

Choose from our four plans

The Guaranteed Services	Limited AN AFFORDABLE PLAN £2,995	Amber AN ESSENTIAL PLAN £3,395	Pearl MOST POPULAR PLAN £3,749	Diamond A PLAN FOR BIG FAMILIES £3,999
Advice and guidance on all aspects of the funeral	✓	✓	✓	✓
Guidance on the registration of the death, and collection of all necessary paperwork for the funeral to go ahead	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cremation funerals - Covers crematorium fee and Minister's or Officiant's fees†	✓	✓	✓	✓
Burial funerals - Generous contribution of £1,200 towards burial costs, increasing each year in line with RPI	✓	✓	✓	✓
Support from a nationwide network of owned or approved Funeral Directors	Limited to approx. 800 funeral directors†	Over 1,200 funeral directors	Over 1,200 funeral directors	Over 1,200 funeral directors
Transport of the deceased to the Nominated Funeral Director's premises (within 50 miles)^	✓	✓	✓	✓
Preparation and care of the body (embalming not included)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Family viewing by agreed appointment	During normal business hours	During normal business hours	During weekdays	Any time
Coffin (fully lined and fitted, gown included)	Basic coffin	Wood effect coffin	Quality wood effect coffin	High quality veneer coffin
Funeral director and staff to attend the service	✓	✓	✓	✓
Provision of a hearse	✓	✓	✓	✓
Limousine to transport family/mourners	No limousine	No limousine	1 limousine	2 limousines
Hearse to go directly to the crematorium or burial site	✓	✓	-	-
Funeral procession from home to place of worship and crematorium or burial site*	-	-	✓	✓
Mutual agreement on the time and day of the funeral during normal office hours	Restricted days and times†	✓	✓	✓
50 'thank you' cards	-	-	✓	✓
24-hour telephone bereavement counselling	✓	✓	✓	✓

† Ministers fees are covered 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. ^ Transport by ferry or air isn't included and would need to be paid for at the time of the funeral. * Service at a separate location before cremation or burial not included. † Limited Funeral Plan service will typically take place before 10.30am or after 3.30pm Tuesday–Thursday. You may not make any additional contributions towards the costs of any special requests. Not available in the Isle of Man.

You have four funeral plans to choose from and they each include arrangements for a cremation or burial funeral.

Simply choose the plan that is right for you. Once you've paid for your plan Dignity will deliver all the services listed within your chosen plan, no matter how far in the future that may be.

What's not included in your plan?

- Embalming, burial plot, memorial or headstone
- Minister's or Officiant's fee for a service at a different location before the cremation or burial
- Any amount charged by the Minister or Officiant for a standard funeral service at the crematorium or cemetery, above the amount listed in the Church of England Table of Parochial Fees
- Any additional charge for conducting the burial, cremation or funeral service on a weekend or public holiday or at an unusual hour
- Flowers, wake or catering
- Doctor's or coroner's fee
- Repatriation from outside mainland Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Jersey, the Isle of Man or the Isle of Wight. (Limited Plan not available on the Isle of Man).
- Costs for removing artificial limbs and mechanisms such as pacemakers
- Costs associated with changes in regulations, tax, laws or generally accepted practices that 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.

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