input type="checkbox"/> NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> CA. REG. DOM. PARTNER <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN					
11. EDUCATION (HIGHEST LEVEL OR DEGREE COMPLETED) PLEASE CHECK ONE <input type="checkbox"/> 0 (DID NOT COMPLETE ONE YEAR) <input type="checkbox"/> (GRADES 1-11) _____ GRADE <input type="checkbox"/> GRADE 12, NO DIPLOMA <input type="checkbox"/> H.S. DIPLOMA/ G.E.D. <input type="checkbox"/> SOME COLLEGE (NO DEGREE) <input type="checkbox"/> ASSOCIATE (e.g., AA, AS) <input type="checkbox"/> BACHELOR'S (e.g., BA, AB, BS) <input type="checkbox"/> MASTER'S (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MBA) <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTORATE OR PREOFESSONAL (e.g., PhD)					
14. WAS DECEDENT HISPANIC/LATINO(A)/SPANISH? IF YES, PLEASE INDICATE <input type="checkbox"/> YES _____ <input type="checkbox"/> NO			15. DECEDENT'S RACE - UP TO 3 RACES MAY BE LISTED		
16. USUAL OCCUPATION FOR MOST OF LIFE DO NOT USE RETIRED OR UNEMPLOYED		17. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY (e.g., grocery store, real estate, etc)		18. YEARS IN OCCUPATION	
19. DECEDENT'S RESIDENCE (STREET AND NUMBER OR LOCATION)					
20. CITY		21. COUNTY/PROVINCE		22. ZIP CODE	
23. YEARS IN COUNTY		24. STATE/FOREIGN COUNTRY			
25. INFORMANT'S NAME		26. INFORMANT'S RELATIONSHIP		27. INFORMANT'S CONTACT NUMBER (WITH AREA CODE)	
28. INFORMANT'S MAILING ADDRESS (STREET AND NUMBER LOCATION)		29. INFORMANT'S CITY, STATE AND ZIP			
30. NAME OF SURVING SPOUSE/SRDP-FIRST		31. MIDDLE		32. LAST (MAIDEN NAME)	
33. NAME OF DECEDENT'S FATHER - FIRST		34. MIDDLE		35. LAST	
36. BIRTH STATE		37. NAME OF DECEDENT'S MOTHER FIRST		38. MIDDLE	
39. LAST (MAIDEN NAME, NOT MARRIED NAME)		40. BIRTH STATE			
41. FINAL DISPOSITION (CHECK ONE) <input type="checkbox"/> BURIAL <input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> SEA SCATTER BY FAMILY <input type="checkbox"/> SEA SCATTER BY SIMPLICITY					
42. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON(S) WHO WILL KEEP CREMATED REMAINS AT THEIR RESIDENCE, OR CEMETERY NAME AND ADDRESS OR COUNTY OF OCEAN WATER CREMATED REMAINS WILL BE SCATTERED IN.					

I have read the above information, and state that it is true & correct, and release SIMPLICITY from any charges that may occur in the correction of the original certificate due to this information. **I agree that any information left blank will be considered "Unknown".**



SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

WORKSHEET FOR EDUCATION AND RACE/ETHNICITY

<p>DECEDENTS EDUCATION-Check the box that best describes the highest degree or level of school completed at the time of death.</p> <p>Enter appropriate information in box No. 13</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 0-11th grade. Enter highest year completed: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 12th grade, but no diploma. Enter 12 ND</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> High school graduate or GED completed. Enter HS GRADUATE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Some college credit, but no degree. Enter SOME COLLEGE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS). Enter ASSOCIATE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS). Enter BACHELOR'S</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA). Enter MASTER'S</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate (e.g., PhD, EdD) or Professional degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD) Enter either DOCTORATE or PROFESSIONAL: _____</p>	<p>WAS DECEDENT HISPANIC/LATINO(A)/SPANISH/?</p> <p>If not Hispanic/Latino(a)/Spanish, check "No" in box No. 14/15.</p> <p>If Hispanic/Latino(a)/Spanish, check "Yes" in box No. 14/15 and enter specific origin.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Central American</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, South American</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Cuban</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Puerto Rican</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, other Hispanic/Latino(a)/Spanish</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Specify: _____</p>	<p>WHAT WAS DECEDENT'S RACE OR ETHNICITY? (Check one or more races to indicate what the decedent considered himself or herself to be)</p> <p>Enter text for up to 3 races in box No. 16</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> White</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native (North, South, and Central American Indian) Specify Tribe(s): _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Guamanian</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Samoan</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other Pacific Islander Specify: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cambodian</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Chinese</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Filipino</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Hmong</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Japanese</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Korean</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Laotian</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Thai</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian Specify: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other Specify: _____</p>
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PRIVACY NOTIFICATION

Civil Code Section 1798.9 et seq. requires each state agency to provide notice to Individuals completing this form. The information is being requested by: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES, OFFICE OF VITAL RECORDS, MS 5103, P.O. Box 997410, Sacramento, CA 95899-7410. The information requested on this certificate is authorized and required by Divisions 7 and 102 of the Health and Safety Code, and related provisions within the Civil Code, Code of Civil Procedure, and Government Code.

