

SOUTHGATE PROGRESSIVE SYNAGOGUE

BURIAL & CREMATION SCHEME

This leaflet explains what you should do in the event of the death of a member of this scheme. It also explains the benefit entitlement you receive by being a **fully paid-up member** of Southgate Progressive Synagogue.

There are certain items relating to burial or cremation which are **NOT** covered by the scheme. You will find an explanation of these as well.

Please keep this leaflet safely and show booklet to your next of kin. If any further information or additional copies of the booklet are required, please contact the Synagogue Office.

WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A DEATH

In the event of a death, please first telephone Ronnie King of Michael King Funeral Directors at any time on 020 8368 7453, then Rabbi Danny Rich on 020 8886 0050 and the Synagogue Office on 020 8886 0977.

Michael King Funeral Directors, 26 Oakleigh Road South, London N11 1NH is the Funeral Director for *Liberal Judaism* and is our sole undertaker.

All information and costings given are current as at January 2024 but are subject to change.

BENEFIT ENTITLEMENT

To be a member of the Scheme you must be a **fully paid-up member or contributing friend** of the Synagogue in accordance with the Synagogue Constitution.

Please note that if you are currently in arrears with your subscription and have not made formal arrangements with the Treasurer, you may not be entitled to the benefits of the Scheme. YOUR SYNAGOGUE MEMBERSHIP COVERS YOU FOR THE CURRENT YEAR ONLY.

Should you decide to leave the Synagogue and not transfer to another Progressive Synagogue which is a member of the LJ Burial Scheme then you will lose all the benefits of the scheme and your contributions will not be refunded.

Unmarried children of a member who are under the age of 21 are included within the Scheme. In the event of a new birth please advise the Synagogue Office as soon as possible so that we can update our records.

BENEFITS

- Subject to the above, as a member, you are covered for:
 - burial at Edgwarebury Cemetery or Western Cemetery
 - Cheshunt; or **weekday** cremation at Golders Green Crematorium;
- Normal basic undertaking services;
- The use of a hearsette for a total distance of up to 20 miles;
- A basic coffin;
- Undertaker's bearers' removal of the deceased from home: -
- Hospital or mortuary during normal working hours (9:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday to Friday) for a distance of up to 20 miles;

- Minister's and *Liberal Judaism* administrative costs;
- The provision of a small name tablet erected on the grave until a memorial stone is set up;
- Crematorium charges;
- Scattering of cremated remains at Golders Green Crematorium.

ITEMS NOT COVERED BY THE SCHEME

- If a 7-seater limousine is required the funeral director can arrange to hire one the cost of which will be an additional charge to the family and will be advised at the time of booking;
- Cost for additional limousines/cars – will be advised at the time of booking; excess mileage for journeys over 40 miles @ £2.00 per mile {a journey being defined as a round trip starting and finishing at the premises of the Funeral Directors);
- Costs in connection with the erection or removal of a memorial stone (removal of an existing stone may be necessary for a second burial in a double grave);
- Member cremations at other crematoria other than Golders Green Crematorium: Liberal Judaism will contribute up to £850;

If any of the additional charges listed below are incurred and not paid for, Liberal Judaism will not permit a stone setting to take place.

Kings Funeral Directors Surcharges - Members

Out of Hours Collection 5pm - 9am – Any Day All day - All Saturdays and Sundays Pesach 7 th Day Pesach Shavuot Rosh Hashanah Yom Kippur	£280.00
Other overtime charges (may apply for long journeys out of London)	£250
Sunday supplement for undertaking	£75
Storage charge per day	£45 per day
Doctors' fees (cremation only)	£164
Removal of internal medical devices (e.g. pacemakers)	£100
Excess mileage over 40 miles	£2 per mile
Additional journeys for hearse and/or limousine	Please check with funeral director
Viewing at Funeral Director's Premises	£100
Clinical waste	£225
Covid fee	£250
House visit (to collect documentation)	£80
Collection of coroner's certificates	£80
Dressing of the body	£350
Tahara	£400

Additional Charges – Members Burial

Cheshunt	Woodland double-depth plot supplement, payable on first death or in advance (JJBS section only)	£2550
Cheshunt	JJBS Hall hire	From £250.00
Cheshunt	Reserved grave fee (Western section only)	£747.00
Green Acres Chiltern	Woodland double-depth plot supplement, payable on first death	£2235
Green Acres Chiltern	Woodland double-depth plot supplement, payable in advance	£2335
Green Acres Chiltern	Burial interment	£745
Green Acres Chiltern	Woodland Hall hire	£445
Green Acres Chiltern	Live streaming & on demand	£49

Members – cremations and ashes internments

Golders Green, Hoop Lane	Cremation live streaming - basic	£45
Golders Green, Hoop Lane	Cremation live streaming + view again for 28 days and download	£60
Edgwarebury	Rosebush plot (incl. rose tree for ten years and plaque) - new plot	£1180
Edgwarebury	Ashes interment, new plot	£747

Edgwarebury	Ashes interment, existing grave or cremation plot	£162
Edgwarebury	New rose tree in Rose garden section	£380
Edgwarebury	New plaque in Rose garden section	£53
Green Acres Chiltern weekdays except bank holidays	Cremation service & Woodland Hall hire	0
Green Acres Chiltern weekdays except bank holidays	Ashes interment plot (double-depth), new plot	£1990
Green Acres Chiltern weekdays except bank holidays	Ashes interment, existing grave or cremation plot	£395
Green Acres Chiltern weekdays except bank holidays	Cremation live streaming & on demand	£49

Burials & Cremations – weekend & Bank Holiday surcharges payable in addition to the normal charges

Green Acres Chiltern weekend & bank holiday	Burial service interment & Woodland Hall hire	£1095
Green Acres Chiltern weekend & bank holiday	Cremation service & Woodland Hall hire	£845
Green Acres Chiltern weekend & bank holiday	Burial interment or scattering of ashes	£345
Golders Green, Hoop Lane	Cremation Sunday supplement - in addition to the Funeral Director's Sunday supplement	£500

Double depth burial is applicable to both Edgwarebury and Cheshunt cemeteries as standard. Reservations of any previous plots will be honoured but no plot reservations are now permitted at either cemetery. The upper part of the double depth plot is automatically reserved for the surviving spouse/partner. There is no additional charge for this.

Cemeteries levy a fee for permission to erect tombstones. Stone masons will have a schedule of costs.

Burial or cremation is available for any Jewish non-member closely related to a member. The current prices set by *Liberal Judaism* can be obtained from The Montagu Centre, telephone 020 7580 1663. They include the minister's fee, but exclude the minister's charges for evening prayers.

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