



Pricing Information

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Our Funeral Pricing Explained

A typical simple funeral will include four elements; our professional service fees, bringing your loved one into our care, the ceremonial vehicle and team for the day of the funeral, and a coffin. The other elements and costs of a funeral are the disbursements which are payments made to third parties on your behalf. These may include, for example, crematorium or cemetery fees, minister or celebrant fees, doctors' fees for cremation and any other additional expenses or services. We will detail these costs on our estimate.

Professional Services

£850

We'll meet with you and your family, at our premises, where you will receive personal attention from our professionally trained team to discuss, plan and arrange the funeral service for your loved one. We will provide advice on registering the death and liaise with HM Coroner (Procurator Fiscal in Scotland), as required; assistance with the completion of necessary statutory documentation; collection and delivery of documents to the relevant authorities; and making all necessary arrangements for the funeral service. We'll organise the crematorium, cemetery or church and reception venues as appropriate, as well as liaising with your chosen minister or celebrant. Our Funeral Director and branch team are available to provide help and guidance to personalise the funeral arrangements for your family, friends and any third parties associated with delivering the funeral service, before and after the day of the funeral.

Professional care of the deceased and bringing them into our care

£350

We are committed to providing the highest standard of professional care of the deceased at all times. When bringing your loved one into our care, we provide our professional, trained team and the provision of a private ambulance or other suitable vehicle, complete with all the necessary equipment and supplies, to convey the deceased from a hospital or public mortuary in hours, within 25 miles. Our team will tend to the preparation and professional care of the deceased, including dressing them in a suitable white gown. You will also have use of our chapel of rest for visiting your loved one, in hours, if required.

Ceremonial vehicle and team for the day of the funeral

£450

A Funeral Director will be in attendance on the day of the funeral to make sure everything runs smoothly. They will lead the procession and direct mourners as required. We will provide of a motor hearse to take the deceased from our premises directly to a single place of service and committal for the funeral during normal working hours. The hearse will be accompanied by trained pall bearers in the appropriate livery to attend the funeral as required.

Simple Funeral (excluding your choice of coffin or casket and disbursements / third party fees)

£1,650

Plus Basic Coffin

£225

Simple Funeral with Basic Coffin

£1,875

Your choice of Coffin or Casket (prices from £225)

We offer a wide selection of traditional veneer and solid wood coffins in a range of finishes, as well as natural, eco-friendly and personalised coffins and caskets. Our experienced team will be happy to talk through your needs so you can choose the coffin or casket that is right for your loved one.

Your choice of any Additional Services

You may want to keep your funeral simple, however, we do have a range of additional services you may like to include to create a more traditional or personal funeral for your loved one. These include making the funeral arrangements at your home, the funeral service and committal in more than one location, limousine(s) to transport mourners to the service, the funeral procession (cortège) to go via the house of the deceased or via a chosen route, a horse-drawn hearse, motorcycle hearse or other specialist vehicles, embalming, visiting your loved one out of hours, collection and storage of the ashes, floral tributes, orders of service, online funeral notice, donations, newspaper obituaries, memorial masonry, urns and ashes caskets and keepsake orders. Our professional team will be able to discuss your requirements and help you to create the funeral you require. We'll then be able to confirm any additional costs and provide an estimate for the entire funeral.

Spending time with your loved one

Your family and friends may wish to visit our chapel of rest to spend time with your loved one. If you would like to visit and spend time with them, we recommend embalming as the best possible care. Embalming is a specialist treatment carried out by our trained, professional staff that preserves and sanitises, creating a natural and comforting lasting image until the funeral service. This can be arranged as well as visits at a time that suits you and your family. – see table for options and associated fees.

Please Note:

All prices shown above are excluding the price of your chosen coffin or casket, disbursements and third party costs paid on your behalf. Additional services may be added to the Simple Funeral and will be charged at the prices as listed opposite. We will confirm all additional costs and provide an estimate of all charges.

