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FUNERAL DIRECTORS

COFFIN & CASKET SELECTION

Coffins and Caskets

Choosing an appropriate coffin or casket which means something to you will help with the bereavement process and it is an important but necessary part of your funeral arrangement.

We have many different options available each offering a unique set of features, but before choosing it is perhaps worth taking a look back at the life of your loved one as this may point to the type of coffin or casket that would best represent their unique life. Were they for instance interested in the environment? Or perhaps they had a love of their garden or were a lifelong supporter of a football club, or maybe they were a very traditional person that liked things just so.



Traditional Coffins and Caskets

Our range of traditional coffins covers many styles and materials, from standard styles of coffins and caskets in solid or veneered wood to more elaborate styles with intricate panelled sides and raised lids.



Picture Coffins

A picture paints a thousand words. Reflections is a range of picture coffins that can showcase picture quality images on the coffin. These images can be of absolutely anything, for example a collage of images of your loved one's life, a theme dedicated to the football club supported or a favourite place or hobby your loved one liked. A picture coffin really shows the uniqueness of your loved one's life.



A selection of alternative coffins and caskets made from materials such as Bamboo, Wicker, Wool and Seagrass. Offering an environmental feel to the funeral and due to the nature of the materials used can appear to be a 'softer' option than a traditional wood coffin.



A range of genuine American caskets, provided exclusively to us in partnership with Aurora Caskets. Made in a variety of solid woods and metals, with a range of decorative finishes.



A selection of coffins from each category (e.g. Heartwood, Country Range, Reflections Picture Coffins) have had a full life cycle analysis to understand their impact on the environment. We believe this enables their "green" claims to satisfy the Advertising Standard Authority (ASA) and the Committee of Advertising Practice (CAP) code..



The Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) is a non profit, nongovernmental organisation based in Germany. The mission of the FSC is to support, socially, beneficial and economically viable management of the world's forest. FSC develops supports and promotes international national and regional standards in line with its mission: evaluates, accredits and monitors certification bodies which verify the use of FSC standards and provides training and information. For further information visit www.fsc.org



J. C Atkinson has been accredited with the ISO 14001 standard, the internationally recognised mark for the environmental management of businesses. It prescribes controls for those activities that have an effect on the environment. These include the use of natural resources, handling and treatment of waste and energy consumption.

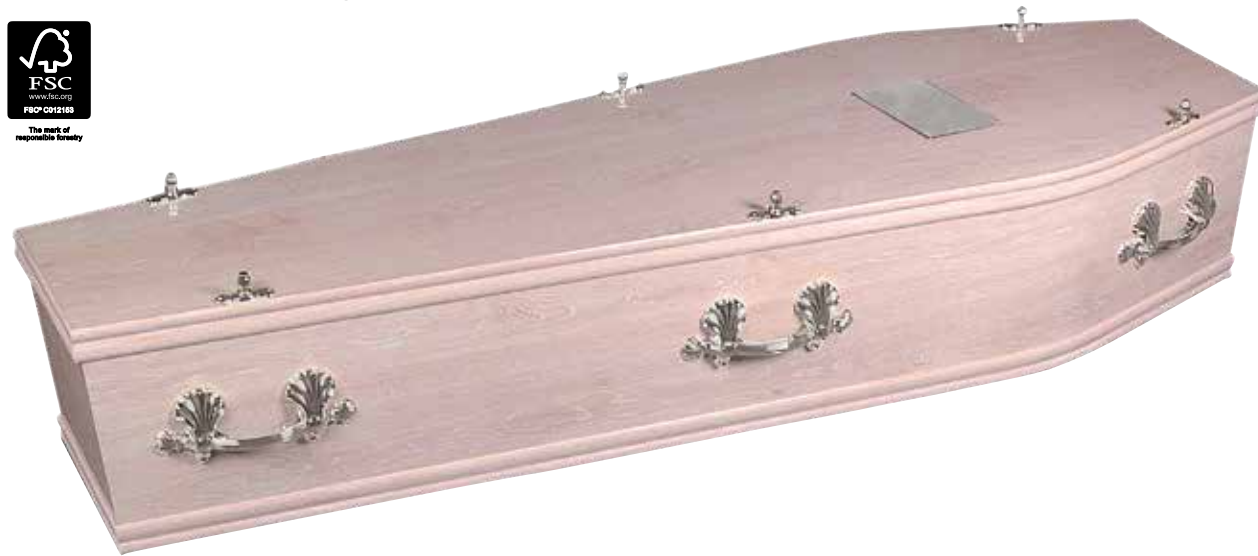


Traditional Coffins

Simple Range

Hastings

A limed oak effect with matching moulds.



Newcastle

An oak veneer style coffin with veneered matching moulds.



Morpeth

A light oak effect with matching moulds.



Collingwood Cherry

A cherry effect with matching moulds.



Longsdale

A mahogany effect with matching moulds.



Standard Range

Lindisfarne

Traditionally crafted, semi solid oak coffin, with shaped feature panels to the sides and ends. With a high raised lid and gloss finish,



Ascot

Traditional solid oak coffin with simple, unadorned sides, a raised lid and deep moulds to the base. This dignified coffin is polished to a gloss finish and furnished here with electro brass handles.



Grampian

Exquisitely crafted, semi solid redwood timber coffin made from sapele, or similar FSC certified wood. The Grampian has shaped feature panels to the sides and ends, a high raised lid and a rich gloss finish.



Bamburgh

This elegant coffin is manufactured from a solid redwood timber (Sapele or similar FSC certified wood) with a raised lid and polished in a high gloss.



