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Cemetery & Crematorium Memorials

2018-2019

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Prices from 1st April 2018

The memorials in this brochure are directly available from Leicester City Council Bereavement Services. Order forms are available to download from our website or contacting Bereavement Services as below.

For grave headstones please contact an accredited memorial stonemason as these are not provided by Leicester City Council. A list of accredited memorial masons is available from our website.

For further information and orders please contact:

Bereavement Services

Leicester City Council

Gilroes Cemetery & Crematorium

Groby Road

Leicester

LE3 9QG

Telephone: 0116 373 7327

Email: cemeteries@leicester.gov.uk

Web: www.leicester.gov.uk/bereavementservices

Memorial options

A wide range of designs are available on all of the granite cremation memorials. We recommended that you contact our office first, and make an appointment so that you can choose the memorial you want and discuss any designs you may like to include.

Sanctum 12 vault

A distinctive columbaria with twelve individual vaults with black granite memorial plaques. Each vault allows for two caskets of cremated remains to be placed inside. Vaults are available in the designated cremated remains garden at Gilroes Cemetery.

Sanctum 2000 vault

An individual above ground vault made of grey granite with a polished black granite memorial plaque. The vault allows for two caskets of cremated remains to be placed inside.

A vase for fresh flowers is set into the base of the memorial.

Octagonal Memorial Planters

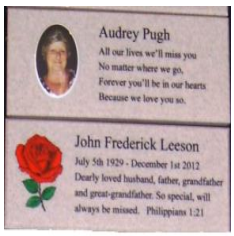
The honeycomb and grey granite memorial planters contain memorial plaques that can be dedicated to a loved one for a period of 10 years. You may either renew the dedication or collect the plaque at the end of the dedication period.

The top of planter is planted with flowers, with additional posy holders located around the base for fresh flowers.

Barbican Memorial

A beautiful granite memorial plaque mounted on a central pink granite memorial column in the new gardens and memorial seating areas at Gilroes cemetery and crematorium.

Plaques can include inscriptions, designs and ceramic photos.



Athenia Memorial

Wall mounted granite plaques available on a 10 year lease and displayed in the Book of Remembrance room. The Athenia plaques can include ceramic photographs and emblems in the design. You may either renew the dedication or collect the plaque at the end of the dedication period.

Sloping Vase Tablet Memorial

A polished black granite tablet with gold coloured vase inset for fresh flowers. Tablets are available on a 20 year lease or as a permanent memorial on a grave.

Books of Remembrance

Carefully hand bound in traditional natural materials, the Books of Remembrance provide a permanent beautiful memorial. Each day of the year the book is turned so that every year the entry is displayed for an anniversary. The Books are on view in the Remembrance building at the front of the crematorium.

As well as seeing your entry in the hand written book on the chosen date, a digital image of the entry is available every day of the year in the digital Book of Remembrance and allows for further pages of photographs, poems or a biography to be added to the original book entry.

Miniature books and memorial cards

The miniature books and memorial cards contain a copy of the original Book of Remembrance entry, inscribed by the same artists and craftsmen. Miniature books are hand bound, covered in grey suede and embossed with the word ‘Remembrance’ on the cover. They have several pages and may contain a number of entries or other suitable wording.

Memorial Rose Bush

Memorial rose gardens have been planted at Gilroes and Saffron Hill Cemeteries. A rose in one of these gardens may be dedicated in memory of a loved one for a period of five years, after which the dedication is renewable.

When a dedication is made, a memorial plaque bearing an inscription is placed in front of the rose. A rose may be dedicated for two people in which case a double plaque will be provided. The rose gardens are kept to a high standard and replanted as necessary.

Memorial Trees

Memorial trees have been planted at Gilroes and Saffron Hill Cemeteries.

Trees may be dedicated with a memorial plaque in dedication of a loved one for a period of ten years, after which the dedication is renewable.

Memorial Benches

Memorial garden benches are available within the cemeteries in areas of peaceful reflection. Benches may be dedicated in memory of a loved one for a period of ten years, after which the dedication is renewable.

Granite Cremation Memorials

ITEM	LEASE PERIOD	PRICE	RENEWAL
Sanctum 12 vault Price includes first inscription up to 80 letters	10 years 20 years 50 years	£615 £835 £1,110	£310 £420 £555
Sanctum 2000 vault Price includes first inscription up to 80 letters	10 years 20 years 50 years	£670 £890 £1,225	£335 £445 £610
Second inscription to Sanctum vault Price includes up to 80 letters of inscription		£300	
Photo plaques for Sanctums		£115	
Athenia Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription	10 years	£240	£120
Athenia Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription & additional design or ceramic photograph	10 years	£300	£120
Barbican Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription	10 years	£320	£160
Barbican Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription & additional design or ceramic photo	10 years	£390	£160
Octagonal Planter Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription	10 years	£390	£185
Octagonal Planter Memorial Plaque Price includes inscription and additional design	10 years	£460	£185
Sloping Vase Tablet[1] Price includes first inscription up to 80 letters	20 years	£425	£210
Additional lettering on memorials Price per letter		£2.25	

Books of Remembrance

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE[2]		DIGITAL BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE	
Two line entry	£85	Existing inscription digitalised	£45
Five line entry	£160	Photograph	£45
Five line entry and emblem	£190	Poem, Hymn or Verse	£45
Eight line entry	£220	Biography	£45
Eight line entry and emblem	£265	Additional access cards	£10

1. May also be purchased as a permanent grave memorial. Please ask for form.
2. Price includes duplicate entry into digital Book of Remembrance and one access card

Miniature Books of Remembrance and Memorial Cards

MINIATURE BOOK		MEMORIAL CARDS	
Two line entry	£60	Two line entry	£38
Five line entry	£70	Five line entry	£55
Five line entry and emblem	£95	Five line entry and emblem	£75
Eight line entry	£95	Eight line entry	£75
Eight line entry and emblem	£120	Eight line entry and emblem	£90

Memorial Roses, Trees and Benches

ITEM	LEASE PERIOD	PRICE	RENEWAL
Rose including memorial plaque	5 years	£190	£110
Tree including memorial plaque	10 years	£380	£200
Additional Rose memorial plaque		£100	
Additional Tree memorial Plaque		£135	
Memorial Bench	10 years	£800	£400
Cameo design on memorial plaques		£75	

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