

Pricing Information

October 2020



Funeral Prices

Typically, funeral costs will include six elements:

1) Our professional service fees

We will meet with you and your family to discuss the funeral arrangements, as well as providing guidance and advice on all the practical and legal documentation required like registering the death. We will organise the service, funeral and the wake. That includes the crematorium, cemetery or church, reception venues as appropriate, liaising with your chosen minister or celebrant and any additional products and services required. Our Funeral Director and branch team are available to provide help and guidance at all times.

2) Transfer & Care of the deceased

When bringing your loved one into our care, we provide a professional, trained team with a private ambulance or other suitable vehicle. We will tend to the preparation and care of the deceased, including dressing in a suitable gown or their own clothes. You will also have use of our chapel of rest for visiting your loved one if you wish.

3) Ceremonial Vehicle(s) and Staff for the day of the Funeral

Provision of a modern motor hearse to convey the deceased to the place of service and then to the crematorium or cemetery and a chauffeured limousine for 6 passengers (if applicable). Providing a Funeral Director and all the necessary staff, dressed in the appropriate livery, to conduct the funeral. (Alternative ceremonial vehicle types may be available at an additional cost).

	Funeral Package Options				
	Horse-Drawn	Eco-Coffin	Personalised	Solid Wood	Traditional
					
	Westminster solid wood coffin (oak or mahogany)	English Willow eco-coffin (personalised options)	Reflections personalised picture coffin	Surrey solid wood coffin (oak or mahogany)	Worcester wood-veneer coffin (oak or mahogany)
Professional Services	£2,030	£2,030	£2,030	£2,030	£2,030
Transfer & Care of the Deceased	£550	£550	£550	£550	£550
Ceremonial Vehicles & Staff including Motor Hearse and one limousine	£2,045 incl. Horse-Drawn Hearse and pair (2) black horses	£995	£995	£995	£995
Cortège and Route	Any route - multiple venues	Any route - multiple venues	Any route - multiple venues	Any route - multiple venues	Any route - multiple venues
Time & Day Service Availability	Mon-Sun	Mon-Sun	Mon-Fri (Sat, Sun, Bank Hol additional charge)	Mon-Fri (Sat, Sun, Bank Hol additional charge)	Mon-Fri (Sat, Sun, Bank Hol additional charge)
Embalming	£120	£120	£120	£120	£120
Additional limousine(s)	1 additional limousine incl. £200	not included but can be added	not included but can be added	not included but can be added	not included but can be added
Coffin	£680	£925	£700	£650	£380
Discount	-£150	-£125	-£100	-£75	-£50
Grand Total	£5,475	£4,495	£4,295	£4,270	£4,025

All prices shown exclude third-party fees and disbursements paid on your behalf.

Funeral Package Options - Additional services may be added to any of the other funeral package options and will be charged at the standard fees. Please note there is no reduction to the funeral package price for services included but which are either not required or not used. The discount is only applicable as part of the funeral package option.



Funeral Prices

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4) A coffin

We have a wide choice of veneer and solid wood coffins in a range of finishes, as well as natural, eco-friendly and personalised coffins and caskets to choose from.




5) Any additional products and services chosen by you

These include for example, extra limousines, specialist hearse, reception of coffin into church or home, flowers, orders of service booklet etc.

6) Disbursements and third party fees

Disbursements 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. For any other additional expenses, products and services these costs will be detailed on our estimate form.

Our experienced team will be here to listen and guide you through the arrangement process and help you to make the right choices for your loved one.

	Fully Flexible	Restricted Options		
	Bespoke	Simple	Basic	Unattended Direct Cremation
				
	Your choice of coffin or casket	Simple foil-veneer coffin	Basic cardboard coffin	Basic cardboard coffin
Professional Service Fee	£2,030	included in total	included in total	included in total
Transfer & Care of the Deceased	£550	included in total	included in total	included in total
Ceremonial Vehicles & Staff including Motor Hearse and one limousine	£995	Hearse and Staff included in total (Limousines not available)	Hearse and staff included in total (limousines not available)	Not Available. Non-ceremonial vehicle and staff only
Cortège and Route	Any route - multiple venues	Any route to crematorium / cemetery	Direct to crematorium	Direct to crematorium
Time & Day Service Availability	Mon-Fri (Sat, Sun, Bank Holidays additional charge)	Tues / Wed / Thurs only and before 10am or after 3pm	No client choice	No client choice
Embalming	£120	not included but can be added	not included but can be added	Not Available
Additional limousine(s)	not included but can be added	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Coffin	from £275	included in total	included in total	included in total
Discount	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Grand Total	from £3,970	£3,200	£2,500	£1,500