Collingwood Solid

Traditional solid oak coffin, again crafted with square feature panels to the sides and wood mouldings to the lid and base.



Hexham

Oak style veneer coffin with raised lid and three quarter panels to the sides polished in golden teak.



Imperial

A solid larch hardwood coffin designed with a shaped raised lid and subtle profiled sides. Polished to high gloss finish. Solid brass handles are available or electro brass plastic suitable for cremation. Lined with a beautiful white satin interior.



The Vatican

A solid wood coffin, carefully carved with a striking 'Last Supper' feature panel to the sides. Polished to a high gloss finish. Solid brass handles are available or electro brass plastic suitable for cremation. Fitted with a beautiful satin interior.



Royal

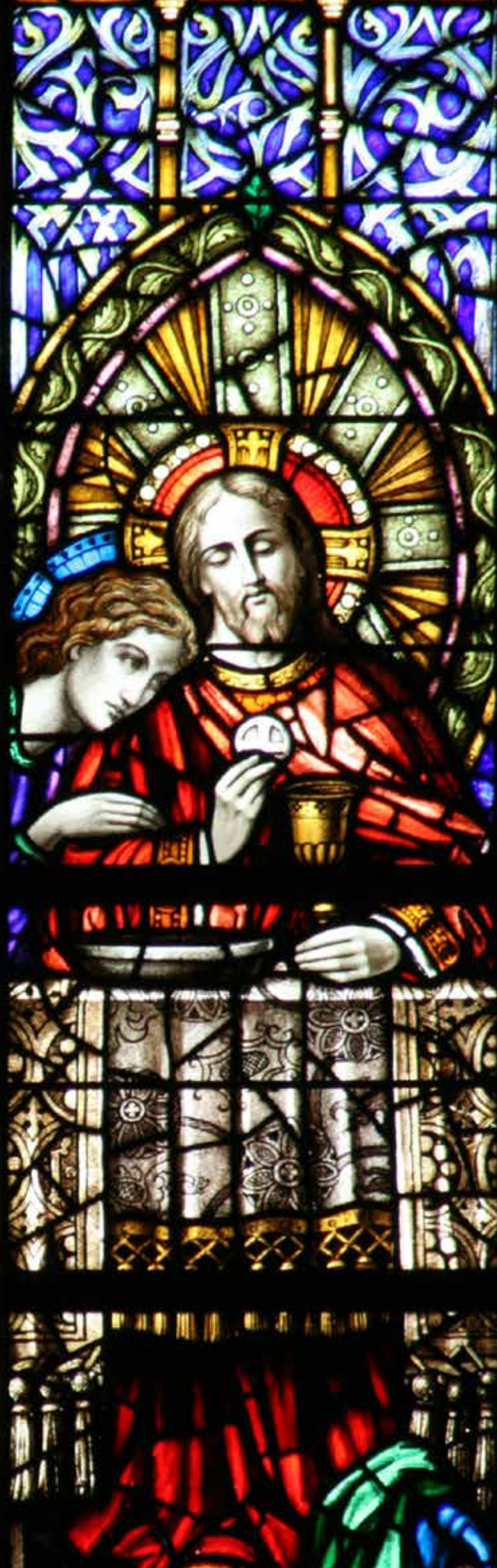
The Royal is a solid white walnut coffin with an intricate rose stem detailed inlaid on the sides. Solid brass handles are available or electro brass plastic suitable for cremation. The Royal also features a luxurious white satin interior.



The Winchester

A traditional coffin made using a solid oak veneer over medium density fibre board. A delightful 'Last Supper' feature panel is found on the sides, and comes with a raised lid. Polished in a rich Teak colour with a gloss finish, the coffin is fitted with a lovely satin interior. Solid brass handles are available or electro brass plastic suitable for cremation. The Winchester is shown here with electro brass handles and crucifix.





Trinity Head of Christ

A magnificent solid oak coffin with the 'Head Of Christ' carved into decorative panels on the sides, and a gently shaped raised lid.

The Trinity Head of Christ comes in a warm oak, each with matching wood bar handles. The satin interior is available in a choice of colours.



Trinity Head of Mary

A solid oak coffin with the 'Head of Mary' detail found on the side panels. The Trinity comes with a shaped raised lid and is carefully fitted with matching wood bar handles. The coffin is finished with a rich a satin interior in a choice of colours.

*Also available in Mahogany.

