

MEMORIAL COLLECTION



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### YOUR OPTIONS

After the cremation, you will receive your loved one's ashes in a temporary container. The remains can be buried, interred or scattered, but for many of us, keeping a loved one at home can be comforting. Alternatively, you might want to share the ashes, and for this, small keepsakes and jewellery mean you can always keep them close. Below is a guide to the options available to you, with accompanying icons to help you easily find a suitable product. Please note, our categories are intended as a guide. Items that can be used in more than one category (e.g. for the home and for interment & burial) will be highlighted using the icons displayed below.







### FOR THE HOME

We have a selection of ash caskets and decorative urns that have been specifically designed for keeping at home. These high quality items have a beautiful finish and can be displayed openly or kept in a private place. In time, the ashes can be buried, interred or scattered.

## FOR INTERMENT & BURIAL

People often choose to bury the ashes of a loved one in a cemetery or natural burial ground. Forever Urns offer a variety of urns designed by handicraft specialists from around the world using natural materials such as plant fibre, paper, bamboo, seagrass, wood, clay and wool.

### FOR SCATTERING

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### FOR THE GARDEN

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### FOR WATER BURIAL

You can submerge the ashes in a lake, river or the sea as part of a water burial. These urns are made from suitable environmentally friendly materials including paper. They couldn't be more fitting and can biodegrade in water within three days.

### URNS & KEEPSAKES FOR SHARING

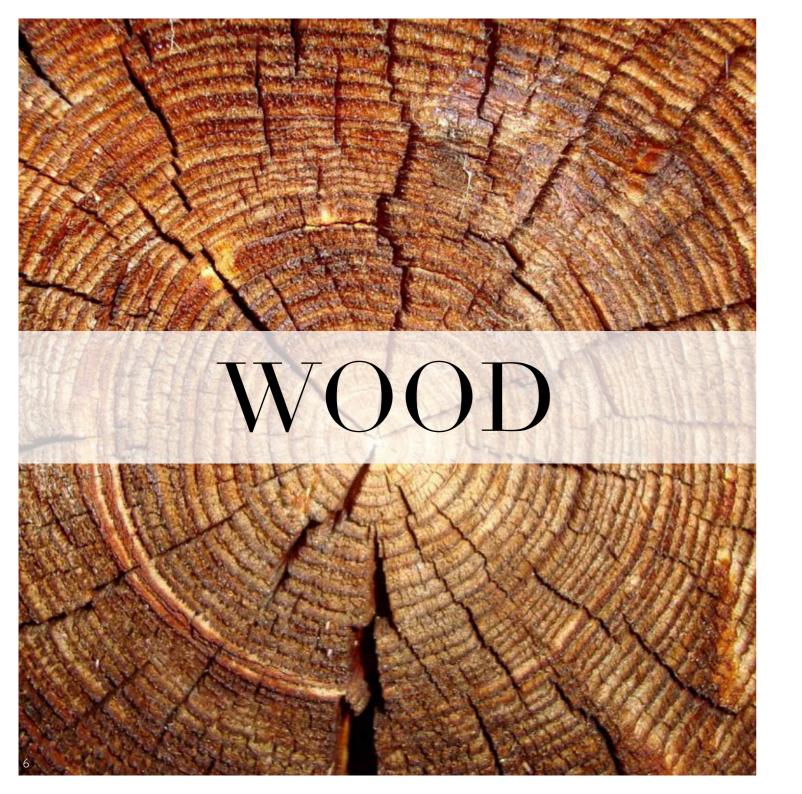
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## CLASSIC

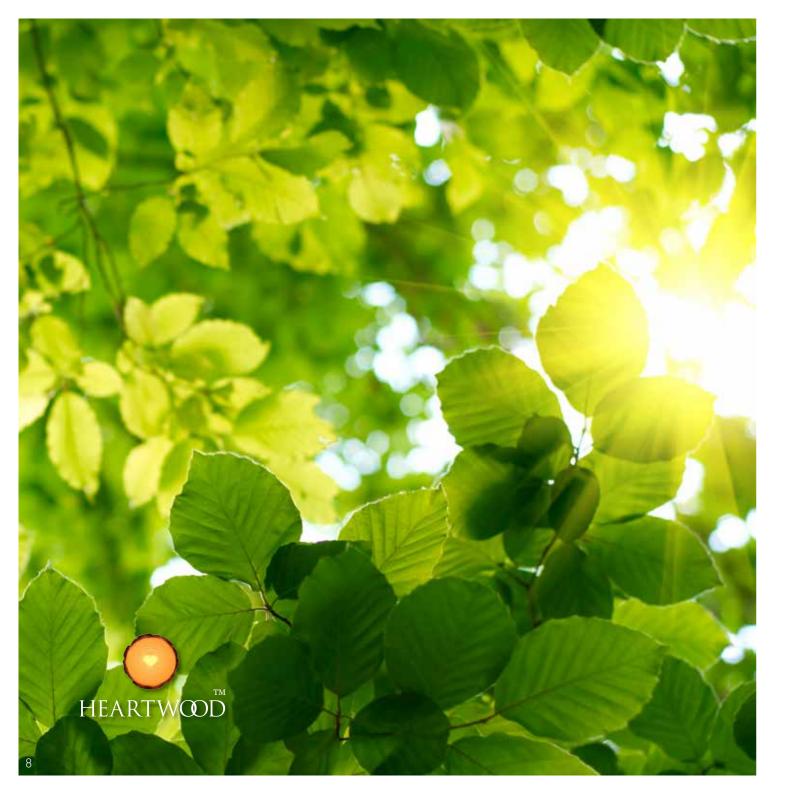


This stunning, highly finished Maple urn is made from the finest wood and exquisitely decorated with flowers in a delicate wood inlay.



