

UPTON PARISH COUNCIL

BURIAL POLICY (Approved 15 February 2012)

1. Who may be buried or have their cremated remains interred in Upton open churchyard (“the churchyard”)

Anyone:

- a. With a legal right to be buried in the churchyard, or
- b. With a direct familial connection with Upton parish by birth or marriage, or
- c. Who has lived in Upton parish for much of their life and has moved away for reasons connected with their care, or
- d. Who has purchased a plot in the churchyard.

2. Who may purchase a plot in the churchyard

Anyone:

- a. Who lives in Upton parish at the time of purchase, or
- b. Who is on the electoral roll of SS Peter and Paul’s Church, Upton, or
- c. With a direct familial connection with Upton parish by birth or marriage, or
- d. Who has lived in Upton parish for much of their life and has moved away for reasons connected with their care.

3. Headstones and memorials

- a. Headstones and memorials must be approved by the parish clerk on behalf of the parish council.
- b. The appearance and construction of all headstones and memorials must be consistent with those already existing in the churchyard at the date of application for approval.

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