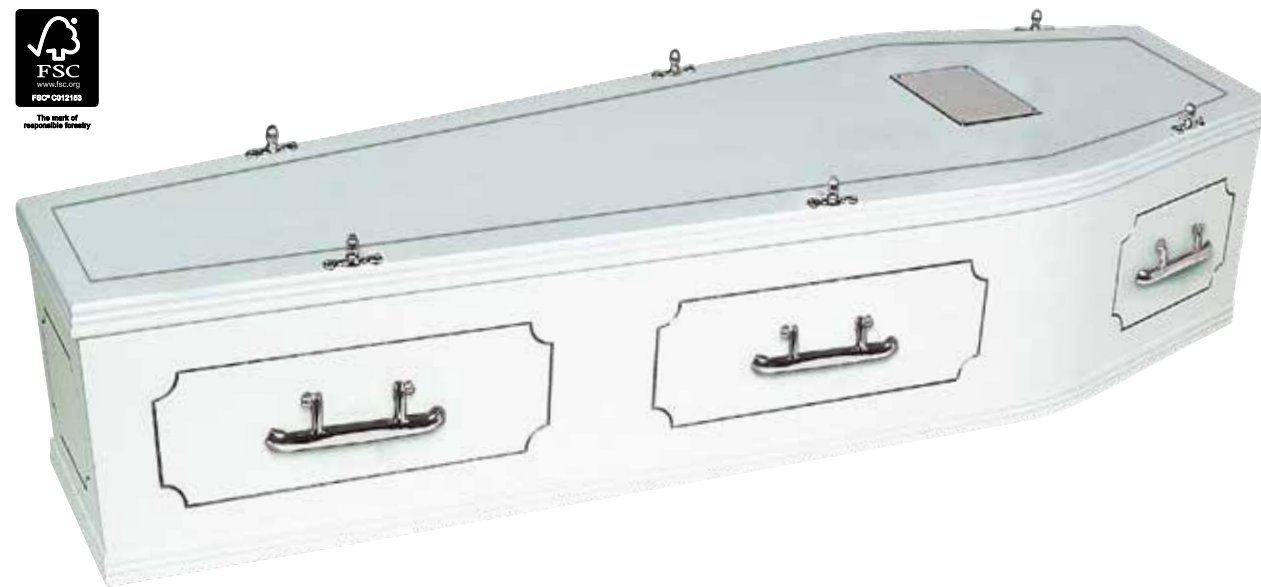


Expressions Range

The Oxford

Oak style veneer coffin engraved with contrasting fine panel details (in gold or silver). Choose from our standard colours of White, Green, Red or Blue. All are Forest Stewardship Council accredited and FFMA certified.

Any customised colour can be achieved from the Dulux range.



Green

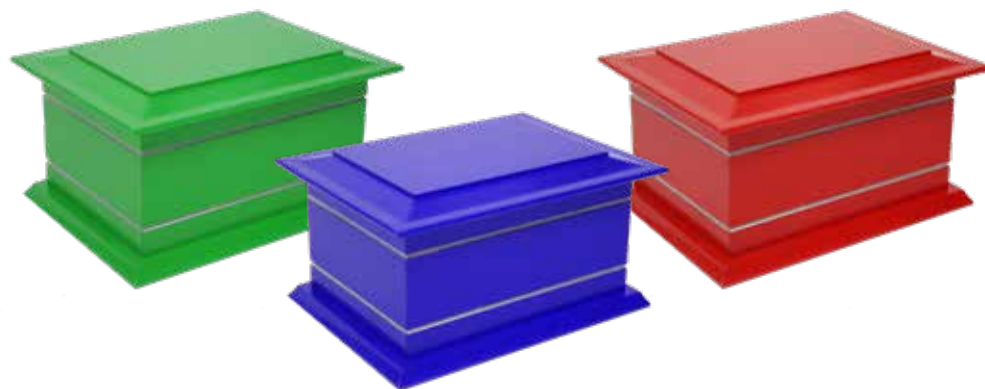


Blue



Red

Matching Ash Caskets available in any colour



The Berwick

An oak veneer style coffin fitted with No 3 raised lid.



Stage 1 - Choose Wording



Stage 2 - Choose Colour

The Berwick oak style veneer coffin can be finished with any colour.





Reflections®

PICTURE COFFINS

Reflections® Personalised Design Service

Everyone in life is unique, and a picture coffin can reflect the individual qualities of the person who has passed away. In addition to our standard range of coffins and caskets, we are pleased to showcase the Reflections® range of picture coffins.

Every picture coffin can be unique and designed to truly reflect the personality of the deceased person. Personal images can be used in the design which could include images of the life and times of your loved one or perhaps images of their favourite place or hobby. With a Reflections® picture coffin anything is possible.



FSC certified products are indicated by use of the FSC ticktree alongside the product. The Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certification guarantees that the wood we use comes from trees grown in responsibly managed forests and other controlled sources

Abstract / Branded*

Often designs can be based on a few different themes, colours or textures, or be of a particular brand or event.
*Sometimes these designs can be subject to copyright.

Crystal Palace FC



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.

Jaguar Cars



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.

Lions and Tigers



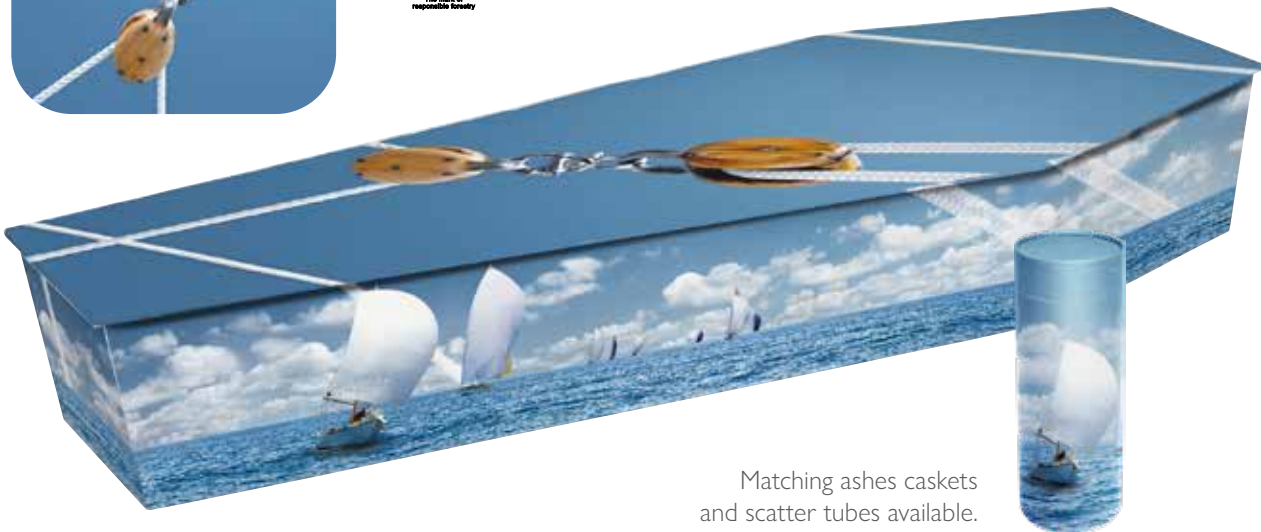
Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.

