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"Our range of natural coffins have been beautifully handcrafted to the highest quality"



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## Environmentally friendly woven coffins

For four generations we have been making beautiful woven products to meet our customers specific needs. We pride ourselves on delivering items of matchless quality, exactly when they are needed. Second best is not an option for us.



Drawing from over 50 years of experience, we offer a comforting and dignified range of natural hand-crafted coffins, perfectly reflecting the individuality of each families loved one.

At Natural Woven Coffins we carefully source the materials used in the production of our coffins to promote strong sustainability and to ensure that the quality of our coffins is of the highest standard. Our coffins form a memorable tribute and everlasting green footprint to the earth.



- We are members of respected trade associations within the funeral industry, National Association of Funeral Directors, Society of Allied Independent Funeral Directors and the Funeral Finishing Manufacturers Association, we understand the high expectations that are bestowed upon us.
- We understand how quickly our products may be needed, our coffins can be delivered within 24 hours and orders placed before 1pm will be dispatched for next working day delivery.
- Our dedicated sales team is available from 9am to 5pm on Monday-Friday, and we have an out- of-hours service for urgent calls at other times.
- Our coffins and caskets are suitable for standard burial, green burial and cremation.





# Seagrass Coffins

Our Seagrass Coffins are a beautiful compliment, rustic and natural with subtle green and blue tones. They are woven by hand using yarns of twisted seagrass and finished with cane, top and bottom. The seagrass material used for our coffins is grown in coastal paddy fields and flooded with seawater throughout the year. The fields are carefully managed to promote a continued cycle of growth and renewability.



Close up showing rope handle



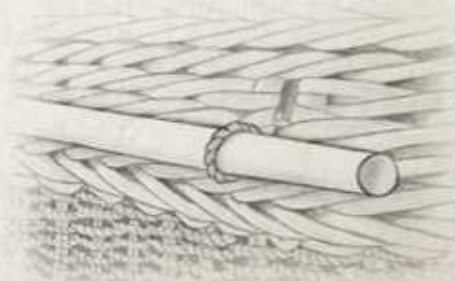
Close up showing traditional plait



Curved end Seagrass Coffin with rope handles

Traditional shaped Seagrass Coffin with rope handles

Close up showing secure closure



The coffins are available in two differing shapes, curved end (rounded) and traditional shape (square) each tapering from end to end.

Both styles come in a range of finished sizes with natural rope handles and fully fitted with natural linings, pillow and covers.



Matching oblong ashes casket and round ashes urn

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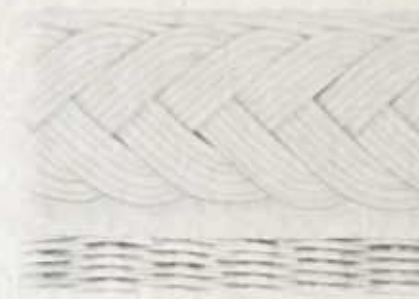
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Close up showing rope handle

## The Wicker

Rustic bands of natural rattan are woven together to create this beautiful wicker coffin. The dark brown colour of this coffin perfectly complements the lightly coloured rope handles and will suit any style of flowers that the coffin happens to be adorned with. Each coffin is made by hand using traditional weaving techniques. The rattan used for our Wicker coffins is harvested from the forests of South East Asia where rattan clings and grows up the existing forest trees like a vine. Rattan has been known to grow as much as six meters in a year making it a great renewable material.