The principal purpose for this record is:

1. To establish a permanent record that is legally recognized as prima facie evidence of the facts therein for each death occurring in the State of California.
2. To provide information, to health authorities and other qualified persons with a valid education or scientific interest, for demographic and epidemiological studies for health and social purposes.
3. To provide information to the National Center for Health Statistics for compiling national statistical reports, and to state and federal agencies for file clearance purposes.
4. To provide individuals with certified copies from the records to serve their personal needs, such as applying for social security or death benefits.

The record shall be open for examination during regularly scheduled office hours, except when access is specifically prohibited by statute or regulations.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR FILING CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Each death shall be registered with the local registrar of births and deaths within eight calendar days after death and prior to any disposition of the human remains.

The medical and health section data and the time of death shall be completed and attested to by the physician last in attendance, or his/her designee, provided such physician is legally authorized to certify and attest to these facts, or by the coroner in those cases in which he is required to complete the medical and health section data and certify and attest to these facts.

The medical and health section data and the physician or coroner's certification shall be completed by the physician within 15 hours after the death, or by the coroner within three days after examination of the body.



PHONE: (888) 959-9101

RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

IF DECEDENT IS AT A COUNTY CORONER, PLEASE REFER TO OUR MAIN WEB PAGE AND CLICK ON THE "ARRANGE A CREMATION" TAB AND PRINT CORONER'S RELEASE FORM FOR THE CORRECT COUNTY DECEDENT IS LOCATED.

NAME OF DECEDENT: _____

LOCATION OF DECEDENT (NAME & ADDRESS OF FACILITY): _____

NAME OF LEGAL NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZING RELEASE: _____

ADDRESS OF LEGAL NEXT OF KIN: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

I claim the right to control the disposition of the decedent's bodily remains.

I am not aware of any person who may object to my arranging the disposition of the body of the decedent.

I am not aware of any written or oral instructions by the decedent, or any contract for funeral services by the decedent that gives control of the disposition of the decedents remains to any other person.

I declare under penalty of perjury laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.



SIGNATURE

DATE

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PHYSICIAN AND HOSPICE INFORMATION

ATTENDING PHYSICIAN _____ PHYSICIAN'S PHONE _____

HOSPICE ORGANIZATION (if under hospice care) _____ PHONE _____

HOSPICE SOCIAL WORKER _____ PHONE _____

DISCLOSURE OF PRENEED FUNERAL AGREEMENT

The funeral establishment, **SIMPLICITY**, license number **FD2178**, **DOES NOT** have a preneed arrangement, as defined below, made by or on my behalf (name of decedent) _____.

If the funeral establishment **does have** a preneed agreement, complete the following:

In compliance with *Business and Professions Code Section 7745*, the funeral establishment has presented to the person named below a copy of any preneed agreement which has been signed and paid for in full, or in part by, or on behalf of the deceased and is in the possession of the funeral establishment.

Signature of funeral establishment representative

Date

"Preneed arrangement", "preneed agreement" or "preneed" is written instruction regarding goods and services or both goods and services for final disposition of human remains when the goods or services are not provided until the time of death, and may be either unfunded or paid for in advance need.

Funeral Establishment's Responsibility- Business and Professions Code Section 7745 requires a funeral establishment to present to the survivor of the decedent or the responsible party a copy of any preneed agreement in its possession which has been signed and paid in full, or in part by, or on behalf of the deceased. Business and Professions Code Section 7685.6 requires a copy of any preneed arrangements to be disclosed prior to drafting any contract for funeral goods and services. The funeral establishment may present the copy in person, by certified mail, or by facsimile transmission, as agreed upon by the person with the right to control disposition. A funeral establishment that knowingly fails to present a preneed agreement as required is liable for a civil fine equal to three times the cost of the preneed agreement, or one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), whichever is greater.

The funeral establishment must:

- Give a copy of the completed statement to the survivor or responsible party.
- Retain the original or a copy of the completed disclosure statement on file for not less than one (1) year after the preneed account has been audited by the Bureau or seven (7) years from the date the disclosure statement was made, whichever comes first.

