

IRVINGTON MEMORIAL CREMATORY

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AUTHORITY TO CREMATE

Subject to the Rules & Regulations of **Irvington Memorial Crematory**, you are hereby authorized to cremate the remains of:

Disposition of Cremated Remains:

Funeral Director & Address:

INFECTIOUS: Yes _____ No _____

PACEMAKER: Yes _____ No _____ Removed by: _____

Delivery to: (Please Initial)

_____ 1. I authorize you to deliver the said remains to:

for the purpose of interment or lawful scattering at sea.

THE CREMATION PROCESS

“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 amounts 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.” (Sect. 7054.7 (b) California Health & Safety Code)

When cremating, **Irvington Memorial Crematory** will exercise reasonable efforts in keeping cremated remains separate. However, it is impossible to guarantee or warrant that bone particles or the residue of one cremation could not possibly be mixed with those of another cremation. Also, the temperature of the chamber is raised to meet the minimum Standards for Cremation as set forth by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District Regulations. I do not hold **Irvington Memorial Crematory** responsible beyond reasonable effort.

AUTHORITY TO CREMATE (CONTINUED)

**I understand that if it is the intention to save any personal items,
it is my responsibility to remove them before cremation.**

In the event the cremated remains do not all fit in the container I have chosen, I direct The Crematory to: (*Initial One Only*)

- _____ A. Return the balance of the remains to me.
- _____ B. Place the balance of the remains in a common interment site within Irvington Memorial Cemetery. I Specifically authorize the placement and the commingling of the cremated remains of more than one person in the same container or the same interment plot. (Sect. 7054.7 (a) (2)(3) California Health & Safety Code)

I declare under penalty of perjury the foregoing is true and correct and that I make this statement to allow the Crematory to cremate the remains of the decedent. This is your authority to make the disposition of the remains. In the event such remains have not been permanently interred or picked up by myself or my agent designated for said purpose within three (3) months of this date the Crematory is authorized to inter or cause them to be interred in such a manner as you may deem advisable, including commingling thereof by interment in a location or by manner with remains of another person or persons. I hereby warrant the said remains contain no pacemaker or other explodable implant and that it is safe to cremate. I hereby agree to protect and indemnify the Crematory or its assigns against any claims or damages which may result on account of this authorization or my failure to properly identify or pick up said remains, including legal fees, cost, and expenses of litigation.

CUSTODY AND DUTY OF INTERMENT- Health & Safety Code, Section 7100

I certify that I am the _____ (relationship) to the decedent. Pursuant to California Health and Safety Code section 7100, I am authorized to control disposition of the remains.

Executed at _____, California, this _____ day of _____ 20 _____

FUNERAL HOME REP. SIGNATURE

SIGNATURE

SIGNATURE

SIGNATURE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