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Bespoke Funeral - This is a fully flexible funeral, additional services may be added and will be charged at the standard fees shown. If a chauffeured limousine is not required there will be a reduction of £200. If embalming is not required the fee of £120 will not be charged.

Simple and Basic Funeral Restricted Options - These services have restricted and limited professional services. Additional restrictions apply including a limited or no choice of the day, date and time of the funeral and no additional products or services may be added except embalming. Embalming can be added for the fee of £120.

Unattended Direct Cremation - 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 office hours. The deceased will be transferred directly to a local crematorium at a day and time of our choice in a non-ceremonial vehicle, and with no mourners in attendance. This also includes a cardboard coffin and basic preparation of the deceased who will be dressed in a white gown. Additional services can not be added to the Unattended Direct Cremation.



Coffins & Caskets

Heartwood Traditional Coffins



Reflections Personalised Coffins



Country Range Coffins



*Limited sizes available

Please ask to see a brochure for detailed descriptions and additional images of our extensive range of coffins and caskets.



Additional Services & Payment Information

Additional Service Price List

Embalming (optional)	£120
Limousine(s) – each	£200
Floral Hearse	£325
Motorcycle Hearse	prices available upon request
Vintage Lorry/Other specialist motor vehicles (of different colour, make, model)	prices available upon request
Horse-drawn Black Hearse with Pair (2) of black horses	£1,050
Horse-drawn White Hearse with Pair (2) of white/grey horses	£1,350
Horse-drawn Black Hearse with Team (4) of black horses	£1,650
Horse-drawn White Hearse with Team (4) of white/grey horses	£1,950
Dove Release – Single dove (each additional dove £25 per dove)	£175
Reception of coffin into Church/Home (during office hours)	£185
Reception of coffin into Church/Home (outside office hours)	£300
Evening Prayer/Church Service and Evening Wake-Keepings (wait and return as applicable)	£600
Additional time on Funerals – cost per half hour per vehicle (for funerals over 3 hours)	£60
Additional Mileage for funeral vehicles and/or bringing the deceased into our care (per mile over 25 miles)	£2
Saturday, Sunday or Bank Holiday Funeral (additional charge – excl. third party fees)	£500
Bringing the Deceased into our care outside of normal working hours (only applicable on certain funeral types)	£95
Additional Pall Bearers (additional charge per 2 bearers)	£80
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

We also have an extensive range of order of service booklets, funeral stationery, flowers, ashes caskets, urns and keepsakes, ask for a brochure or visit our website. If you have any other requests or special requirements for personalisation, please speak to one of our experienced funeral arrangers and we will do our best to fulfill your wishes.

Disbursements

Disbursements are payments made to third parties made on your behalf. (These may include, for example, crematorium or cemetery fees, officiant or minister fees, doctors' fees for cremation, etc). We will quote for these costs and they will be shown on our estimate.

Payment of Funeral Account

We request, in advance of the funeral taking place, full payment of Disbursements & Other Services, plus 50% of the total cost of the Funeral Directors Services. 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.

Please be aware 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.



Coffins & Caskets Price List

HEARTWOOD - Traditional Wooden Coffins

Solid Wooden Coffins	
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
Temporary Wooden Crosses and Grave Markers	
Large Grave Cross - Oak or Mahogany (4' 6")	£110
Small Grave Cross - Oak or Mahogany (3' 6")	£80
Temporary Grave Marker - Oak or Mahogany	£90
Small Grave Marker - Oak or Mahogany	£70
European Wooden Coffins	
Royal - Solid White Walnut *	£2,500
Equinox - Solid Ebiara Hardwood *	£2,000
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
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

REFLECTIONS - Personalised Picture Coffins

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

GUARDIAN - American-Style Caskets

American-Style Wood Caskets	
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

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