FLORENCE L





### HEARTWOOD™ ASH CASKETS





The Heartwood ash caskets are superbly constructed and finished to an exceptional standard. They are made from solid Oak, light and dark Mahogany or Paulownia, which is a light weight, sustainable and fast growing alternative to Oak. Double ashes caskets are also available.











BEDE 🕕 📵



Personalise a casket with a name or message.

See page 96 for details.











NEWTON 🕕 📵









**WOODEN HEART** KEEPSAKE 📵

OSWALD (1)



### HEARTWOOD™ PREMIER ASH CASKETS



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



### AZURE 🕕 📵



A stylish hardwood ash casket with inlay veneer, complete with a lockable lined drawer or compartment, designed to house keepsakes and special items of meaning to you and your loved ones.

### Engraving Service



### CONTINENTAL (



A rich mahogany coloured ash casket with a contrasting walnut inlay top and delicately shaped sides.







TRENT 📵

The Trent teak wooden urn has a chunky teak chest style with carved hinges.

THAMES (1)



The Thames teak wooden urn is suitable for an engraved plaque.



### THE GENUS URN



Pondering what to do for his final year project, an idea struck Sam Graham, then a 20 year-old student of Product Design.

'My grandfather died when I was a child and my mum and aunty decided to have a memorial tree planted in a London park. His cremated ashes fed the soil and gave life to something enduring. My mum didn't want me to go to his funeral for fear it would be too upsetting, so the tree became very significant for me.'

Years' later Sam's nan died and, again, the family chose to plant her ashes with a memorial tree. 'It was a beautiful setting', says Sam, and a special place to visit, but getting the family together and making the journey wasn't always easy and I felt I wanted more of a connection'. That's when Sam hit upon the simple but clever idea of replicating the tree in the park; instead the tree was at home and the tree was portable. The Genus Urn was born.

A small vial filled with some of the cremated ashes sits inside the soil of a bonsai tree inside a beautiful urn. Over time the vial biodegrades and the ashes feed the tree, once again creating new life from old.

Julian Atkinson knew as soon as he saw Sam's idea that here was an innovative and touching new product that bereaved families would love. Sam feels proud to have a product go to market and hopes it will have a positive effect on people to keep their loved ones close as special and as unique as you.

#### **GENUS URN COMPONENTS -**

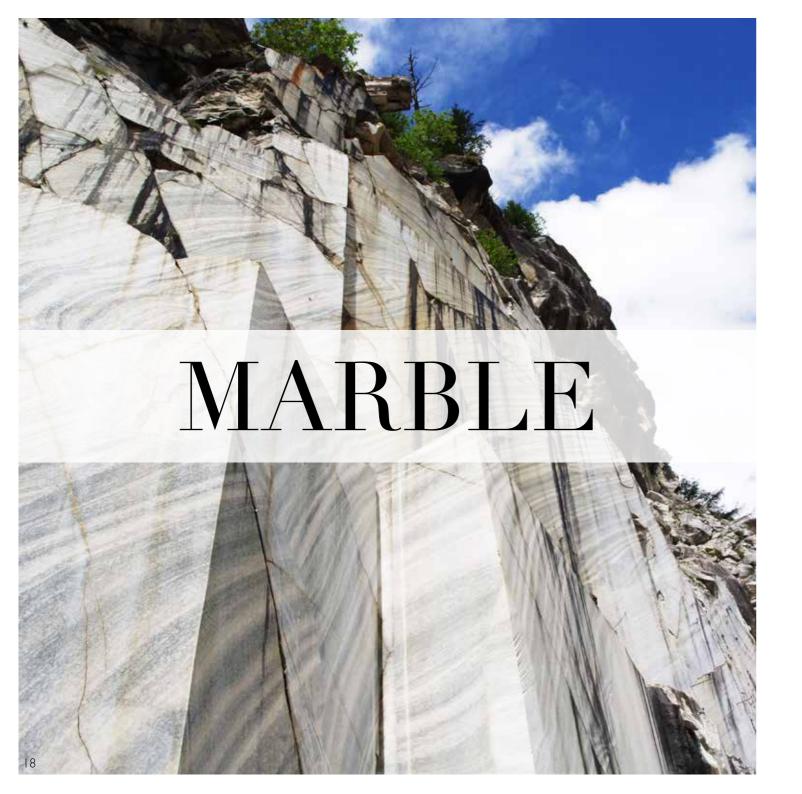






- I. Plant pot for ashes with copper metal ring
- 2. Wooden Surround
- 3. Bowl container
- 4. Wood Plate





## CLASSIC MARBLE •



The striking simplicity and timeless design of the urn ensures it will complement any home.



