

## Frequently Asked Questions

- **Why have flowers on the casket/coffin?**

Traditionally, flowers have been used as a form of condolence. Floral arrangements step in when words fail and can represent many aspects of a loved one's life.

- **How big are casket sprays?**

Casket sprays are 30cm high, made to fit neatly on caskets and in hearses. Upon request, they can be made higher, though the casket spray will travel to the service in a separate vehicle. In length, a small spray is 100cm, a medium spray is 120cm, a large spray is 150cm and an extra-large spray is 180cm.

- **What kind of flowers are appropriate for men?**

Any flowers. Traditionally, colours such as yellows, oranges, reds and deep blues have been used. Casket sprays can be made using your loved one's favourite flower, colour, or sporting team colours. Natives and tropicals (orchids, birds of paradise) are a popular choice. Whites are classic and appropriate, and pastels are lovely.

- **Are the natives all Australian?**

No. We use a mix of flowers native to Australia, including Banksia, Kangaroo Paw, Waratah, Grevillea, Gum, Wattle, Bottlebrush, and some that are native to South Africa, including Protea, Leucadendrons, Pincushions (Cordifoliums) and Blushing Brides. Upon request, sprays can be made with only Australian natives.

- **Can I have frangipanis in the casket spray?**

Natural frangipanis are not grown commercially and are difficult work with. However, we can offer artificial frangipani or create a lovely casket spray in white and yellow, the main colours of frangipani.

- **Can I have open lilies in the casket spray?**

If enough time is given. A minimum notice of three days before the service is required to allow the lilies to open. In winter, the lilies take longer. If you would like open lilies, please check with the florist.

- **Can I have flowers on a domed casket?**

Please notify the florist if the casket has a domed lid. A "saddle" batt will be used to prevent the flowers from slipping around on top of the casket.

- **Can I have peonies in the casket spray?**

Peonies are short-lived flowers and are sometimes available around October. Artificial peonies can be used if natural peonies are unavailable. If you would like natural peonies, please check with the florist.

- **Are casket sprays readily decomposed after time?**

The plastic and foam used to keep casket sprays together do not decompose. A popular alternative is a floral sheaf. These are made without plastic or wires, and will fade and return to the earth naturally.

- **Flower Availability and Price**

Flowers are a natural resource and so are subject to seasonal availability. Many factors can affect the availability of a particular flower, including supply chain issues, import issues, wholesalers closing over holiday periods and unforeseen circumstances such as storms, floods, and droughts. Flowers and greenery are very delicate and are prone to changes in temperature too.

Flower prices increase around busy times of year such as Valentine's Day and Mother's Day, because of increased demand. Our suppliers' prices increase, and floral arrangements cost more to make. This is why our prices may increase during these periods.

## Casket Sprays

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
CS50	Multi-colour Roses	500.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS51	Red and White Roses & Carnations	500.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS52	Mixed All White	450.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS53	Mixed White and Green	450.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS54	Mixed Natives	450.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS55	Natives with Orchids	450.00	650.00	850.00	950.00
CS56	Modern Natives	400.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS57	Peaceful Whites	450.00	580.00	650.00	850.00
CS58	Scarlet Reds	450.00	550.00	680.00	880.00
CS59	Autumn Oranges	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS60	Sunny Yellows	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS61	Fresh Greens	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS62	Purple Tones	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS63	Pretty Pinks	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS64	Mixed Natural Flowers and Foliage	500.00	600.00	700.00	800.00
CS65	Mixed Pastels	500.00	600.00	700.00	800.00
CS66	Mixed Vibrant	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS67	Football Colours - Red and Yellow	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS68	Football Colours - Blue and White	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS69	Football Colours - Broncos/Lions	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS70	Ultra Modern	450.00	550.00	650.00	750.00
CS71	Custom Spray (Seasonal)	350.00			

## Church Bowls

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
CB01	Mixed White and Green Church Bowl			295.00	
CB02	Native Church Bowl			295.00	
CB03	Mixed Natural Flowers and Foliage Church Bowl			295.00	
CB04	Mixed Vibrant			295.00	
CB05	Custom Church Bowl (Price on Application)				

## Wreaths, Sheafs and Memorials

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
MW10	Mixed White and Green Wreath	180.00	250.00	300.00	380.00
MW11	Mixed Natural Flowers and Foliage Wreath	180.00	250.00	300.00	380.00
MW12	Mixed Vibrant Wreath	180.00	250.00	300.00	380.00
SH13	Mixed Natural Flowers and Foliage Sheaf	150.00	200.00	250.00	
SH14	Red Rose Sheaf	408.00	580.00	680.00	780.00
SH15	Orchids Sheaf	408.00	580.00	680.00	780.00
SH16	Mixed Native Sheaf - 100cm	408.00	580.00	680.00	780.00
SH17	Mixed All White Sheaf			370.00	

## Shapes

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
LH20	Daisy Heart		230.00		
LT21	Tribute		220.00		
LP22	Posy		95.00		
CR23	Cross	250.00	350.00	450.00	
TB24	Teddy Bear	165.00			
PD25	Puppy Dog	165.00			

## Memorial Arrangements (Display items not included)

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
PW30	Photo with Wreath		240.00	260.00	
UW31	Urn with Wreath		240.00	260.00	
UR32	Urn with Rose Heart		320.00	420.00	
UC33	Urn with Cascade	200.00	250.00	300.00	

## Scatter Petals

Ref	Description	Price
SP01	Mixed Coloured Rose Petals	39.00
SP02	Single Colour Rose Petals	100.00

## Single Blooms

Ref	Description	Price
SB03	Roses	12.00
SB04	Carnations	8.00
SB05	Gerbera	6.00

## Gift Box Arrangements

Ref	Description	Small	Medium	Large	Extra Large
GBA01	Peaceful White Orchid in Ceramic Pot	80.00			
GBA02	Mixed White & Green Seasonals Box Based	80.00	120.00	160.00	
GBA03	Mixed Colourful Seasonals Box Based	80.00	120.00	160.00	