You may contact the Cemetery and Funeral Bureau for more information on funeral, cemetery, or cremation matters or to file a complaint against a licensee: *Cemetery and Funeral Bureau, 1625 North Market Blvd., Suite S-208, Sacramento, CA 95834, (916) 574-7870*

SIGN HERE 

Signature

Date

Print Name of the Survivor or Responsible Party

Signature of Funeral Establishment Representative

Date

Print Name of Funeral Establishment Representative

AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT OR DECLINE EMBALMING

TO: Simplicity
(Funeral Establishment Name)

RE: _____
(Decedent)

Embalming is the addition to, or the replacement of, body fluids by chemical preservatives of the application of chemical preservatives for the temporary preservation of the body.

I understand that embalming is not required by law.

I, _____ do _____ do not X (check one) request embalming.

I understand that for storage or embalming purposes the decedent may be transported to the following location:

Macera Crematory 1020 North Fuller Street, Santa Ana, California or

Family Crematory 405 East Industrial Road, San Bernardino, California

(Location Name and Address)

The undersigned hereby represents that he/she has the legal right to control disposition of the remains of the decedent.



Signed: _____ Relationship to Decedent _____

Executed this _____ day of _____, _____, _____,
(Month) (Year) (City) (State)

This section is to be completed by the funeral establishment if authorization to accept or decline embalming is obtained orally.

The above statement regarding embalming and storage was read and/or provided to

_____, Relationship to Decedent: _____,

who did _____ did not _____ (check one) authorize embalming at the above named funeral establishment.

Telephone Number: (_____) Date and time authorized granted: _____

This section is to be completed by the funeral establishment representative who is executing this authorization to accept or decline embalming.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this _____ day of _____, _____, _____,
(Month) (Year) (City) (State)

Funeral Establishment Representative (Print Name)

Funeral Establishment Representative (Signature)

CREMATION AUTHORIZATION

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON FUNERAL, CEMETERY AND CREMATION MATTERS, CONTACT: THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, CEMETERY AND FUNERAL BUREAU, 1625 NORTH MARKET BLVD., SACRAMENTO, CA 95834. PHONE: (916) 574-7870.

AUTHORIZATION

I (We), the undersigned (the "Authorizing Agent(s)"), hereby request and authorize (name of funeral home) _____ (hereinafter referred to as "Funeral Home") to take possession of and make arrangements for the cremation of the decedent named below (the "Decedent") in accordance with and subject to the provisions set forth in this document, at MACERA CREMATORY (hereinafter referred to as the "Crematory") and in accordance with and subject to their rules and regulations, and subject to any applicable state or local laws or regulations.

Name of Deceased _____ **Sex:** _____

Address: _____

Date of Birth _____ **Date of Death** _____

PACEMAKERS, DEFIBRILLATORS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC IMPLANTS

Electronic devices or implants in the decedent may create a hazardous condition when placed in a cremation chamber. All electronic implants must be removed prior to cremation.

I/WE Certify that the remains of the deceased Initial _____ DO Initial _____ DO NOT contain any type of implanted Mechanical or radioactive device

INITIAL ONE

The following list contains all existing devices implanted in or attached to the decedent that should be removed prior to cremation and Funeral Establishment has been authorized to remove the devices: _____

CREMATION PROCESS

Statutory definition pursuant to Health and Safety Code 7054.7(b): The human body burns with the casket, container, or other material in the cremation chamber. Some bone fragments are not combustible at the incineration temperature and, as a result, remain in the cremation chamber. During the cremation, the contents of the chamber may be moved to facilitate incineration. The chamber is composed of ceramic or other material, which disintegrates slightly during each cremation, and the product of that disintegration is commingled with the cremated remains. Nearly all of the contents of the cremation chamber, consisting of the cremated remains, disintegrated chamber material, and small amount of residue from previous cremations, are removed together and crushed, pulverized, or ground to facilitate inurnment or scattering. Some residue remains in the cracks and uneven places of the chamber. Periodically, the accumulation of this residue is removed and interred in a dedicated cemetery property, or scattered at sea.

WITNESSED CREMATIONS

The crematory permits witness cremations by appointment only. It is assumed that the Authorizing Agent does not request a witness cremation of the herein named decedent. If a witness cremation is desired, the Authorizing Agent will arrange scheduling and participants through the Funeral Establishment.

I/We desire to identify the remains before cremation

Initial _____ Yes Initial _____ No

INITIAL ONE

I/We desire to witness the cremation process

Initial _____ Yes Initial _____ No

INITIAL ONE

CREMATORY

The undersigned authorizes the Funeral Establishment and Crematory to perform the cremation process at an alternate crematory should the Crematory be unable to cremate the decedent in a timely manner because of cremator repairs, malfunctions, weight limitations, backlog or other exigent circumstances.