## STONE



### CANADIAN STONE



We combine the latest in technological materials while utilising old world craftsmanship. Our creative designs begin their journey to you from our own inspirations and artistic expression. Each piece is a unique work of art. We proudly create our own exclusive sculptures from start to finish using a variety of materials. All the Canadian urns can contain up to 3 litres, and our Keepsakes can contain 0.3 litres.



IN FLIGHT URN

Also available as Keepsake



**SUN RAYS URN** 

Also available as Keepsake with candle.



LOVE FOREVER URN (L)





**CANADIAN HEART STONE** 

Also available as Keepsake



**CANADIAN SHELL** 

Keepsake only



DAD MEMORY STONE

Keepsake only - Dad, Mum, Mam & Grandpa also available





# FOR INTERMENT & BURIAL

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### OASIS ASH CASKETS



Oasis is based in an impoverished region of Northern Bangladesh near the capital city, Dhaka. Oasis is committed to helping the local community, equipping them with new skills and jobs to enrich and empower those with very little. Traidcraft has also assessed the factory personally, and have endorsed their coffins and urns as Fair Trade.



### BAMBOO CASKET []

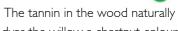


Bamboo is a renewable resource and is an effective absorber of carbon dioxide. The bamboo is sourced locally and sustainably managed. Supplied with engraved name tag.





### CHESTNUT WILLOW []



dyes the willow a chestnut colour. Supplied with engraved name tag.





"Our assessment shows that Oasis has fully embraced the ten principles of Fair Trade in its policies and working practices. We're delighted to see that Oasis is making such a practical and positive social impact in a region of real poverty. This is a strong example of Fair Trade helping to transform lives and providing hope through the opportunities offered."

Larry Bush, Marketing Director, Traidcraft



Soft, off-white willow, hand woven in a rounded urn shape.

Supplied with engraved name tag.





SEAGRASS E
Seagrass is a soft water plant,
grown in abundance in Bangladesh.
Supplied with engraved name tag.





## DAISY<sup>TM</sup> ASH CASKETS



These urns are hand woven in the Philippines by craftsmen using locally sourced, sustainable natural materials, including Bamboo, Banana Leaf and Water Hyacinth.









BANANA LEAF 🕕 📵

Supplied with engraved name tag or oval plate.

WATER HYACINTH 🕕 📵





### ENGLISH WILLOW ASH CASKETS



These willow 'wicker' ash caskets 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 (E)

#### **CHOICE OF STYLES AVAILABLE -**



**SQUARE** 



RECTANGLE



OVAL





### WOOL FROM THE YORKSHIRE DALES





Natural Legacy caskets are made in Yorkshire using wool from British farmers through the Quality Assurance scheme. The woollen outer layer creates a warm, comforting alternative to the more traditional wooden caskets, and is finished with an embroidered name plate.













### Embroidered Name Plate



## PICTURE ASHES



### REFLECTIONS™ PICTURE ASH CASKETS & SCATTER TUBES





Everyone is unique, and we believe that a picture ash casket should reflect the individual qualities of the departed. We offer a fully personalised service that lets you create a one off piece of art that celebrates the life of a loved one. We can also offer these personal designs in a Scatter Tube. Personalised nameplates are an optional extra.



### REFLECTIONS<sup>TM</sup> GLITTER ASHES CASKETS

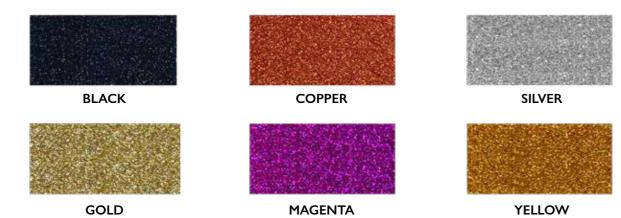


Our sensational glitter ashes caskets offer one last chance to sparkle. The ashes caskets are made from MDF covered with diamond glitter paper.

\*Please note that colours are presented for illustrative purposes only.\*



Also available in....



### PATHWAY PERSONALISED ASH CASKET



As part of our new Pathway service, we have developed a system as with our coffins where each panel can be designed separately. Whether each panel is designed from a different family member, or designed together using different panels for different periods or pastimes of a persons life, the Pathway service allows you to create any possible outcome with any possible design.

The panels can be printed onto a fabric material which is then padded to elevate it from the frame, giving the design and final finish more emphasise. The panels are designed to be fully biodegradable. Alternatively, you can have your panels printed on our FSC certified paper.





WITH PRINTED PADDED FABRIC



## RECYCLED NEWSPAPER URN







Moulded into a beautifully textured design, our newspaper urn is ideal for those looking for an original alternative. These urns are extremely versatile – they can be kept in the home, used to scatter ashes or buried.



### **EARTHURNS**



The light-weight, pretty Earthurns are made using handmade petal paper.



### FLORAL BOUQUET

Floral Bouquet is made from handmade sky blue and white paper featuring an attractive white paper flower centre.

Available in large and small.

### LEAF URNS



These boxes are delicately decorated with dried leaves which are arranged in attractive layers of colour.

For engraving options see pg 96.



OVAL (E)
Available in red, blue, green and natural.



RECTANGLE E

Available in red, blue,
green and natural.



