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Assignment of Exclusive Rights of Burial – White Hill Burial Ground

Use this form to transfer or change ownership of the exclusive rights of burial, i.e. to transfer to a new owner or add an additional owner.

Please complete the whole form and return to the Parish Office.

Section A: Details of the Plot and Transfer

Plot Number

Approximate Date of Purchase

Section B: Transfer of Ownership

I, [Current owner Name]

of [Current owner Address]

Inconsideration of the sum of £1

show to me by [New Owner Name]

of [New Owner Address]

do hereby assign [New Owner Name]
unto

the exclusive Right of Burial in plot in the Whitehill Burial Ground and [plot number as above]
numbered

on the plan of the Burial ground, made in pursuance of the said Act, which was granted to myself:

[Current owner Name]

by Goring-on-Thames Parish Council, by Deed of Grant Number: [Deed number]

bearing the date [Date on the deed]

all my estate and title and interest herein, the right of placing a memorial thereon of the nature and in the position approved by Goring-on-Thames Parish Council to hold the same unto the said

[New Owner Name]

subject to the conditions on which I held the same immediately before the execution hereof.

Witnessed by my Hand and Seal this day of [Date of Signature]

Signature – Present Owner

I confirm the details contained in this form are accurate and will be used to populate the burial register. It is my responsibility to keep the council informed if my contact details change.

Signature of present Owner

Witness Signature

Witness Address

Witness Full Name

Signature – New Owner

I confirm the details contained in this form are accurate and will be used to populate the burial register. It is my responsibility to keep the council informed if my contact details change.

Signature of New Owner

Full Name

Full Address, including postcode.

Telephone Number

E-mail address

Applicable Extract from the Burial Ground regulations:

- Burial rights are purchased at the time of the first burial, usually by a family member. The exclusive right is for 50 years from the date of purchase. The policy of the council is not to permit advance reservation or purchase of burial plots. If a plot is purchased without exclusive rights, there will be no right to erect memorials etc.
- Second or subsequent burials in a grave space can only be carried out with the permission of the burial rights owner. Families must keep the council informed of the current ownership of the burial right if it is transferred or passes by inheritance.
- Ownership of an exclusive right to burial conveys no other legal rights over the grave space, which remains the Council's property.
- Coffin grave spaces generally have room for two coffin burials and a number of caskets of cremated remains. A triple depth grave can accommodate up to three coffin burials. Cremated remains grave spaces have room for two caskets.
- Grave spaces for first burials will be selected by the council in the appropriate site of the burial ground and marked approximately two days before the burial. The policy of the council is normally to allocate the next space in line.