

Purchase of Exclusive Rights of Burial

Sturry Cemetery

This form is to be used to purchase a Burial plot at Sturry Cemetery for immediate use or for future use.

1.	<p><u>Cemetery Details</u></p> <p>Section SC/ Plot No.....</p> <p>Note: All EROB are valid for a period of 50 years. Plot Size Half Single Double</p>
2.	<p><u>Exclusive Burial Rights (Please see notes over page)</u></p> <p>Person(s) Purchasing Burial Rights</p> <p>Full Name</p> <p>Address</p> <p>.....Post Code</p> <p>Day time contact telephone number:</p> <p>E-Mail Address..... Signature.....</p>
3.	<p><u>Exclusive Burial Rights (Please see notes over page)</u></p> <p>Person(s) Purchasing Burial Rights</p> <p>Full Name</p> <p>Address</p> <p>.....Post Code.....</p> <p>Day time contact telephone number:</p> <p>E-Mail Address..... Signature.....</p>
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NOTES:

What you are purchasing, is called the Exclusive Right of Burial (ERoB), this gives the owner, the right to say who can be buried in the plot and what monuments if any can be erected. The land always remains the property of Sturry Parish Council.

The owner also has the automatic right to be buried in the plot to which the EroB pertains if there is space.

The main implications of ownership are, you will be the person responsible for the maintenance of the plot, be responsible for who can be buried in the plot, be the person to sign for any memorials placed on the plot and your permission will be required to re-open the plot at any time.

The simple fact a person is arranging a funeral does not necessarily mean they can put themselves down to be the owner of the plot. The owner is the person (or persons) named on the deed. Only the owners permission can be acted upon. If multiple owners, all must give their agreement.

The family will need to discuss who is the best person/people to become owner (s). There are pros and cons of single vs multiple owners.

If you are unsure or need clarification, please contact the Cemetery Superintendent.

When the last surviving owner of the ERoB dies, a transfer of the ERoB will need to be completed.

For full details regarding ownership and burial rights, please refer to the "Cemetery Rules & Regulations", which can be downloaded from the Sturry Parish Council website, or a booklet obtained from the parish office.

Sturry Parish Council in its capacity as a burial authority is required to collect personal data and store this data indefinitely in the register of grants, in accordance with the Local Authorities Cemeteries Order Act 1977. This data may be shared with other organisations at the time of re-opening a plot, or upon request to erect a memorial.

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web: <https://sturry-pc.gov.uk/sturry-cemetery/>

Form: SPC004-0925