ROUND (E)
Available in red, blue,
green and natural.



Engraving Service

ersonalise with a name or message.



### NATURE URNS



Our Danish urn range is traditional in form but pioneering in structure. The urns are made from corn starch, a material which hardens like a plastic but will completely decompose when buried. The easy screw-on lid allows this urn to be used for scattering and burying. The urn has a capacity of 5L which increases to 5.5L with a compostible bag. Example engraving pictured, for more engraving options see pg 92.



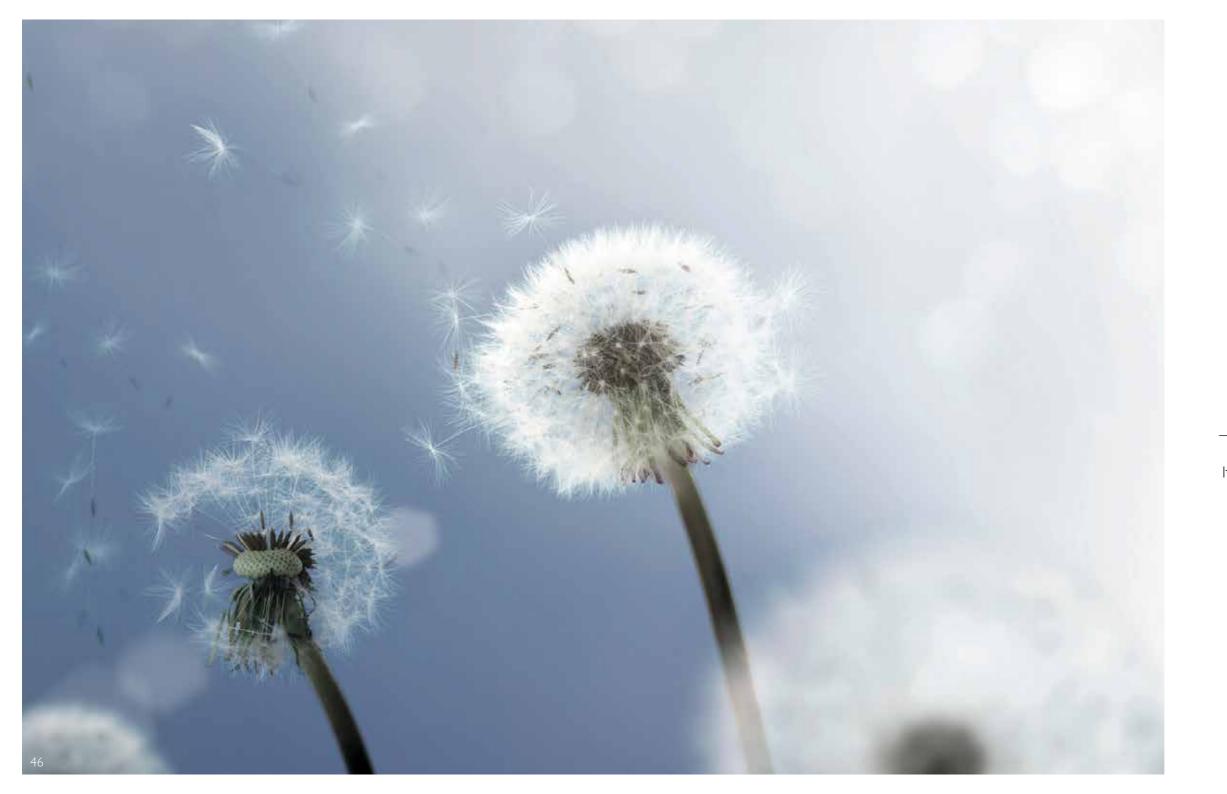


## THE ELEMENTAL RANGE



These modern egg-shaped eco urns reflect the life cycle. They are made directly from plants so that they can fully decompose in the earth. A range of coloured lids are available and any colour can be supplied with either the black or white. A natural cotton bag is included to hold the ashes inside.







## FOR SCATTERING

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## SCATTERING OF ASHES



Available in two sizes: standard (5.5L) for all ashes and a memento keepsake size (400ml).