In hours times are between 9am - 4.30pm. Out of hours times are before 9am and after 4.30pm. If a horse-drawn hearse or other specialist hearse is requested, we will still provide the motor hearse, as outlined above, to convey any floral tributes and to accompany the funeral cortège.



Funeral Pricing

| Services | Services included in Simple Funeral | Incl. | Additional Services | Price |
|---|--|--|--|-----------------|
| Arrangements | In person at our premises | ✓ | Arrangements at your home | +£50 |
| Taking the deceased into our care | Collection from hospital in hours | ✓ | Collection from home, nursing home in hours | +£90 |
| | | | Collection out of hours | +£150 |
| Transfer distance | Under 25 miles | ✓ | Over 25 miles | £2 per mile |
| Vehicle for deceased | Hearse & ceremonial bearers | ✓ | Floral Hearse | +£325 |
| | | | Horse-drawn Black Hearse with pair (2) of black horses (extra 2 horses +£600) | +£1,050 |
| | | | Horse-drawn White Hearse with pair (2) of white/grey horses (extra 2 horses +£600) | +£1,350 |
| | | | Vintage Lorry /Other specialist motor vehicles (of different colour, make, model) | ask for a quote |
| | | Motorcycle Hearse | +£1,050 | |
| Vehicle for family | | | Limousine for family | +£250 |
| Funeral Procession (Cortège) | Direct to service | ✓ | Via house or chosen route | +£75 |
| Time - Service & Committal | Weekdays during normal working hours | ✓ | If both the service and committal time is before 11am or after 3pm, a discount will be applied | -£150 |
| Location - Service & Committal | At a single location | ✓ | Service and committal at different locations | +£150 |
| Care of deceased | Basic preparation of deceased | ✓ | Embalming | +£120 |
| | Dress in plain white gown | ✓ | Dress in own clothes or choice of gown colour | +£25 |
| Chapel visits | Visits in hours | ✓ | Visits out of hours, including weekends | +£95 |
| Collection/Storage of ashes | Family collect ashes from crematorium | ✓ | Collection and storage of ashes (max. period of 4 weeks) | +£25 |
| Other additional services | | | Dove Release – Single dove (each additional dove £25 per dove) | +£175 |
| | | | Reception of coffin into home, prior to funeral (in hours) | +£185 |
| | | | Reception of coffin into home, prior to funeral (out of hours) | +£300 |
| | | | Evening Prayer/Church Service and Evening Wake-Keeping (wait and return as applicable) | +£600 |
| | | | Additional time on Funerals – cost per half hour per vehicle (for funerals over 3 hours) | +£60 |
| | | | Saturday Funeral (additional charge – excl. third party fees) | +£500 |
| | | | Sunday Funeral (additional charge – excl. third party fees) | +£575 |
| | | | Bank Holiday Funeral (additional charge – excl. third party fees) | +£575 |
| | | | Funeral Director with limousine to attend burial of ashes, after a funeral | +£320 |
| | | | Funeral Director to attend burial of ashes, after a funeral | +£165 |
| | | Funeral Director to prepare grave (where available) and to attend burial of ashes, after a funeral | +£190 | |
| Coffin | Please ask to see a brochure for detailed descriptions and additional images of our extensive range of coffins and caskets. | | Coffins | from £225 |

Please Note:

If provision of a Limousine is selected, we will waive the additional charge for the Funeral Procession (Cortège) via house or chosen route, if applicable.

If Embalming is selected, we will waive the additional charge for Dressing in own clothes or choice of gown colour, if applicable.