Close up showing traditional plait



Curved end Wicker Coffin with rope handles

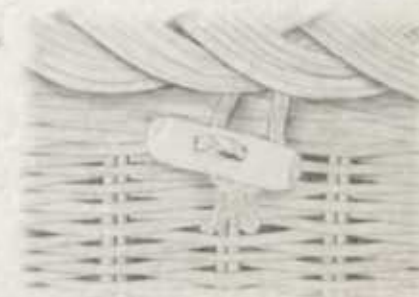
Traditional shaped Wicker Coffin with rope handles

Close up showing wicker weave

Close up showing secure closure

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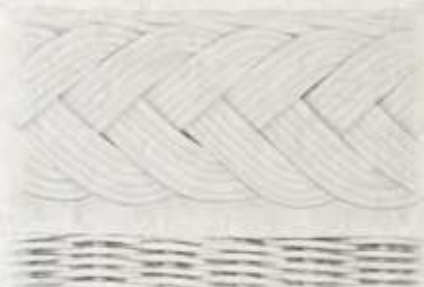


# Cane Coffins

Handcrafted using woven cane, sometimes referred to as a wicker or rattan, our Cane Coffins hold an off-white appearance and are skillfully finished by hand using traditional basket making techniques. The rattan used for our coffins is harvested from the forests of South East Asia where rattan clings and grows up the existing forest trees like a vine. Rattan has been known to grow as much as six meters in a year making it a great renewable material.



Close up cane weave



Close up showing traditional plait



Curved end Cane Coffin with rope handles

Traditional shaped Cane Coffin with rope handles

Close up showing secure closure

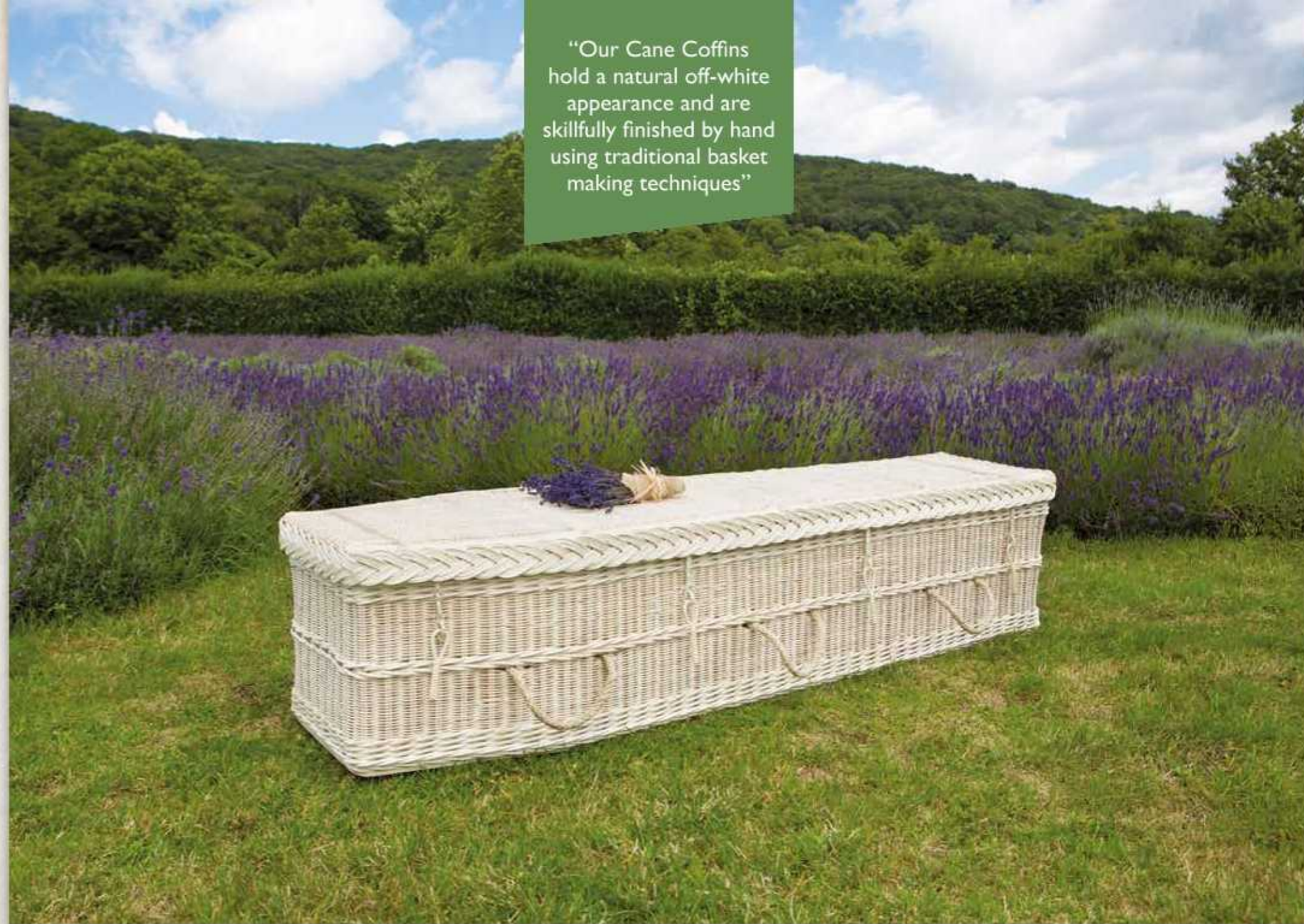
Matching oblong ashes casket and round ashes urn