1. BLUEBELL WOOD

2. FORGET-ME-NOT 4. ASCENDING DOVE

3. RAINBOW

5. SUNFLOWER

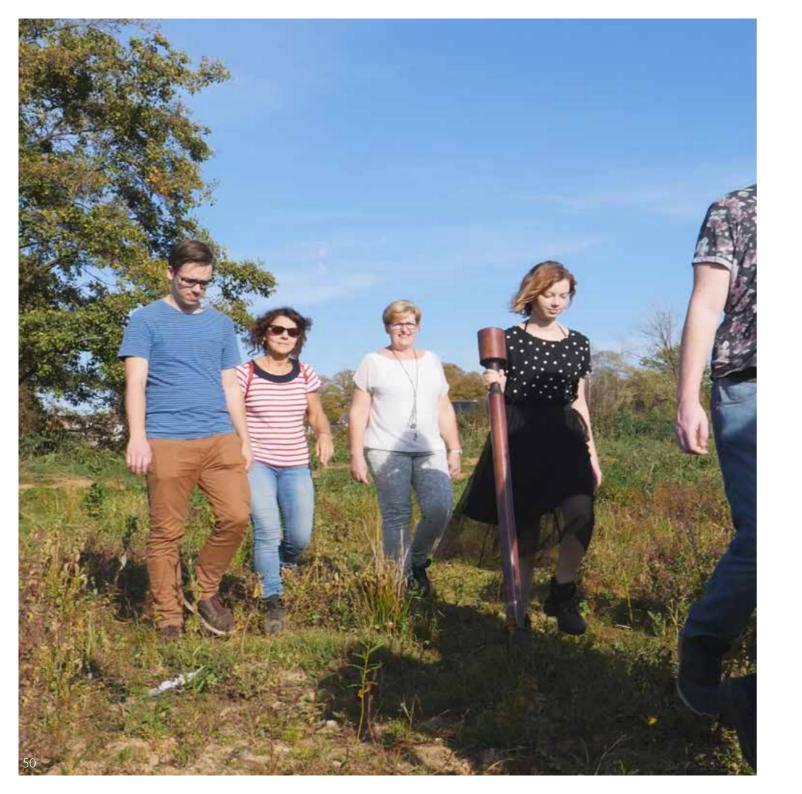
6. ROSES

7. AUTUMN

9. BURGUNDY 📵

8. OCEAN SUNSET

10. NAVY 📵



### TOLAD SCATTERING POLE



After the cremation, what do families plan to do with their loved one's ashes? With the TOLAD (the Totem Of Life and Death), scattering ashes takes on a whole new significance.

### Dignified farewell - one step at a time

A memorable route adds extra significance bringing back memories of the deceased.. The TOLAD passes from person to person throughout a planned walk, giving everyone a chance to share stories, thoughts and memories with each step.

The top can be filled with ashes, which is then scattered gradually over the walk. A small amount of ashes is scattered with each press of the pole, each step of the way, making it lighter and easier for children to take part.



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## STONE



## LAVA URNS



Our organically shaped urns from the Philippines are hand-carved from Lava stone, making them suitable as outdoor garden pieces. They become a living part of their environment as they grow a coat of lichen or moss.

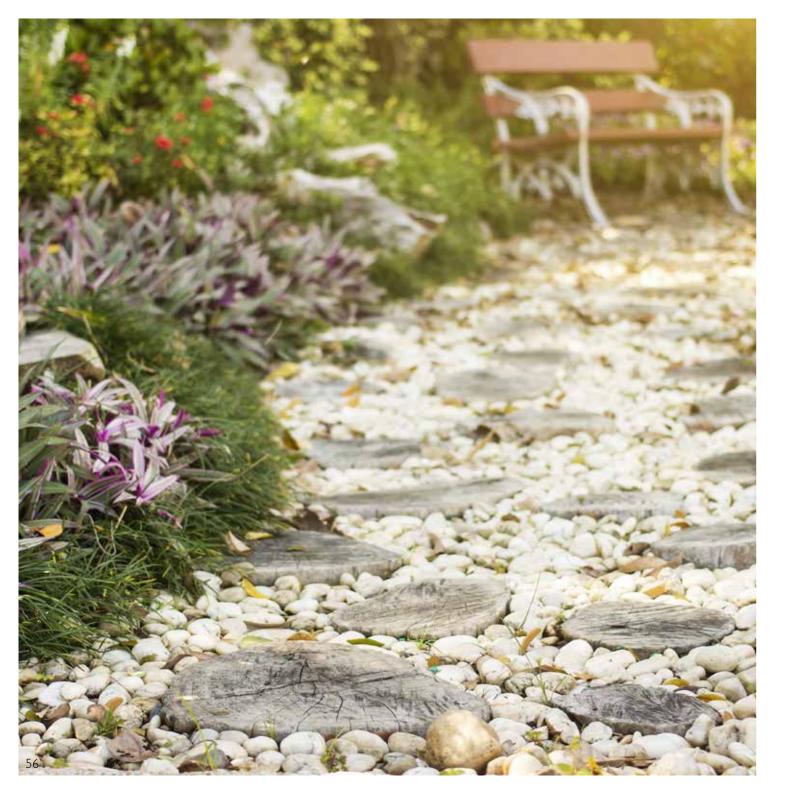






PEBBLE LAVA URN





## SERENE MEDITATION



The sitting Buddha, deep in meditation, is individually crafted and hand carved in stone.

This urn is perfect for a quiet spot in the garden and the ashes are stored discreetly in the base.

