

Direct Cremation
Funeral Estimate
and Price List

2026



C. Bastock Ltd

F U N E R A L D I R E C T O R S

* Our Direct Cremation fee of £749 includes;

- Local collection of your loved one from their place of death to our funeral home in normal working hours.
- All the necessary care and attention they will receive from us during their stay.
- Supplying a simple coffin.*
- The Provision of our Private Ambulance to convey the coffin to the crematorium.
- Our staff to act as bearers and carry the coffin on the day.*
- All our professional services in organising the cremation.
- Making the ashes available for collection or organising the scattering of the ashes at the crematorium where the cremation took place without witness.
- Access to our 24 hour telephone assistance.
- All our specialist advice, help and care before and after the funeral.

Crematorium Fees for Direct Cremation

Birmingham City Council Crematoria	£	551. 00.
Solihull MBC Crematoria	£	575. 00.

Waseley Hills Crematorium Options ¹

¹Please note additional charges for our fees

• Direct Cremation - no attendance possible	£	350. 00.
• The Witnessed Cremation Service Ten minutes allowed in the chapel for a maximum of eight people. No formal ceremony allowed, the time is for a moment of quiet reflection. Available at 9.00 and 9.15 a.m., Monday to Thursday only.	£	550. 00.
• The Early Morning Service Twenty minute service allowed for a maximum of twenty people. Available at 9.00 and 9.30 a.m., Monday to Thursday only.	£	650. 00.

Additional Services

Removal of the deceased outside normal working hours	£	285. 00.
Hygienic Treatment and Preparation for viewing in the Chapel of Rest, including one visit	£	260. 00.
Subsequent Chapel of Rest visits	£	40. 00.
Embalming if required	£	165. 00.
Room hire for small service in our funeral home (8 people)	£	100. 00.
Provision of a hearse and four bearers instead of the private ambulance	£	495. 00.
Funeral date and time of your choosing	£	50. 00.
Dressing in own clothes	£	120. 00.
Provision of a gown	£	60. 00.
Upholstering coffin for viewing	£	160. 00.
Additional mileage where required - per mile	£	2. 95.

Ashes Options

Wooden ashes casket	from	£	115. 00.
Scatter Tubes - full size		£	26. 00.
Local delivery of cremated remains		£	30. 00.
Organising a witness scattering of the ashes		£	50. 00.

¹Waseley Hills Crematorium Options

Additional fees for organising and providing;

The Witnessed Cremation Service	£	250. 00.
Early Morning Service at 9.00 a.m. or 9.30 a.m.	£	750. 00.

*Please note that if an oversize coffin is required, additional charges may be levied for the provision of the special order. If additional bearers are required there may also be further costs. We will do our best to keep these costs to a minimum.



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FUNERAL DIRECTORS

STANDARDISED PRICE LIST

All funeral directors are legally required to publish this Price List for a standardised set of products and services. This is to help you think through your options and make choices, and to let you compare prices between different funeral directors (because prices can vary).

ATTENDED FUNERAL (funeral director's charges only) £1995.00.

This is a funeral where family and friends have a ceremony, event or service for the deceased person at the same time as they attend their burial or cremation.

Taking care of all necessary legal and administrative arrangements	£895.00.
Collecting and transporting the deceased person from the place of death (normally within 15 miles of the funeral director's premises) into the funeral director's care	£225.00.
Care of the deceased person before the funeral in appropriate facilities. The deceased person will be kept at our main funeral home in Olton.	£255.00.
Providing a suitable coffin – this will be made from genuine oak veneer (not foil)	£395.00.
Viewing of the deceased person for family and friends, by appointment with the funeral director (where viewing is requested by the customer)	£5.00.
At a date and time you agree with the funeral director, taking the deceased person direct to the agreed cemetery or crematorium (normally within 20 miles of the funeral director's premises) in a hearse or other appropriate vehicle	£220.00.

UNATTENDED FUNERAL

This is a funeral where family and friends may choose to have a ceremony, event or service for the deceased person, but they do not attend the burial or cremation itself.

Burial (funeral director's charges only, cemetery fees must be added) £749.00.

Cremation (funeral director's charges including the crematorium fee)² £1099.00.

FEES YOU MUST PAY

For an Attended or Unattended burial funeral, the burial fee . ¹	Solihull fee	£1215.00.
In this local area, the typical cost of the burial fee for local residents is:	B'ham fee	£1320.00.
For a new grave, you will also need to pay for the plot; for an existing grave with a memorial in place, you may need to pay a removal/replacement fee. In addition, the cemetery may charge a number of other fees.		
For an Attended cremation funeral, the cremation fee . ²	Solihull fee	£955.00.
In this local area, the typical cost of a cremation for local residents is:	B'ham fee	£950.00.

Please discuss any **specific religious, belief-based and/or cultural requirements** that you have with the funeral director.

ADDITIONAL FUNERAL DIRECTOR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

This funeral director may be able to supply a range of optional, additional products and services, or to arrange (on your behalf) for a third party to supply them. Examples include:

Additional mileage (price per mile)	£1.40.
Additional transfers of the deceased person's body (e.g. to their home, to a place of worship etc.) (price per transfer)	£150.00.
Collection and delivery of ashes	included with our prof fee from
Embalming	£145.00.
Funeral officiant (e.g. celebrant, minister of religion etc.)	Prices on request, typically £240
Services supplied outside of normal office hours	Prices on request

The funeral director can give you a full list of what they can supply. They are likely to charge for these additional products and services, so you may choose to take care of some arrangements without their involvement, or you can use a different supplier.

¹ This fee (which is sometimes called the interment fee) is the charge made for digging and closing a new grave, or for reopening and closing an existing grave.

² In England, Wales and Northern Ireland, you will usually need to pay doctors' fees as well. This is the charge for two doctors to sign the Medical Certificates for Cremation.

Terms and Conditions of Credit Arrangements.

1. Deposits are required prior to the funeral taking place. This will usually consist of the all the disbursements (third party costs) and an element of our fees. Your funeral arranger will discuss these with you. However we reserve the right to require full payment prior to the funeral.⁵ Any outstanding balance will fall due after the funeral has taken place.
2. Clients will be allowed credit (Subject to Status) in order to assist them in the settlement and winding up of estates. C. Bastock (Contracts) Limited are prepared to allow a period of free credit for one calendar month from the date of the funeral. Thereafter, a monthly interest charge of 2% (APR 26.8%) will be applied to the unpaid balance until the account has been met in full. We reserve the right to employ a third party collection agency and all costs associated with the collection of unpaid accounts will be added to the outstanding amount and become the sole personal responsibility of the undersigned. Statements will be rendered accordingly.
3. Cremated remains will only be released to the applicant for the cremation or to a person nominated by the applicant in writing. Ashes will not be released either in their entirety or in keepsake amounts until the funeral account has been settled in full.
4. Grave deeds will only be returned to the owner or person signing for the re-open of the existing grave, and only after the funeral account has been paid in full.
5. Credit is not available on Direct Cremation funeral arrangements. Full payment is required prior to the funeral taking place.



We reserve the right to alter specification and price without notice.
All prices apply throughout the Greater Birmingham and Solihull area.

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