



St Albans Woodland
Burial Trust

Arrangements for Woodland Burial At Keysoe Bedfordshire



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Registered Charity No. 1118216

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Regulations and charges governing St Albans Woodland Burial Trust

To ensure the serenity and dignity of burials in the consecrated woodland of the St Alban's Woodland Burial Trust, the following guidelines apply to all burials.

1. The planting of trees and other plants in the burial ground is not permitted and is strictly controlled by the Trust.
2. No gardening or cultivation whatsoever is permitted. This includes such things as the scattering of bark or chippings, and the introduction of any fencing or kerbs.
3. No wildlife shall be introduced into the woodland.
4. Fresh flowers may be placed in or on the graves, but please remove cellophane, ribbon or wrappings. The Trustees reserve the right to remove flowers placed on graves as part of routine care and maintenance. Artificial flowers are not permitted and no vases or containers should be left
5. It is requested that coffins and caskets be made of natural biodegradable material such as wood and preferably from renewable sources. The Trust must be advised prior to burial if for any reason the coffin does not meet these criteria.
6. It is requested that bodies should not be embalmed. The Trust should be advised prior to burial if this has taken place.
7. Graves may be marked by a temporary oak cross or an oak memorial supplied by the Trust. There will be no long term permanent markers such as gravestones or headstones. Only one memorial per person is permitted. The Trust does not accept responsibility for loss or damage to memorials.
8. The graveside service must be dignified and follow a recognised form of service. The Administrator of the Trust must be advised beforehand and approve any ceremony and the person conducting it, on behalf of the Trustees.
9. No exhumations will be permitted under any circumstances except by lawful authority.
10. The Trustees maintain the right to vary the Rules and Regulations at any time.
11. Refunds are not made.

2008 Charges for St Albans Woodland Burial Trust

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Preparation of grave space for woodland burial	£300
Interment of cremated remains in plot, including all preparation of ground	£150
Provision of oak cross inscribed	£35
Admin charge for erection of temporary cross marker	£15
To become a friend of the St Albans Woodland Burial Trust	£25
To dedicate a tree in memory of a loved one	£100

Please note:

Please note that charges apply when interment is made between the hours of 9.00am and 5.00pm. Extraordinary arrangements may incur an additional charge. All charges are reviewed annually by the Trustees. Please make cheques payable to the St Albans Woodland Burial Trust. Mrs Linda Parry, Administrator, St Albans Woodland Burial Trust, St. Mark's Church Community Centre, Calder Rise, Bedford. MK41 7UY.

TO BE RETAINED BY CLIENT

St Albans Woodland Burial Trust - Charges 2008

Details of Funeral Director		
Details of the Deceased		
Full name of the deceased		
Home address		
Telephone / Email		
Age Years		
Date of death		
Size of Coffin - Wood, wicker etc.. <i>(Please give outside dimensions)</i>		
Details of Burial		
Time and date of burial		
Name of funeral celebrant		
Location of service prior to burial		
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Preparation of grave space £300		£
Interment of cremated remains £150 <i>includes all preparation of ground</i>		£
Provision of temporary oak cross marker inscribed £35		£
Admin charge for erection of temporary or permanent marker £15		£
Total Costs to St Albans		£
Details of person instructing		
Address		
Telephone / Email		

I hereby give notice of an interment to take place at St Albans Woodland Burial Trust, Keysoe, and certify that the following details are true.

Signature of applicant

Date

Person responsible for the accuracy of information supplied.

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I have read and agree to abide by the regulations of St Albans Woodland Burial Trust

Signed

Date

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