

Rules Governing Incineration

The United States Cremation Company

(Limited)

Office: 62 East Houston Street, New York

CREMATORY AND COLUMBARIUM AT FRESH POND, QUEENS COUNTY, N. Y.

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I. Applications for incineration must be made at the office of the company, 62 East Houston Street, New York, by the undertaker or other representative of the family. Such application having been made, on the company's blank form, the incineration fee paid and the physician's certificate of death presented, an order directing the incineration will be issued. This order, with the permits of the Board of Health at the place of death, must, upon arrival at the crematory at the appointed hour, be delivered to the company's representative. This rule is imperative; and unless the order be accompanied by the necessary permits in due form, the incineration will not be allowed to take place.

II. The incineration fee for adults is \$35, for children under ten years \$25. This does not include transportation to the crematory or undertaker's service. Special rates for cremation societies, labor unions and persons of limited means.

- III. Clothing and preparation of the body may be the same as for earth burial. The body is always incinerated in the clothing as received.
- IV. Religious services, Masonic or other funeral ceremonies may be held in the crematory chapel at the time of incineration, the company providing organ service without extra charge.
- V. The coffin or any part thereof is never allowed to be removed from the building, but is burned after the incineration. In case of death from contagious disease the coffin will not be opened, but will be burned with the body.
- VI. Incineration may be private if so desired; otherwise persons present may witness the proceedings.
- VII. The ashes will be deliverable at the office of the company the day after the incineration.
- VIII. Urns and niches for the final disposition of the ashes may be selected at the columbarium, or at the office of the company.
- IX. On one day's notice, bodies coming from a distance will, on their arrival in New York or Jersey City, be received by the company's undertaker, who will procure the necessary permits and make all arrangements.
 - X. We incinerate every day in the year.



For Location of CREMATORY and How to Get There, See Map Page 24

The Crematory is located on Mount Olivet, facing Lutheran cemetery, just north of Fresh Pond (or Bushwick Junction) station, Long Island Railroad, about four miles from the Brooklyn Bridge and all East River ferries above that point, ten minutes by rail from Long Island City, and is reached

Via 34th Street (or James Slip) Ferry, New York, and rail from Long Island City;

Via Roosevelt, Grand Street, Broadway, 10th Street and 23d Street Ferries, by North Second Street cars, Brooklyn, E. D., or by Bushwick Avenue cars and steam cars from Bushwick;

From Brooklyn by Myrtle Avenue, Greene and Gates Avenue cars, or Union Elevated Railroad to Ridgewood, and Lutheran cemetery cars.