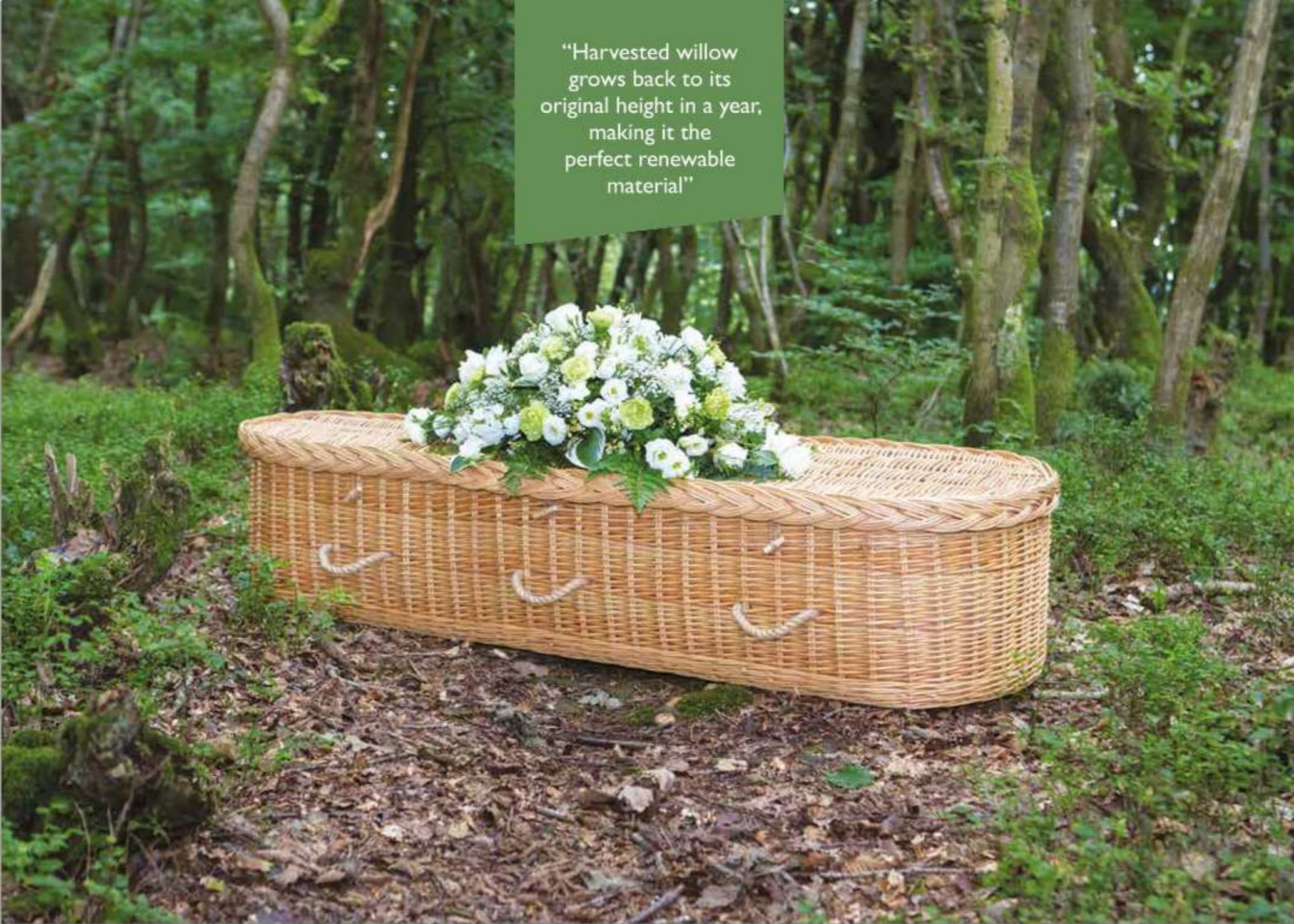
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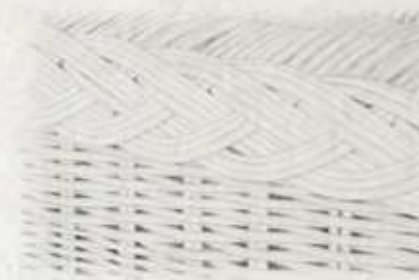
“Harvested willow grows back to its original height in a year, making it the perfect renewable material”