Hobbies & Passions

As with sports, pastimes and leisure activities can become a defining aspect of people's lives. Be it painting, fishing or gardening, we can create a picture coffin that utilises photographs supplied. If the deceased rode a particular motorbike, or sailed a particular vessel, we are happy to create a design that incorporates the right imagery for a truly personalised picture coffin.



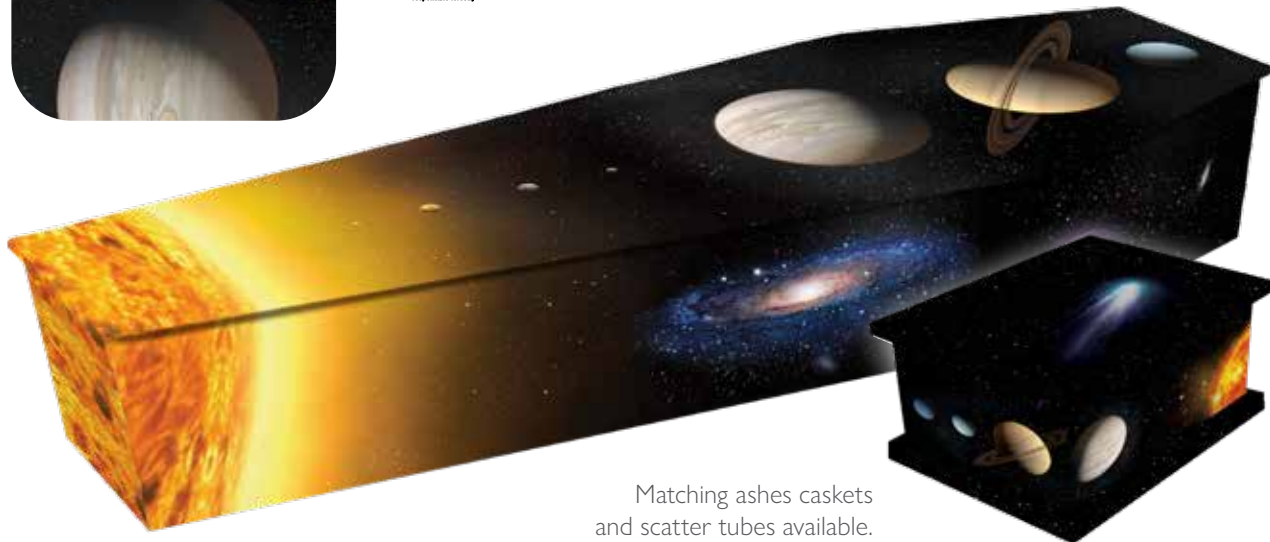
Sailing



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.



Astronomy



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.

Floral Tributes

Floral tributes have a long association with funeral arrangements and as such it is not surprising that picture coffins that utilise flowers in their design have become a popular choice. These floral designs offer a softer, more colourful alternative to a traditional wood coffin and can hold special significance. Poppies are well known for their link to remembrance, while daffodils can signify re-birth and renewal.



Spring Blossom



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.



More Poppies



Matching ashes caskets and scatter tubes available.



Affordable Personalisation - An industry first....

Using the latest print technology, we have created a unique / never seen before product that can be fully customisable on the sides and ends of a standard traditional oak coffin.

ANY design can be PRINTED directly onto the wood, offering a high quality, tailor-made coffin. Available in two styles....

The Radcliffe Printed

Limed oak effect raised lid coffin.



The Mitford Printed

Light Oak effect raised lid coffin.



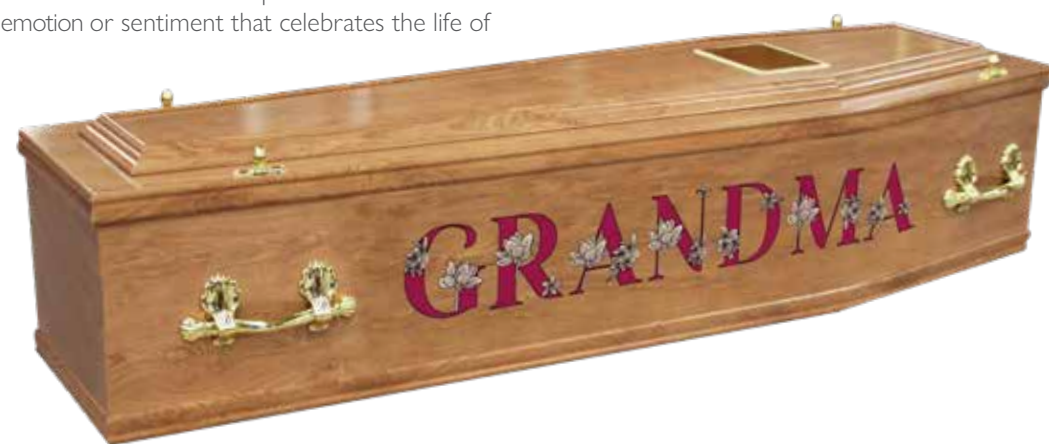
Have a family picture printed directly onto the head end of the coffin.



