

Price List

From 1st April 2023

We are here to help create a bespoke and fitting day of remembrance - however individual your requests are.

A funeral should reflect a person's character, using your ideas, their own requests and incorporating their particular beliefs, passions and hobbies.

The following details demonstrate the most necessary and regular fees incurred in providing a funeral, but there are more services we offer and they differ for each family we care for.

Please see the additional service section of this price list or do ask us for more details.

Professional Fees For An Attended Funeral

Our professional service charge including attention throughout the arrangements of the funeral. All administration fees, including liaising with third parties. Attendance of Grace and four bearers at the funeral, within office hours.*	£1200.00
Our colleagues to help with the transportation of the deceased person to our premises in Ringmer, within a 15 mile radius.	£350.00
Care of the deceased person in our private mortuary, including preparing them for the funeral and dressing them in their own clothes or robe.	£590.00
The provision of your choice of coffin. (<i>options shown on the next page – from £360</i>)	TBC
Visiting the deceased person, by appointment during office hours.** - (<i>if requested</i>)	£75.00
Hearse & Chauffeur	£520.00
Estimated Total of Professional Fees, excluding coffin.	<u>£2735.00</u>

Disbursements are in addition to our professional fees outlined above. Disbursements are fees which we pay to other third parties on your behalf. They are highly variable and often include items such as the crematorium, cemetery, newspapers notices, flowers etc. These items are charged at cost.

It is our usual practice to request payment of the disbursements 48 hours prior to the funeral taking place. The request for payment of our professional fees is sent to you following the funeral and full settlement of the account is requested within 28 days of the date of that letter.

*Our professional service charge includes all advice, guidance, expertise and reassurance of the funeral director and her colleagues; the provision of a 24-hour telephone service for emergencies and to answer any concerns; the initial meeting and any subsequent meetings with the funeral director and discussions with her colleagues; liaising with the doctors, hospitals, or coroner's officer; advice regarding registration and certification; co-ordination and liaising with service venues, the minister/celebrant, the gravedigger, the stonemason or solicitor; advice, drafting and submission of the appropriate application forms for either cremation or burial; the ordering, handling and storage of the coffin; complimentary grave marker for those being buried; the ordering of musicians, music, live-streaming or visual tributes; advice and handling of notices in the newspaper, floral tributes and orders of service or memorial cards; the design and co-ordination of a tribute page on our website to facilitate details of the funeral, messages, photographs and charitable donations; the handling of charitable donations not made online; the continued care, support and attendance of Grace and four bearers at the funeral including support to assist any family bearers; advice, and collection of the ashes from the crematorium including their care until further arrangements are made; the division or transference into commemorative urns, jewellery etc.

**Ordinary office hours – Mon-Fri 9.00am – 5.00pm.

Our Coffin Range

The Woodland Green	A coffin made from green cardboard and fitted with rope handles. Also available in manilla, and lily white.	£355.00
The Rookwood Elm	A <i>simulated</i> elm veneered coffin with matching moulds.	£360.00
The Chiltern	A light high-quality oak veneered coffin with matching moulds.*	£450.00
The Chiltern Knotty Oak	A light high-quality knotty oak veneered coffin with a honey-coloured stain, trimmed with half round moulds and shown with honey-coloured wooden handles.	£490.00
The Oxford	An oak style veneered coffin, engraved with contrasting fine panel details. Choose from our standard range of White, Green, Red or Blue. Alternatively, any customised colour can be achieved at an additional cost.	<i>from</i> £535.00
The Brinkley	A light high-quality oak veneered coffin with routed panels, a raised lid, and double moulds.*	£600.00
The Pictures	Manufactured from Forest Stewardship Council certified medium density fibre board with a variety of different designs printed on biodegradable paper using water-based inks. Bespoke designs available on request.	<i>from</i> £650.00
The Willows	A selection of coffins made with European willow.	£730.00
The Seagrass	A fair-trade oval coffin with straight sides made with seagrass.	£730.00
The Bamboo	A coffin made with bamboo.	£730.00
The Brighton	A solid pine coffin with plain lid and sides. Using high quality European pine polished with a water based natural polish, this gentle and unassuming coffin has a matt appearance or can be completely unpolished. Crafted pine handles to match.	£770.00
The Sussex Willows	Crafted locally at Clayton by Ringmer born and raised, Jake Whitcroft. Beautifully detailed with willow and woods grown in the UK. Available in 'Natural Green' or 'Buff'.	£800.00
The Hainsworth	The natural coffin is made in using pure new wool supported on a strong cardboard frame. The interior is generously lined with organic cotton and attractively edged with jute, with an embroidered woollen name plate.	<i>from</i> £950.00
The Windsor	A solid oak coffin with clean simple sides and deep solid wooden moulds to the base and lid. This coffin may be stained a different shade.	£980.00