Close up showing rope handle

## Willow Coffins

Our Willow Coffins have a slightly pink and golden look, they are hand worked by traditional basket weavers using age old methods that have changed very little in over 2000 years. Willow is by far the ultimate in environmental recycling, willow is grown in rows of bushes and once harvested can generate back to the same height within a year. Willow has been known to grow up to 3 metres tall annually and has the ability to degrade much more quickly than conventional hardwood.



Close up showing traditional plait



Curved end Willow Coffin with rope handles

Traditional shaped Willow Coffin with rope handles

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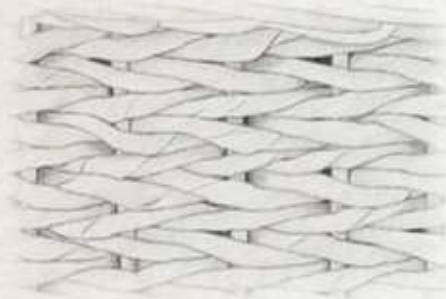
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# Banana Leaf Coffins

Attractive yarns of golden leaf from the banana plant are twisted and woven into two dexterous shapes to form this soft and comforting range. Being the by-product of banana farming, the leaf of the banana plant is in plentiful supply and is readily available for weaving. The leaves would otherwise be disposed of making this natural cycle renewable and good for the local environment.