Personalise the sides and foot end with words, badges, icons, illustrations and more.

Choose to have words....

Some families may wish to include names or words on the coffin design, for a more sentimental and personal touch. It can often express an emotion or sentiment that celebrates the life of your loved one.



Favourite places....

A favourite place can often conjure up memories of a loved one's past, perhaps displaying a place that held special meaning for them, or a location where they enjoyed spending time.

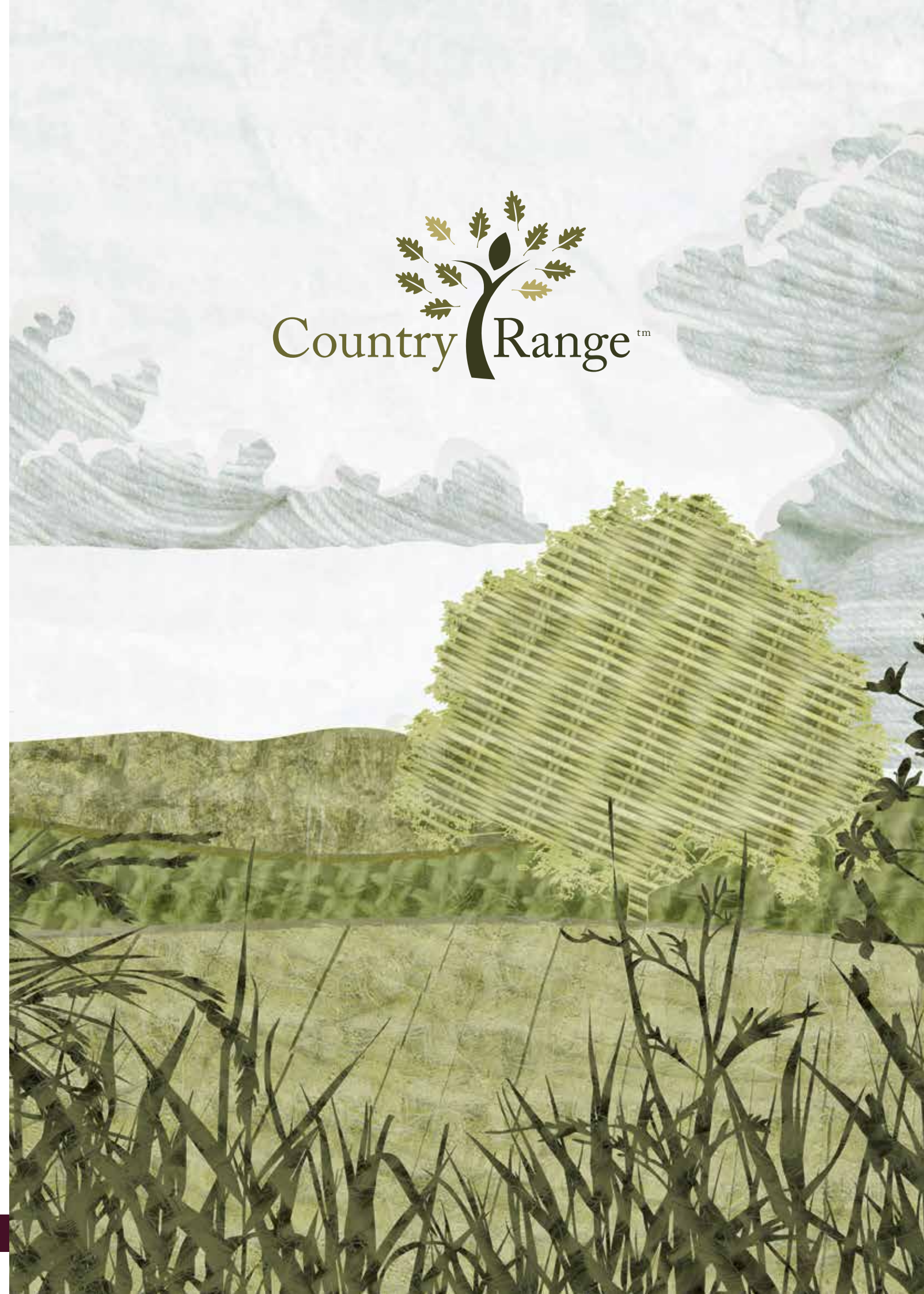


Personal photographs....

Personal photographs help to convey those special moments to commemorate and remember a life.



Country Range™



Woodland / Eco Range

*5 working days production time



Full Coloured Willow (Red)

Available in our traditional or oval shape.
Colour options available below.



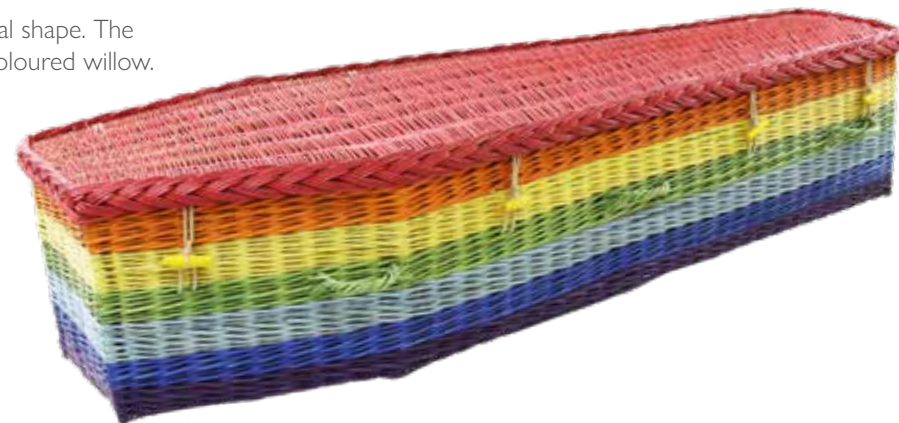
Quantock

An oval style coffin made with buff and white willow. This style tapers from one end to the foot.



