

LIBERAL JUDAISM BURIAL AND CREMATION SCHEME 2016

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

1. Where are LJ's cemeteries?

- a. Edgwarebury Cemetery, Edgwarebury Lane, Edgware, Middx HA8 8QP
- b. Western Cemetery, Bulls Cross Ride, Cheshunt, Herts EN7 5HT

2. Where are cremations performed?

- a. Hoop Lane Crematorium, Hoop Lane, Golders Green, London NW11 7NL
- b. It may be possible to arrange a cremation at another crematorium. Please consult your Rabbi or Burial Officer.

3. How do I arrange a stone consecration?

Please phone Alexandra Simonon at Liberal Judaism on 020 7631 9829. Alexandra will be your contact for co-ordinating a date with your synagogue rabbi and the cemetery. You may find it useful to know that at Edgwarebury a stone consecration usually takes place at least 9 months after the funeral, to allow the ground to settle.

4. Which stonemasons are licensed by Liberal Judaism?

- a. Gary Green, 41, Manor Park Crescent, Edgware, Middx., HA8 7LY; Tel 020 8381 1525
- b. A. Elfes Ltd., 130, High Street, Edgware, Middx., HA8 7EL; Tel 020 8952 0708
- c. Memorial Masters, 105, High Street, Edgware, Middx., HA8 7DB; Tel 020 8905 7275

5. Following a cremation, how can I arrange a suitable ceremony for burying or scattering the ashes?

- a. There are various options at either Golders Green Crematorium or Edgwarebury Cemetery.
- b. For Golders Green Crematorium, contact them directly on 020 8455 2374.
- c. At Edgwarebury Cemetery, it is possible to have a cremation stone or a rose bush. Phone Alexandra Simonon at Liberal Judaism on 020 7631 9829 for further information. Alexandra will liaise with both the cemetery and the rabbi to find a suitable date. The details of the ceremony itself should be arranged with your rabbi.

6. Burial at Edgwarebury Cemetery

All burials in Edgwarebury Cemetery are double depth. This means that there will be space for the burial or interment of ashes of a spouse. Double-depth plots have enough space for two burials or for one burial and one set of ashes.

7. Can a non-Jewish spouse or partner of an LJ member be buried at Edgwarebury?

Yes

8. Can LJ members have a double depth burial at Cheshunt?

Yes, in the new LJ (JJBS) area. As in Edgwarebury, double-depth plots have enough space for either two burials, or one burial and the interment of one set of ashes.

9. Can a non-Jewish spouse or partner of an LJ member be buried at Cheshunt?

Yes, in the new LJ (JJBS) area.

10. Can LJ arrange a woodland burial?

Yes, at Edgwarebury or at Cheshunt. An additional charge must be paid by the family. Please ask your synagogue's Burial Officer or contact Alexandra Simonon at Liberal Judaism.