Coffins & Caskets

Basic Coffin



£225

Dark Foil Veneer Wood

Heartwood Traditional Coffins



£275

York - Oak Effect Foil Veneer



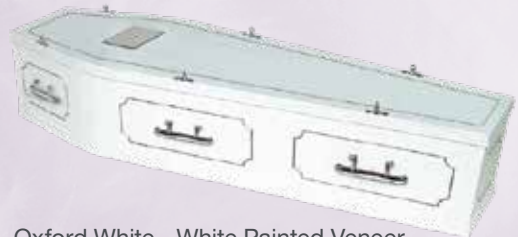
£350

Rochester - Oak Veneer



£380

Worcester - Oak Veneer
(also available in Mahogany)



£450

Oxford White - White Painted Veneer
(also available in a range of colours - £500)



£550

Windsor - Semi-Solid Mahogany
(also available in Oak)



£680

Westminster - Solid Oak (also available in Mahogany)

Reflections Personalised Coffins



£650

Personalised Picture Coffins -
Choose from a ready-made design or design your own

Country Range Coffins



£550

Premium Bamboo*



£800

Banana Leaf - Coffin shape* (also available in Casket shape*)



£925

Premium English Willow (Wicker) - Hand-woven
in Somerset, personalised to your specification

*Limited sizes available

The above coffins are a small selection from our extensive range. Please ask to see a brochure for detailed descriptions and additional images of these coffins and of our full range of coffins and caskets available.



Coffins & Caskets Price List

HEARTWOOD - Traditional Wooden Coffins

| Solid Wooden Coffins | |
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| Westminster - Solid Oak | £680 |
| Westminster - Solid Mahogany | £680 |
| Surrey - Solid Oak | £650 |
| Surrey - Solid Mahogany | £650 |
| Selby - Solid Oak | £600 |
| Selby - Solid Sapele | £600 |
| Windsor - Classic Oak | £550 |
| Windsor - Classic Mahogany | £550 |
| Veneer Wooden Coffins | |
| Worcester - Oak Veneer | £380 |
| Worcester - Mahogany Veneer | £380 |
| Rochester - Oak Veneer | £350 |
| York - Oak Effect Foil Veneer | £275 |
| Painted Wooden Coffins | |
| Oxford - White | £450 |
| Oxford - Contemporary Coloured Coffins | £500 |
| English Wooden Caskets | |
| Buckingham - Solid Mahogany | £1,800 |
| Canterbury - Solid Oak | £1,750 |
| European Wooden Coffins | |
| Royal - Solid White Walnut * | £2,500 |
| Equinox - Solid Ebiara Hardwood * | £2,000 |
| Seneca - Solid Ebiara Hardwood * | £1,800 |
| Imperial - Solid Larch Hardwood * | £1,300 |
| Requiem Religious Wooden Coffins | |
| Vatican "Last Supper" - Solid Wood * | £1,300 |
| Turin "Last Supper" - Oak Veneer | £650 |
| Trinity Head of Mary - Solid Oak * | £1,650 |
| Trinity Head of Christ - Solid Oak * | £1,650 |

COUNTRY RANGE - Coffins & Caskets

| English Willow - Personalised Wicker Coffins | £925 |
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| Daisy Premium Woven Coffins | |
| Banana Leaf - Coffin Shape * | £800 |
| Banana Leaf - Casket Shape * | £800 |
| Water Hyacinth - Coffin * | £775 |
| Water Hyacinth - Half Round Square Casket * | £775 |
| Premium Wicker Coffin - Golden or Grey * | £750 |
| Premium Bamboo Coffin * | £550 |
| Natural Legacy Woollen Coffins | |
| Swaledale Coffin - Natural or Limestone * | £800 |
| Oasis Coffins | |
| Natural Seagrass Coffin * | £700 |
| Traditional Woodland Coffins | |
| Brighton - Solid Pine | £650 |
| Woodland Whitby - Oak-style Veneer | £500 |
| Cardboard Coffin * | £400 |
| Woodland Memorial Pack | £80 |
| Greener Goodbyes | £195 |

REFLECTIONS - Personalised Picture Coffins

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| Reflections Coffin | £650 |
| Pathway Coffin | £900 |
| Printed Interiors (additional charge) | £200 |
| Reflections Casket | £700 |