Rainbow Traditional

Available in our traditional or oval shape. The Rainbow coffin is woven using coloured willow.



Traditional Water Hyacinth Coffin

Traditional coffin shape and created with a strong inner wooden frame with a hand woven water hyacinth outer shell. Comes with a natural unbleached calico lining. Also available in a half round shape.



Traditional Golden Wicker

Traditional coffin shape and constructed with a soft wood albasia frame and either a golden or grey wicker weave outer. Also available in Grey Wicker.



Daisy Bamboo

Traditional in its shape this coffin is created with a strong internal wooden frame and hand woven bamboo outer panels.



Matching Bamboo Casket available.

Natural Willow Oval

Hand-woven, natural willow (wicker) coffin in a traditional shape. Can be supplied with a wooden nameplate. Available in chestnut or white willow.

Oasis Coffins



Chestnut Willow Traditional

Hand-woven,chestnut willow (wicker) coffin in a traditional shape. Can be supplied with a wooden nameplate. Available in chestnut or white willow.

Oasis Coffins



Matching Willow Casket available.

Cardboard Economy Coffin

A simple, plain cardboard coffin manufactured from recycled cardboard.



The Brighton

A solid pine coffin with a plain lid and sides, and crafted biodegradable pine handles to match. Polished or unpolished. European pine - FSC certified. Fitted inside with an ASAP sheet. Engraved nameplate also available.



The Whitby Woodland

An oak style veneer coffin using Nil Formaldehyde Board. Polished with natural water based polish. Available with bar handles, ring handles, or rope handles. Fitted inside with an ASAP sheet. Engraved nameplate also available.



Handle options;



Bar



Rings



Rope



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CASKET RANGE

English Style Wood Caskets

Buckingham

A superior, hand-crafted solid Mahogany timber English-style casket. The Buckingham has a raised, hinged split lid with panelled sides, pillared corners, electro-brass handles and fittings, with a polished finish.



The Canterbury

A solid oak English casket with a single piece raised lid and refined decorative panels to the sides and the ends. It also features decorative corner pillars.



The Ripon

A solid oak casket with decorative panels to the sides, feature corner pillars and a swing raised lid. F.S.C. Oak may be specified if required..





American Style Wood Caskets

Senate

A solid mahogany casket in a majestic high gloss cherry finish, the Senate comes with matching wood bar handles and is fitted with a floral white velvet interior.



Princeton

A solid mahogany casket in a majestic high gloss cherry finish, the Princeton comes with a beautiful hand-carved decorative lid, matching wood bar handles and is fitted with a white velvet interior.



Viscount

A solid mahogany casket in high gloss bistro walnut finish, the imposing Viscount comes with matching wood bar handles and is fitted with an almond velvet interior.





Belgrave

A burr wood veneer casket with a traditional satin Winchester finish, the decorative Belgrave comes with matching wood swing bar handles and is fitted with an elegant eggshell velvet interior.



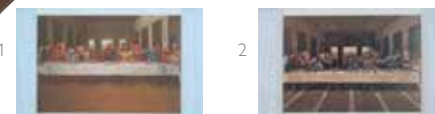
Harvest Oak

A solid oak wood casket with a lovely natural satin harvest finish, the Harvest Oak comes with matching wood bar handles and is fitted with a delicate rosetan crepe interior.



Passion of Christ - Wood

A solid paulownia wood casket with a beautiful high gloss walnut finish, the Passion of Christ comes With matching fixed bar handles and is fitted with a delicate rosetan crepe interior. The inside of the casket lid can show a replica of the Last Supper painting.



Essence White

A solid alder wood casket in elegant white with a high gloss finish, the Essence comes with matching bar handles and a delicate white crepe interior.