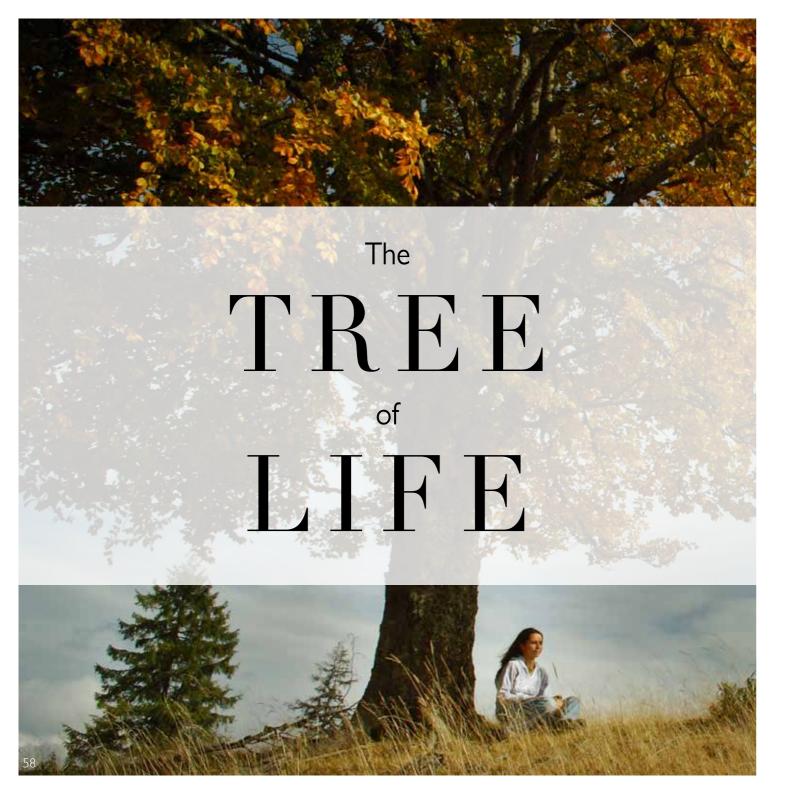
Colours may vary due to the nature and source of the stone.



SERENE MEDITATION



**BUDDHA** 



### LIVING MEMORIALS



#### WOODLAND MEMORIAL TREE PACK

The Woodland Memorial Tree Pack consists of a sapling tree, a wooden memorial marker and an engraved plate. This option allows you to plant a tree close by, perhaps in the family garden, in memory of the life lost. Sapling tree may be supplied without foliage in winter months.



## MEMORIAL BENCHES



### MEMORY BENCH



A Memory Bench is a special way to remember a loved one, standing as a reminder of their life in a very special place for many years to come. Expertly constructed to the highest spec, using the very finest grade-A teak, this bench offers a fine sanded smooth finish. It is supplied flat packed with assembling instructions. The bench can be engraved with a personal message or icon, as well as coming with a unique memorial tube which can hold a small keepsake such as a small note, picture or small segment of ashes.

Small - 4ft  $\times$  2ft  $\times$  3ft, Medium - 5ft  $\times$  2ft  $\times$  3ft, Large - 6ft  $\times$  2ft  $\times$  3ft, Extra Large - 7ft  $\times$  2ft  $\times$  3ft





Memorial Tube can insert into the base of the leg, with a wooden plug to seal.



Engrave with a personal message





You can submerge the ashes in a lake, river or the sea as part of a water burial. These urns are made from suitable environmentally friendly materials. They couldn't be more fitting and can biodegrade in water within three days.



## JOURNEY WATER URNS



Journey water urns are hand-crafted from sustainably produced and biodegradable mulberry paper. When placed in water they will float briefly and sink to the bottom, where they will break down naturally over time.

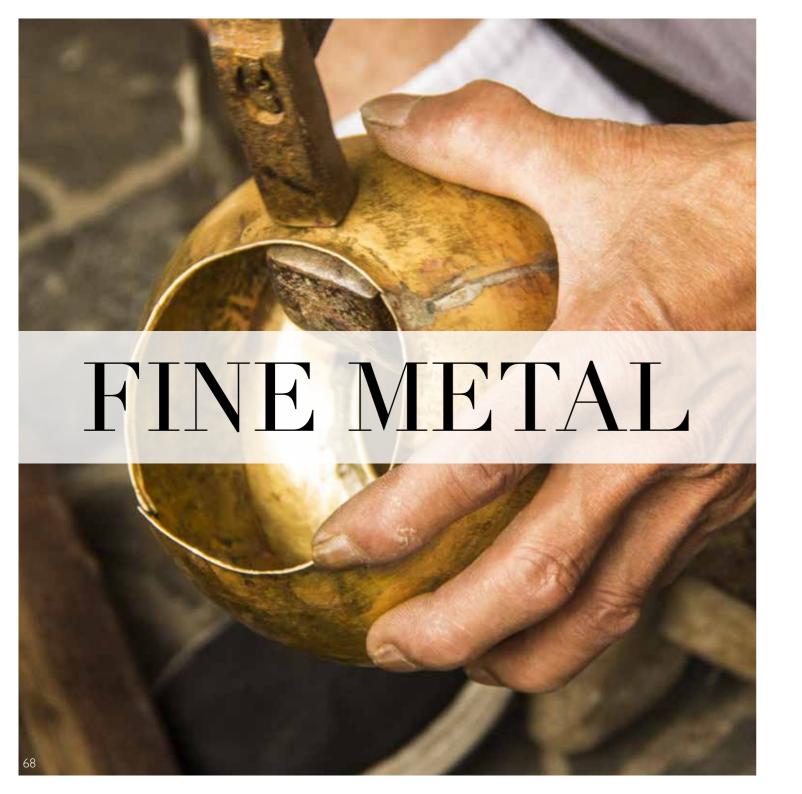






## URNS & KEEPSAKES FOR SHARING

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### FINE METAL URNS



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. For engraving options see pg 96.







MARBLE WHITE (3) Available as an urn, keepsake and heart.