**It is possible for this coffin to be finished in an alternative wood veneer or stained a different shade.*

Additional Options Price List

Out of area removals -	Colleagues, equipment & transport for the first 15 miles. Additional mileage thereafter.	£350.00 £1.50/mile
Visiting our chapel of rest out of ordinary working hours.		£220.00
Take into church/home on a separate occasion to the funeral.		£590.00
Where there are more than two hours between each venue on the same day.		£490.00
A pair of additional bearers on request, or if required by Grace.		£100.00
Limousine & Chauffeur (to carry six mourners).		£260.00
Floral Hearse.		£380.00
MPV & Chauffeur.		£150.00
Mileage after 15 miles per vehicle.		£1.50/mile
Weekend/Bank Holiday Funeral Supplement – subject to availability.		£POA
Remove & Refix a headstone/kerbset for a further burial to take place.		£POA
Order of Service – Estimated -	4pp - 30/50/70/100 8pp - 30/50/70/100	£76, £80, £84, £90 £116, £120, 124, £130

Ashes Interments

Service and administration fee for arranging and co-ordinating the interment of cremated remains.		£80.00
Service and administration fee for arranging and co-ordinating the interment of cremated remains, including attendance by the funeral director during ordinary working hours.		£150.00
Service and administration fee for arranging and co-ordinating the interment of cremated remains, including attendance by the funeral director out of ordinary working hours.		£240.00
Provision of a full-size scatter tube, including transference.		£17.00
Casket/Urn – Separate catalogue and price list available.		POA
Gravedigger to prepare the grave.		£70-100.00
Temporary black plastic grave marker.		£20.00

Sundries

Mortuary charge for more than 20 days.		£35/day
Pepperpot Vase Insert for the base of a headstone, silver or gold coloured top.		£17.00
Pew Cards – 100, 150, 200.		£65, £75, £85

Cremation Without Attendance

This service is our most basic and therefore the least expensive service we offer. The crematorium, date and time is typically chosen by us and there are no provisions for attending or using the crematorium chapel.

The families who choose this service usually do so if it was the request of the deceased person to cause minimum fuss, if they are planning a memorial service/ceremony at later date, or if financially it is better suited to the funds they have available.

Our service includes – the necessary administration for the cremation, local (15 mile radius) removal of the deceased person within office hours, care of their body in Ringmer until the day of the funeral, a simple and dignified coffin, vehicle and bearers to transport the coffin directly to the crematorium and, if requested, the safe return of their ashes.

Our price for this service is £1680, in addition to this is a fee to the crematorium, for example Wealden, of £399 and the Medical certificate (if applicable) which is currently £82. ***This would bring the total to £2161*** and we may kindly request full payment before the date of the funeral.

Please feel able to discuss this option and we'll do our best to answer any questions you may have.

It is also possible to offer this service for a burial. Please ask for more information as disbursement costs for burial vary depending on location and if you are a local resident to the churchyard or cemetery.

Please remember that we are here to offer advice, information and support in any way we can, regardless of being chosen to conduct the funeral.

Please call us for further information or visit our website.