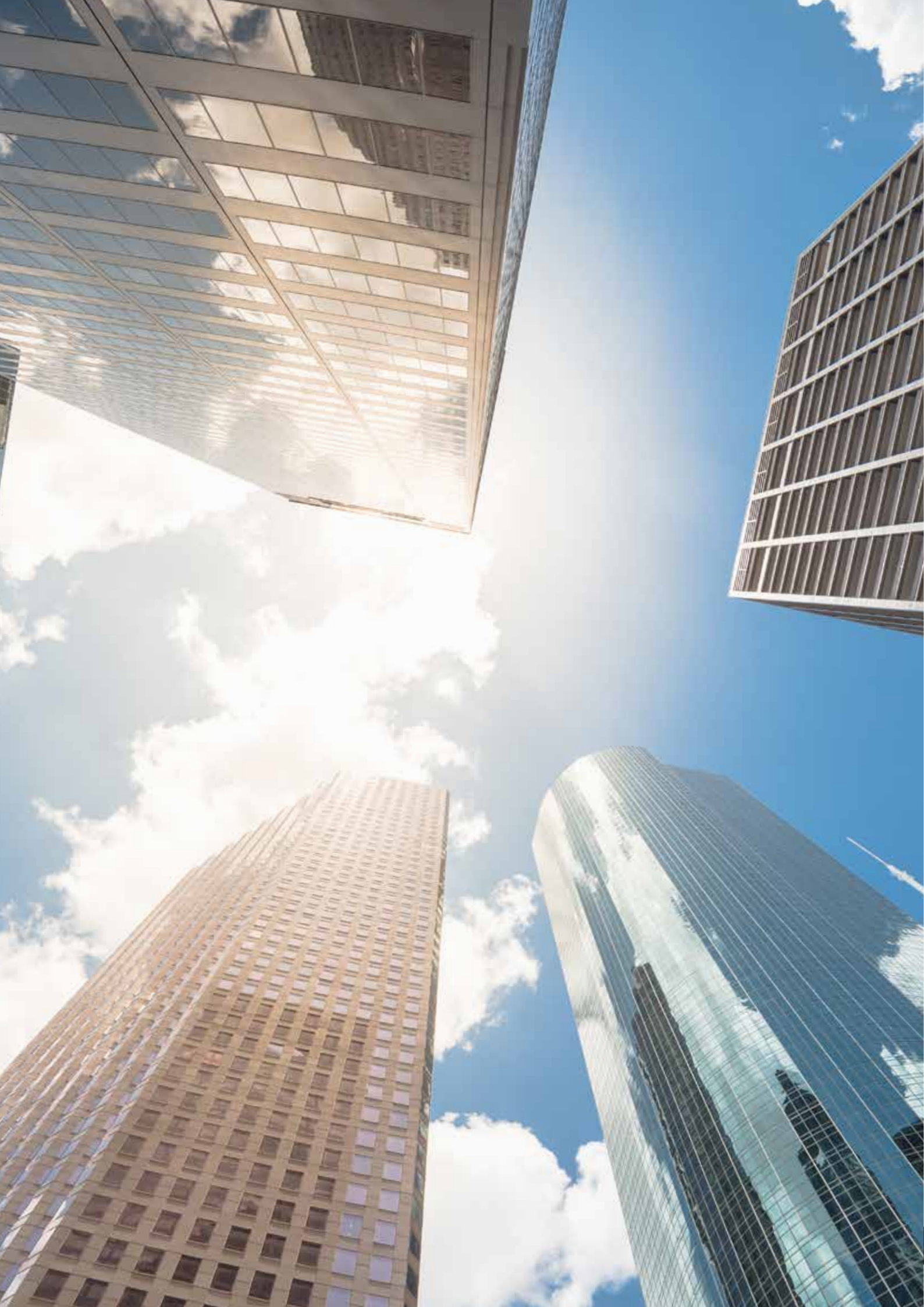
Essence Silver

A solid alder wood casket in elegant silver with a high gloss finish, the Essence comes with matching bar handles and a delicate white crepe interior. Also available in blue as below,



Eurocraft

A smaller version of the Stewart, this solid paulownia wood casket has a splendid high gloss sangria finish and comes with matching wood bar handles and a delicate rosetan crepe interior.



American Style Metal Caskets

Classic Copper

A solid copper casket in brown with a natural brush finish, the reassuringly traditional Classic Copper is fitted with contrasting bar handles, decorative corner panels and an almond velvet interior.



Paragon Gold

A solid bronze casket with a black natural brush finish, the standout Paragon Gold has a wonderful two-tone effect, decorative handle supports and is fitted with a luxurious white velvet interior.



Blue Rise

A silver stainless steel casket in a luminous blue brush, the Blue Rise is fitted with bold bar handles and supports and comes fitted with a sky blue velvet interior.





Coral Jewel

An 18-gauge steel casket in lilac with a serene natural brush finish, the Coral Jewel has contrasting bar handles and supports and is fitted with a misty rose velvet interior.



Devotion

An 18-gauge steel casket in white with a lovely gold brushed finish, the stylish Devotion has contrasting swing bar handles and supports and is fitted with a luxurious white crepe interior.



Nightfall silver

An 18-gauge steel silver and black casket, the imposing Nightfall Silver has matching bar handles and decorative corners and is fitted with a luxurious white crepe interior.



Indigo

An 18-gauge steel casket in indigo silver, the impressive Indigo has contrasting bar handles and supports and is fitted with a white velvet interior.



Eternal Rose

An 18-gauge steel casket in white with a pink trim, the lovely Eternal Rose has decorative fixed bar handles and corner supports and is fitted with a misty rose crepe interior.



Apollo White

An 18-gauge steel casket in pristine white, the Apollo White has decorative fixed bar handles and supports and is fitted with a luxurious white crepe interior.



Neptune Orchid

A 20-gauge steel casket in lilac, the pretty Neptune Orchid has decorative fixed bar handles and supports and is fitted with a luxurious misty rose crepe interior.



Childs Coffins

Child's Reflections® - My Robot

Any customised design can be created in our childs range.



Child's Oxford

Illustrated in red. Any choice of colour is available.



Child's Deep Panel Engraving

Can include a name on the sides of the coffin. Engravings are electronically proofed before committing to manufacture.



Heartwood™ Preterm, Baby, Infant & Childs

Our child caskets are manufactured in veneered chipboard with moulds to base and lid. The Infant and Childs caskets can be painted in one of four colours (white, yellow, pink and blue and can be fitted or unfitted.) All FSC certified.

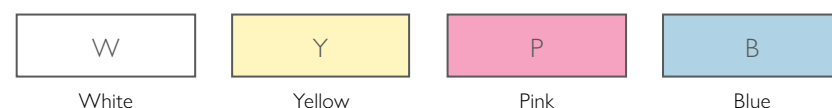


Infant & Childs Casket

In your choice of colour.
Illustrated in blue.

Pre-term & Baby Caskets

In White only.



Natural Legacy Childs Woollen Coffins

Natural Legacy offers a contemporary style with comfortable handling. Each coffin or ashes casket is completed with a personalised hand embroidered woollen name plate.