Available as an urn, keepsake and heart.





WHITE ROSE Available as an urn, keepsake and heart.







**BLOOMING GRACE**Available as an urn and heart.



STRENGTH (E)

Available as an urn and keepsake.



**MOSAIC**Available as an urn and keepsake.



**PEACEFUL GRACE**Available as an urn and keepsake.

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**ENTWINED GRACE** A silver urn with an intricate design and colourful embellishments.



PEACE, LOVE & REMEMBRANCE An intricately worked three dove and floral design on a hand made brass urn, decorated with copper wire and lacquer.



LOVE ROSES A small silver keepsake urn with an intricate, colourful design.



## **TEARDROPS**



The beautiful brass Teardrops with silver and gold engravings symbolise our sadness for the loss of a loved one. For engraving options see pg 96.



FLORAL TEARDROP 🕕 📵

A silver teardrop engraved with a floral design and painted gold. Available as an urn and keepsake.



GOLDEN TEARDROP 🕕 📵



A gold teardrop with a textured centre. Available as an urn and keepsake.



## BRASS HEART KEEPSAKES









GOLD HEART 📵

**EARTHEN HEART** 

SILVER ROSE HEART







SILVER HEART 📵

TEDDY BEAR HEART

PINK BUTTERFLY HEART







**GOLDEN FEATHER HEART** 

**STAND**Available in gold and silver:

Example engraving pictured,



## LOVES LOCKETS



Loves Lockets are made in brass and then decorated with copper wire, lacquer and hand painted with an attractive flower or dove motif. The pretty keepsakes can be displayed on a stand or kept in a discreet, meaningful place.



LOVES LOCKET LILY



LOVES LOCKET ROSE



LOVES LOCKET IRIS



LOVES LOCKET PEACE

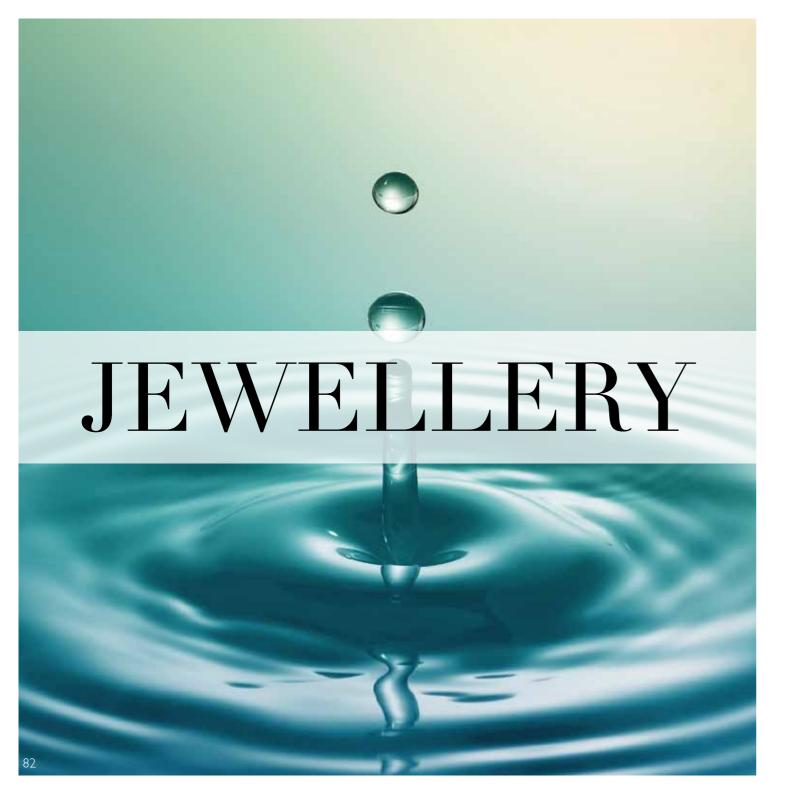


## MEMORIAL VASE URN



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.





## MEMENTO KEEPSAKE PENDANTS



These stunning keepsake pendants are made from sterling silver to the highest standard in the USA. They are beautiful pieces discreetly housing a small amount of ash, keeping a loved one close.

Chain sold separately.







SILVER DROPLET

CHAMBER

**LOVE HEART** 





CROSS

CHAIN



## KEEPSAKE JEWELLERY



Keepsake jewellery is offered to you in various designs to memorialise your loved one. Where indicated (\*) these exclusively designed pieces can hold remains, a lock of hair, or soil from the gravesite, while others are simple memorials that are engraved with messages to remember your loved one. Keep the memory with you forever with this exquisite solid sterling silver jewellery.



