

Which Prepaid Funeral Plan is right for you?

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There are three Prepaid Funeral Plans to choose from, each include the services specified in your chosen plan. Once you've paid for your plan Dignity guarantees to deliver all the services listed below, no matter how far in the future that may be and no matter how much costs rise. The table below shows what's included in each plan.

Guarantees	Amber	Pearl	Diamond
Covers the funeral director costs included in your chosen plan for a cremation or a burial funeral	✓	✓	✓
For a cremation funeral the plan also covers; The crematorium fee at a local crematorium The Minister of Religion or an Officiant's fee equal to the amount paid for a standard funeral service at the crematorium or cemetery as listed in the Church of England Table of Parochial Fees	✓	✓	✓
For a burial funeral the plan also provides; A generous contribution of £1,220 towards burial costs, plot and Minister's fees. This contribution increases each year in line with the Retail Price Index (RPI) for the Plan's duration	✓	✓	✓
Making the arrangements			
Support from a nationwide network of owned or approved Funeral Directors	Over 1,200 funeral directors	Over 1,200 funeral directors	Over 1,200 funeral directors
Personal and regular contact with the family to provide advice and guidance on all aspects of arranging the funeral	✓	✓	✓
Guidance on the registration of the death and collection of all necessary paperwork for the funeral to proceed	✓	✓	✓
Care of the deceased			
Collection and transportation of the deceased to the Funeral Director's premises, at any time, 24 hours a day (within a 50-mile radius, excluding ferry or air fares)	✓	✓	✓
Care and preparation of the deceased (embalming not included)	✓	✓	✓
The Coffin	Wood effect	Quality wood effect	High quality wood veneer
Viewing of the deceased in a private chapel of rest by agreed appointment	Within normal office hours	During Weekdays	At anytime
The service			
Funeral Director, driver and pallbearers to attend the service	✓	✓	✓
Hearse	✓	✓	✓
Limousine for family/mourners	None	One	Two
Funeral procession (Fees and costs of a service at a separate location not included)	Directly to the crematorium or burial site	To a service location, then onto the crematorium or burial site	To a service location, then onto the crematorium or burial site
Mutual agreement on the time and day of the funeral during normal office hours	✓	✓	✓
Flexibility			
If you move home your plan moves with you to a new Nominated Funeral Director, at no extra cost	✓	✓	✓
Personalise the plan at any time by documenting "Special Requests" such as hymns and readings ¹	✓	✓	✓
Ability to make additional contributions towards Special Requests during the lifetime of the plan. Any contributions will increase each year in line with Retail Price Index (RPI)	✓	✓	✓
Additional services			
24 hour telephone bereavement advice and counselling service	✓	✓	✓
Complimentary thank you cards	X	✓	✓

What is not included in your plan:

This list is not exhaustive, so please refer to the Terms & Conditions for further information.

- Embalming, burial plot, memorial or headstone, flowers, catering/wake
- Repatriation from outside mainland Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Jersey, Isle of Man and Isle of Wight.
- Costs for removing artificial limbs and mechanisms such as pacemakers.
- Costs associated with changes in regulations, tax, laws or generally accepted practice, which result in additional costs or affect the conduct of the funeral.

Medical certification fees.

For deaths where a coroner investigation is required, there are no medical certification fees. Also, changes to legislation in May 2015 mean there will no longer be a charge for a medical certification for any deaths registered in Scotland. Similar legal changes are being considered for the rest of the UK, so we do not include provision for these fees in our Plans. If the funeral takes place outside of Scotland, and a coroner is not involved, then if applicable, the medical certification fees must be paid by the next of kin or personal representative, when arranging the funeral.

¹ Some requests may incur an additional charge and may not be covered by the price guarantee. Any costs incurred from these requests will have to be paid for at the time of the funeral or alternately a contribution can be made towards these costs which will increase each year in line with the Retail Price Index (RPI).



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