CREMATION CONTAINERS

The Crematory and state law requires a durable container for the cremation. All cremation containers must be combustible, leak resistant and closed. The Crematory is authorized to remove and dispose of handles, ornaments, and any other noncombustible items attached to the cremation container prior to cremation.

CREMATION CONTAINER / CREMATED REMAINS CONTAINER PROVIDED

Description of Cremation Container _____

Description of Cremated Remains Container _____

CREMATED REMAINS CONTAINERS

After the cremated remains have been processed, they will be placed in the designated cremated remains container. The Crematory will make a reasonable effort to put all of the cremated remains in the cremated remains container, with the exception of dust or other residue that may remain on the processing equipment. In the event the cremated remains container selected is insufficient to accommodate all of the cremated remains, the excess will be placed in a separate cremated remains container, which will be secured to the primary cremated remains container unless the Authorizing Agent has requested splitting of the cremated remains for multiple dispositions. Adult cremated remains containers should have a minimum volume of 200 cubic inches.

DECEASED: _____

DISCLOSURES, WARRANTIES, AND PERMISSIONS

By signing or electronically agreeing to this document, I(We) certify, understand and acknowledge the following:

- That the deceased person named above has not given other specific directions concerning the disposal of his/her remains
- That I(we) are the majority of the right holders of the Decedent; or otherwise have charge of the remains of the Decedent and possess full legal authority and power, according to the laws of the state to execute this authorization form and arrange for the cremation and disposition of the cremated remains of the Decedent;
- That I(we) are not aware of legal objection to this cremation by any spouse, child, parent or sibling;
- That incidental or inadvertent commingling of the cremated remains may occur, including the incidental commingling of the cremated remains resulting from the processing of the remains, and the disposal or recycling (with other residuals) by the Crematory of metal or other non human material recovered to which may be affixed bone particles;
- That if I(we) wish to remove and/or retain any items from the remains, I(we) must do so directly or by designated representative prior to the cremation process;
- That the cremation process may destroy dental gold, silver, jewelry, or mementos, and to that extent (a) understand that dental gold and silver, jewelry and mementos to the extent it may be identified may be returned to the cremated remains container and (b) understand that dental gold and silver, jewelry and mementos that cannot be identified may not be returned to the cremated remains container and hereby direct the crematory to dispose of unidentified dental gold and silver, mementos and jewelry in a lawful manner which may include recycling of surgical metal.

(Initial)

INITIAL

INDEMNITY

I(We) declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing certifications, representations, and statements are true and correct, and that this statement is being made to induce the Funeral Establishment and Crematory to cremate (or cause to be cremated) the remains of the Decedent named above. (Health and Safety Codes 7110 and 7111) I agree to hold harmless, indemnify and defend the above named Funeral Establishment and Crematory as well as their representatives, directors, officers, agents, employees, shareholders, from and against all claims, liabilities, or damages whatsoever which may result from this authorization and order including the failure to properly identify the remains, failure to take possession or make the proper arrangements for the final disposition of cremated remains, the processing of remains, shipping of remains, any explodable implant, infectious diseases, other persons claiming rights to control disposition of the remains, or any other cause. No warranties, express or implied are made and damages shall be limited to the amount of the cremation fee paid.

RIGHT TO CONTROL DISPOSITION

The right to control disposition of the remains of the deceased person vests upon the following in the order named:

- The decedent by provisions in a Will or by a prearranged clear and funded contract with a funeral establishment.
- The attorney in fact (agent) of a California Power of Attorney for Health Care.
- The competent surviving spouse or California Secretary of State registered domestic partner.
- A majority of the surviving competent adult children of the decedent.
- The surviving competent parents of the decedent.
- A majority of the surviving competent adult brothers and sisters of the decedent.
- A majority of the competent adult persons in the next degree of kindred.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZING AGENT(S)

THIS IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT. IT CONTAINS IMPORTANT PROVISIONS CONCERNING CREMATION. CREMATION IS IRREVERSIBLE AND FINAL. READ THIS ENTIRE DOCUMENT CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING.

By executing this cremation authorization form, as Authorizing Agent(s), the undersigned warrants that all representations and statements contained on this document are true and correct, that these statements were made to induce the above named Funeral Establishment and Crematory to cremate the human remains of the Decedent, and that the undersigned have read and understand the provisions contained on all three pages of this document.