Close up showing banana leaf weave



Close up showing secure closure



Curved end Banana Leaf Coffin with rope handles

Traditional shaped Banana Leaf Coffin with rope handles

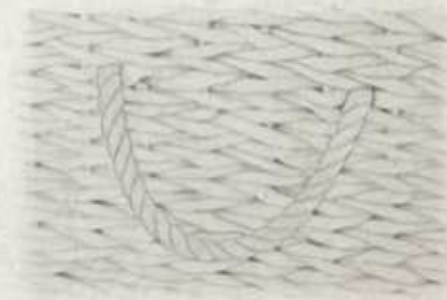
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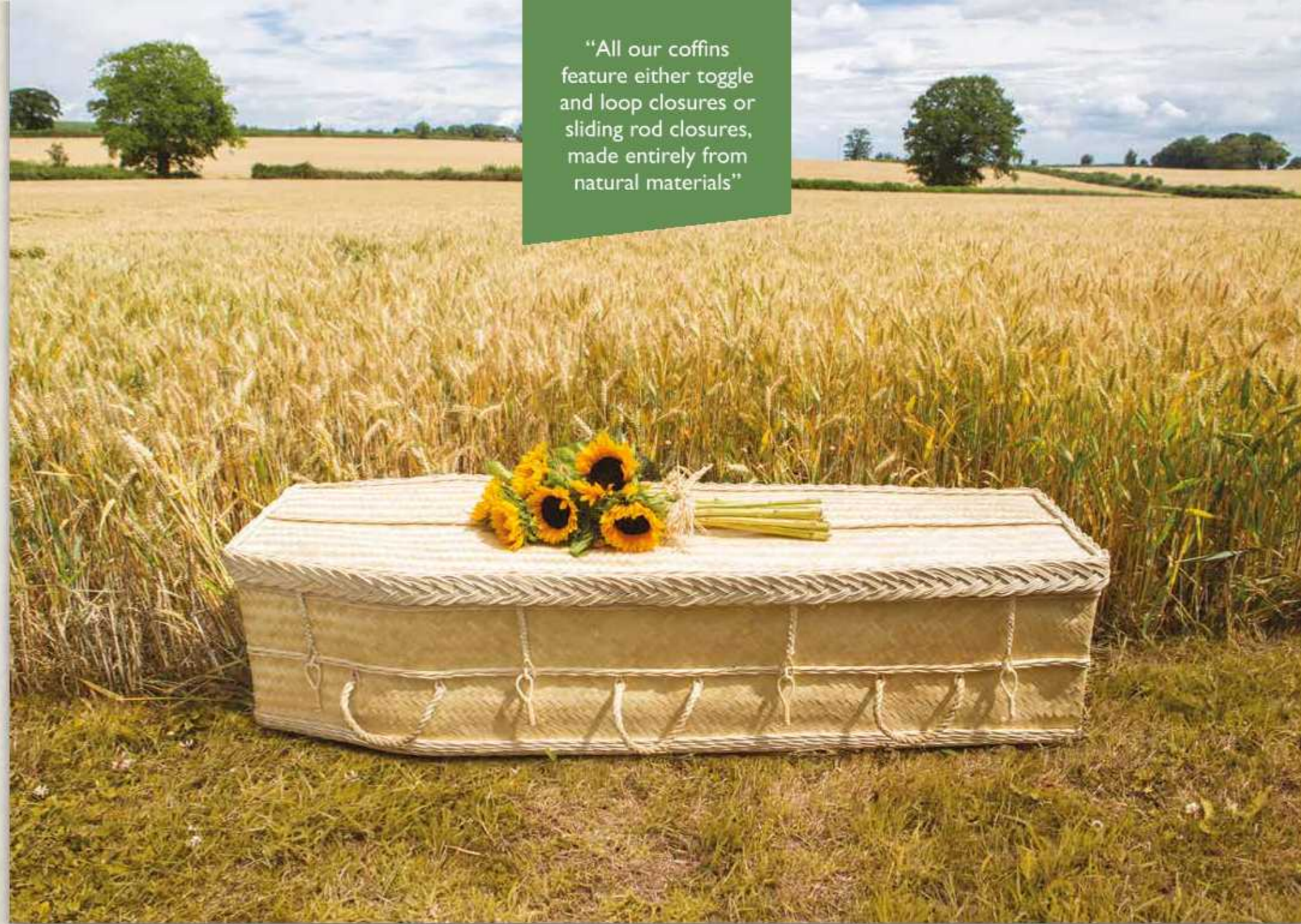
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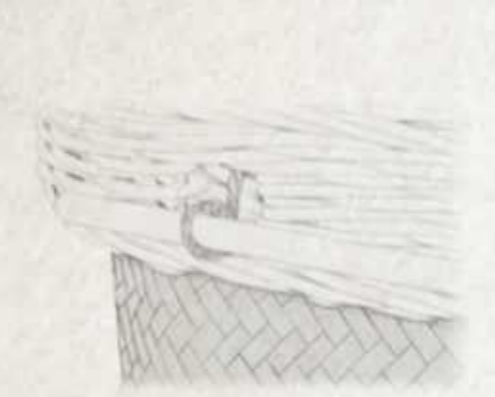




"All our coffins feature either toggle and loop closures or sliding rod closures, made entirely from natural materials"

## Bamboo Coffins

Our Bamboo Coffins are meticulously handmade using fine strips of dried bamboo. The bamboo weave is interlaced to form an attractive wicker matt that is then woven around a strong natural frame. Bamboo is one of the fastest growing plants on Earth and has been known to grow to one meter within a day.