GUARDIAN - American-Style Caskets

| American-Style Wood Caskets | |
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| Senate - Solid Mahogany * | £4,100 |
| Viscount - Solid Mahogany * | £4,000 |
| Sandringham - Solid Cherry Wood * | £3,600 |
| Winston - Cherry Wood Veneer * | £2,900 |
| Belgrave - Burl Wood Veneer * | £2,800 |
| Ambassador Cherry - Solid Cherry Wood * | £2,750 |
| Tribute Hardwood - Solid Hardwood * | £2,500 |
| Essence - Solid Alder Wood * | £2,400 |
| Harvest Oak - Solid Oak * | £2,300 |
| Passion of Christ (Wood) - Solid Paulownia * | £2,200 |
| Heritage - Solid Paulownia * | £2,100 |
| Heritage Plus - Solid Paulownia * | £2,300 |
| Madison - Solid Paulownia * | £2,000 |
| Proventus Paulownia - Solid Paulownia * | £1,950 |
| Stewart - Solid Paulownia * | £1,900 |
| Eurocraft - Solid Paulownia * | £1,850 |
| Virginia - Solid Paulownia * | £1,800 |
| Wellington - Solid Paulownia * | £1,700 |
| American-Style Metal Caskets | |
| Classic Copper - Solid Copper * | £5,500 |
| Paragon Gold - Solid Bronze * | £5,300 |
| Blue Rise - Stainless Steel * | £2,800 |
| Passion of Christ (Metal) - 18 gauge Steel * | £2,400 |
| Coral Jewel - 18 gauge Steel * | £2,200 |
| Indigo - 18 gauge Steel * | £2,100 |
| Churchill - 18 gauge Steel * | £2,000 |
| Stella Quartz - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,900 |
| Devotion - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,800 |
| Nightfall Silver - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,750 |
| Sunstone - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,700 |
| Topaz - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,650 |
| Dynasty - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,600 |
| Eternal Rose - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,550 |
| Mercedes - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,500 |
| Apollo Silver - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,400 |
| Apollo White - 18 gauge Steel * | £1,400 |
| Neptune Orchid - 20 gauge Steel * | £1,300 |
| Neptune Blue - 20 gauge Steel * | £1,300 |
| Neptune White - 20 gauge Steel * | £1,300 |
| Neptune Silver - 20 gauge Steel * | £1,300 |

Basic Coffin

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| Basic Coffin - Dark Wood Effect Foil Veneer | £225 |
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*Limited sizes available



Essential Cremation & Payment Information

Essential Unattended Cremation (excluding disbursements/third party fees) £1,100

If you would like an Essential Unattended Cremation, we can help you to arrange this. This service includes arrangements in person at the branch, bringing the deceased into our care with a planned collection from a hospital within 25 miles, in hours. The deceased will be transferred directly to a crematorium at a day and time of our choice in a non-ceremonial vehicle. This also includes a Simple Coffin and basic preparation of the deceased who will be dressed in a white gown. Additional services cannot be added to the Essential Unattended Cremation.

Payment of Funeral Account

We request, in advance of the funeral taking place, full payment of Disbursements & Additional Expenses plus 50% of the total cost of the Funeral Costs. Your Funeral Arranger will advise you of the amount required in advance of the funeral. You may, should you wish, choose to pay the full funeral account in advance.

Please Note: Payment is due within 21 days of the date of invoice. If the account remains unpaid after this date, we reserve the right to charge a fee in order to cover our administration costs for the recovery of any debt. Interest may also be charged to your account on any remaining balance.

There is no need to wait for probate. If sufficient funds are available, settlement can usually be made directly from the deceased's bank account without having to wait for probate to be completed. Please inform us if you intend to claim assistance for funeral expenses from the Social Fund (DWP). These payments are a contribution towards costs and will not cover the entire cost of the funeral so there will be a balance to be paid by you. The rules for eligibility are complex and we suggest that you speak with your Funeral Arranger or your local Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) office for advice. In the event of an unsuccessful claim, payment of the full amount of the funeral account will be your responsibility. We accept payment by most major Debit or Credit Cards*, Online Bank Transfer, BACS, Cash or Cheque. Please ask your Funeral Arranger for details.

*excluding American Express and Diners Club International.

We are here for you 24 hours a day 365 days a year