 SIGN HERE

Date _____

Name _____

Signature _____

Relationship: _____

Phone No. _____

Address: _____

Name _____

Signature _____

Relationship: _____

Phone No. _____

Address: _____

Name _____

Signature _____

Relationship: _____

Phone No. _____

Address: _____

SIMPLICITY CREMATION REPRESENTATIVE _____

DECLARATION FOR DISPOSITION OF CREMATED OR HYDROLYZED HUMAN REMAINS

I/We hereby declare (my remains) or (the remains of) _____ in the
Name of Person arrangements are for
 possession of Simplicity (888) 959-9101 and will be cremated or hydrolyzed by Macera Crematory (714) 243-8688 or Family Crematory (909) 796-6000 and shall be disposed of in the following Manner¹:

(specify what will be done with the cremated or hydrolyzed remains; Residence address and who will be holding, Cemetery and address, or Scattered off of what coast and county in California) -

Name of person(s) with the legal right to control disposition²: _____



Signed _____ **Date** _____

Person(s) with legal right to control disposition to Self, if pre-arranging

Signed _____ **Date** _____

Person(s) with legal right to control disposition

Signed _____ **Date** _____

Person(s) with legal right to control disposition

Name of person(s) contracting for cremation or hydrolysis services: _____

Signed _____ **Date** _____

Person(s) contracting for cremation or hydrolysis

Funeral Director Signed _____ **Lic #** _____ **Date** _____

IMPORTANT: Business and Professions Code section 7685.2(b) requires funeral establishments to complete this form, provided by the Cemetery and Funeral Bureau, when making arrangements for cremation or hydrolysis. Failure to complete this form may result in disciplinary action by the Bureau. This declaration does not replace the written authorization to cremate required by Health and Safety Code sections 7110 and 7111

NOTICE REGARDING CREMATED OR HYDROLYZED HUMAN REMAINS

A person having the right to control disposition of cremated or hydrolyzed human remains may remove the remains in a durable container from the place of cremation, hydrolysis, or interment, pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 7054.6.

If the cremated or hydrolyzed remains container cannot accommodate all cremated or hydrolyzed remains of the deceased, the crematory or hydrolysis facility shall provide a larger cremated or hydrolyzed remains container at no additional cost, or place the excess in a second container that cannot easily come apart from the first, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 7685.2.

¹ See Health and Safety Code sections 7054, 7054.6, 7116, and 7117 for legal dispositions of cremated or hydrolyzed human remains.

² See Health and Safety Code section 7100 for the list of person(s) with the legal right to control disposition of human remains.

Release of Cremated Remains



DECEASED _____

CHECK ONE



Express Delivery of Cremated Remains by United States Postal Service in Southern California

(Our Southern California Shipping Charges Apply) (Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego Counties)

I authorize Simplicity to mail the cremated remains in the urn selected by USPS Express Mail which is tracked and signature required. Urns are packaged per the US Postal Service Guidelines for shipping human remains. (The USPS is the only legal way of shipping human cremated remains in the United States) Simplicity and the crematory shall not be held responsible for any damages or loss in connection with the handling by the United States Postal Service. Once a package has been delivered into their care, we have no control over the way the shipment is handled.

Name _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____



Southern California Hand Delivery by Simplicity

(Our Delivery Charges Apply)

I authorize Simplicity to hand deliver by appointment the cremated remains to:

Name _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____



Receiving Cremated Remains at a Simplicity release office by appointment

(No Charge)

Our offices are by appointment only, and in many cases, are scheduled only one day a week depending on staff availability. Once we notify you that the cremated remains are ready, our staff will schedule the release time at the release office you select. Each release office is open every two weeks. We will only release to the person(s) you have listed below, and a valid photo ID is required.



Santa Ana



Burbank



San Bernardino



Palm Springs

I authorize Simplicity to release the cremated remains to the following person(s):

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____



Express Delivery of Cremated Remains by United States Postal Service OUTSIDE Southern California

(Our Regular Shipping Charges Apply)

I authorize Simplicity to mail the cremated remains in the urn selected by USPS Express Mail with signature required. Urns are packaged per the US Postal Service Guidelines for shipping human remains. (The USPS is the only legal way of shipping human cremated remains in the United States) Simplicity and the crematory shall not be held responsible for any damages or loss in connection with the handling by the United States Postal Service. Once a package has been delivered into their care, we have no control over the way the shipment is handled.

Name _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____



Non-Witnessed Scattering at Sea by Simplicity

(Our Scattering Charges Apply)

I authorize Simplicity to scatter the cremated remains subject to California laws, off the coast of Orange County, California in the Pacific Ocean. I realize the cremated remains will become none recoverable.

SIGN HERE

Signed _____

Person(s) with legal right to control disposition

Date _____