TEARDROP NECKLACE\*



**HEART NECKLACE\*** 



MINI URN NECKLACE\*



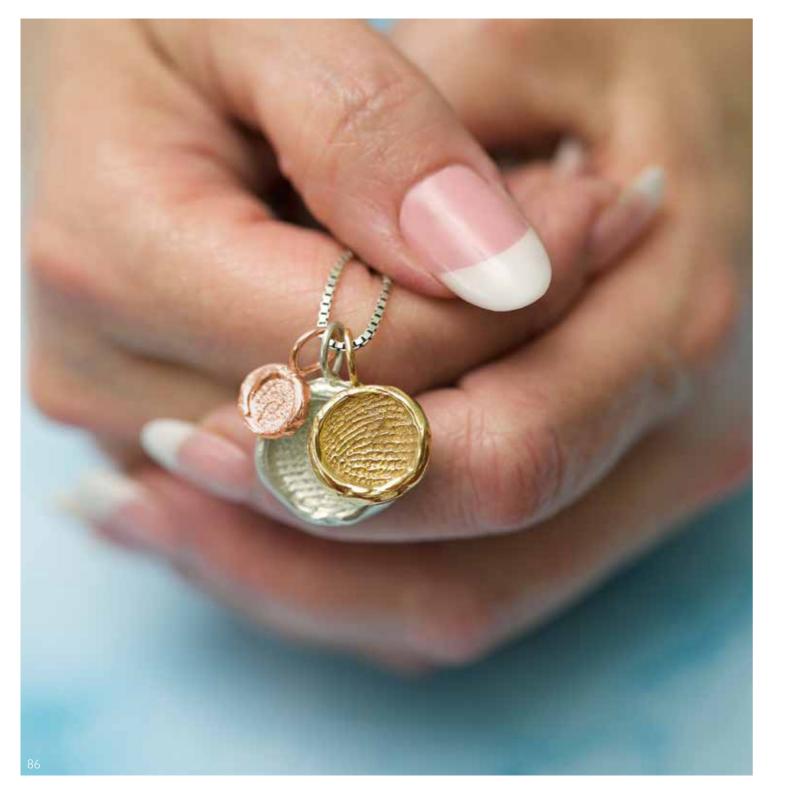
**SIDE CROSS** "Remembered"



**HEART**"Live Laugh Love"



**CROSS WITH STONE\*** 



## PERSONALISED JEWELLERY



The simple touch of our personalised jewellery evokes warm memories of the people we love. The uniqueness of each individual's fingerprints means that each Keepsake is a custom creation. Available print styles; fingerprint, handprint or footprint. All can be engraved in some way, please ask for more details. Chain not included.









#### CLASSIC PENDANTS [3]

A simple, clean shape to accommodate every taste. This classic charm offers an understated elegance for a timeless look.



Designed to be worn in clusters and with other charms, these freeform pieces are individually crafted and pressed, leaving unique edges.





Touch triggers memories and brings comfort. Wearers can feel the defined ridges and valleys sliding at any moment of the day.





Worn as a pendant or carried as a keychain, with a black rubber silencer, a 30" stainless steel ball chain, and a split ring for holding keys

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When it comes to our pieces, the better the quality of the print supplied of the fingerprint, the greater the detail in the final keepsake. Using high-powered software, artisans select the portion of a scanned two-dimensional print that has the most unique characteristics and a high degree of clarity.



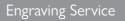
#### BANGLE BRACELET []

A sleek entry into the world of memorial jewelry, our stylish Bangle Bracelet is an ideal way to keep loved ones "close at hand."



#### HERITAGE VESSELS []

This cremation urn discreetly keeps a loved one close to the heart. It is ideal for holding a small amount of cremated remains or a lock of hair.



Personalise your jewellery with a word, name or message. Please ask for more details.





# CRYSTAL



## CRYSTAL KEEPSAKES



Introducing 3 new beautiful keepsakes: Crystal Heart, Crystal Butterfly and Crystal Tealight.

Each holds a segment of ash or a lock of hair within the gold or silver cylinders.

The Silver Crystal Tealight shows an engraving option which is available on all the crystal tealights at an additional price.







#### **CRYSTAL HEART**

Available in gold or silver with a matching cylinder and supplied with a black lacquer box. Made with Swarovski elements.





CRYSTAL BUTTERFLY SILVER

Made with Swarovski elements.



Example engraving.



CRYSTAL BUTTERFLY GOLD

Made with Swarovski elements.





## Organic forms



Forever Urns has commissioned Molly Russell to develop the **Organic Forms** range, a collection of keepsake urns crafted from **marble**. The urns are beautifully simplistic, simultaneously both modern and traditional. They celebrate organic forms and the serenity of the stone in its purest state.

Molly has worked with a sculpture expert in Rajasthan to develop the range. Using locally quarried marble, each stone urn is carved by hand by highly skilled specialists.





MARBLE ROSE KEEPSAKE



MARBLE LOTUS
KEEPSAKE



MARBLE FLAT PEBBLE KEEPSAKE



MARBLE ROSE TEA LIGHT KEEPSAKE



MARBLE ROUND PEBBLE KEEPSAKE

### FULL ENGRAVING SERVICE

We are pleased to offer a full engraving service which allows you to personalise the product of your choice in any way you wish, allowing your personalisation to become part of the design.

#### Text

Whether the name of your loved one, a message or an extract of a poem, your text can be added to an urn in one of two fonts: **Arial** or *Corsiva*.

#### **Photographs**

Images can also be engraved onto an urn. You may choose to add a personal photograph to memorialise your loved one.

#### **Emblems**

Dependent on the style of Urn, badges, logos and emblems can also be added. If you wish to include a specific sports team, for example, our designers can liaise with them to secure permission to do so.

For more examples please go to: www.foreverurns.co.uk