FOREVER URNS®

URN COLLECTION

Heartwood™ Ashes Caskets

The Heartwood ashes caskets are superbly constructed and finished to an exceptional standard. They are made from solid oak, pine, light and dark mahogany or paulownia, which is a light weight, sustainable and fast growing alternative to oak. Double ashes caskets are also available for all.



Amble

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W29 x D21cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Bede

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W30 x D23cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Compton

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H16.5 x W32 x D20.5cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Cuthbert

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W30 x D23cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Embleton

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W30 x D23cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm
Pine only



Hilda

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H14.5 x W31.5 x D24cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Lesbury

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W31 x D23cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Newham

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H17 x W31 x D23cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Newton

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H16 x W32 x D20cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm



Oswald

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H15.5 x W30x D22cm
Double - H22 x W34 x D27cm

Heartwood™ Premier Ashes Caskets

The Heartwood Premier ashes caskets are finished to the highest standard.



Azure

A stylish hardwood ashes casket with inlay veneer, complete with a lockable lined draw or compartment, designed to house keepsakes and special items of meaning to you and your loved ones.
Can contain up to 5.0 litres
H20 x W28 x D20cm



Florence

This stunning, highly finished maple urn is made from the finest wood and exquisitely decorated with flowers in delicate wood inlay.
Can contain up to 5.5 litres
H20 x W24 x D24cm

English Willow & Bamboo Ash Caskets

JC Atkinson offer a range of willow 'wicker' ash caskets that reflect the unique landscape of the somerset levels and the surrounding areas where the willow is farmed. Each individual ashes casket includes a name plate and comes fitted with a handmade interior cotton drawstring ashes pouch.



Southlake

Quantock

Moorland

Mendip

Rainbow

Can contain up to 4.6 litres

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Choice of styles



Square

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
D -16 cm L -15 cm W -15 cm



Rectangle

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
D -18 cm L -27.5 cm W -22 cm



Oval

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
D -15 cm L -23.5 cm W -18 cm



Bamboo Casket

Can contain up to 4.6 litres
H21 x W24 x D24cm



Scatter Tubes

These tubes for scattering come in four sizes (9cm in height with 65ml in capacity, 13.5cm with 380ml, 25cm with 1860ml or 37cm with 3790ml) and are designed and engineered to simplify the scattering process. The tubes are durable, dignified and simple. They do not contain metal or plastic components and can be recycled or composted after use. Each features a convenient removable lid and a perforated "push in" tab that opens easily prior to scattering.



- 1. Garden Birds**
- 2. Forget-Me-Not
- 3. Bluebell Wood
- 4. Ascending Dove
- 5. Rainbow
- 6. Roses
- 7. Sunflower
- 8. Ocean Sunset
- 9. Autumn
- 10. Burgundy*
- 11. Navy*
- 12. Butterflies**

- 13. Garden Shed
- 14. Starry Night
- 15. Golf
- 16. Poppy Flower



* Can be engraved
** Only available in 25cm & 37cm

Metal Urns & Keepsakes

These brass urns are made by skilled artisans in Northern India, using traditional methods to mould and carve the metal into intricately designed pieces that really sparkle



Blue Harvest

Urn - Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Mini Urn - H6 x D5cm
Heart - H7 x W8 x D5cm



Marble White

Urn - Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Mini Urn - H6 x D5cm
Heart - H7 x W8 x D5cm



Pink Rose

Urn - Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Mini Urn - H8 x D4cm
Heart - H7 x W8 x D5cm



White Rose

Urn - Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Mini Urn - H6 x D5cm
Heart - H7 x W8 x D5cm



Luce Candle Urn

A beautiful white fibreglass urn with a candle holder offering a highly decorative, but also very long-lasting and robust.
Can contain up to 3.5 litres
H25 x W20cm



Butterfly Orb and Mini Orb

A striking black orb made of lightweight resin, with a shimmering silver band and a delicate blue butterfly on the top.
Can contain up to 4.0 litres
Urn: H21 x W21cm
Mini Urn: H12.7 x W10cm

Mother of Pearl

Aluminium. Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Urn - H17 x D22cm
Mini Urn - H13 x D12cm



Teardrops

The beautiful brass Teardrop with silver gold engravings symbolises our sadness for the loss of a loved one.



Patterned Floral Teardrop

The beautiful brass Patterned Teardrop with silver gold floral engravings
Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Urn - H26 x W18 x D11cm



Floral Teardrop

A silver teardrop engraved with a floral design and painted gold.
Can contain up to 4.6 litres
Urn - H26 x W18 x D11cm
Keepsake - H7 x W3 x D5cm

Earthurn Journey

Biodegradable water urns are designed specifically for water burial and will float briefly to allow a final farewell before gracefully sinking. They are sustainably produced in a variety of natural materials, including recycled paper, rock salt, gelatin and sand. Although they were designed for water burial, all of these urns can also be used for earth burial.

Size - H33 x W35 x D8cm

Natural

Can contain up to 4.6 litres

Pearl

Can contain up to 4.6 litres

Aqua

Can contain up to 4.6 litres

Fern

Can contain up to 4.6 litres





Memorial Vase Urn

Keep your loved one close by your side in the centre of your home. The Memorial Vase Urn is a full size cremation urn with the appearance and functionality of a beautiful flower vase.

Flowers are often used as an extension of our emotions, from our deepest sympathy to the greatest joy. And sometimes they just let people know we are thinking about them. Displaying flowers in the Memorial Vase Urn, made from durable Aluminium that won't break, provides a physical medium to connect with your loved one and celebrate their life.

Available in....



White



Grey



Blue



Navy