Close up showing secure closure



Close up showing traditional plait

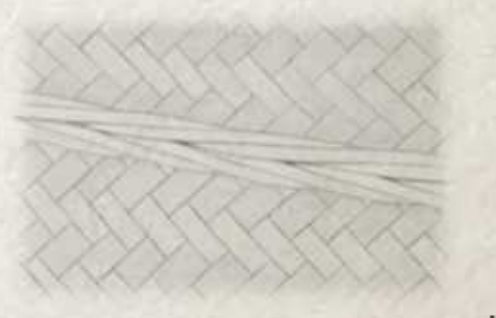
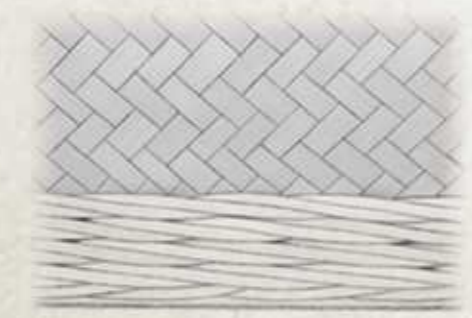


Curved end Bamboo Coffin with rope handles

Traditional shaped Bamboo Coffin with rope handles

Close up showing foot

Close up showing bamboo weave



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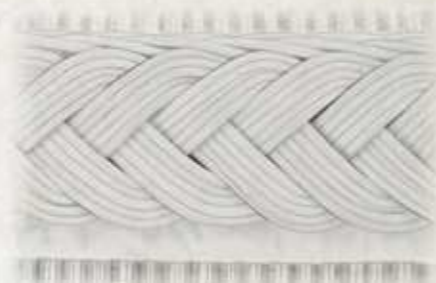




Close up coco stick weave

## Coco Stick Coffins

The Coco Stick coffin is made from the stem of the coconut palm leaf, which is a fast growing by-product of the coconut tree. The coconut palm leaves are dried out, stems removed, leaving tiny sticks. These sticks are then strung together to create our Coco Stick coffins cultural and desirable colour combination.



Close up showing traditional plait



Close up showing toggle closure



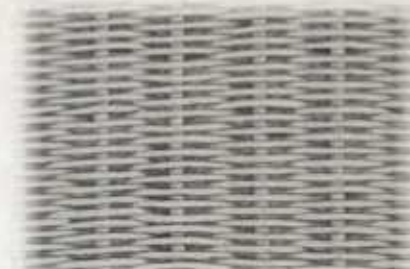
Close up showing handle

Matching Coco Stick ashes casket

The coffin is available in the traditional shape (square) tapering from end to end and available in a range of finished sizes with natural rope handles and fully fitted with natural linings, pillow and covers.

## Loom Coffins

Our Loom coffins are made from natural paper which has been spun into long yarns and woven around a substantial cane frame. The Loom coffins are light brown in appearance with cream coloured cane implemented into the design and fastened closed with plaited loops and toggles.



Close up showing loom weave

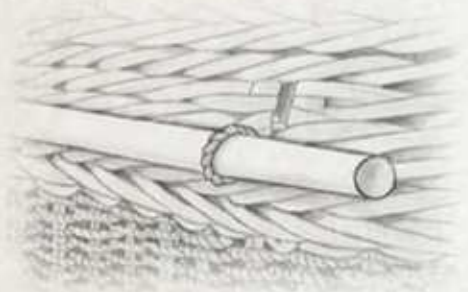


Close up showing coffin foot

Matching Loom ashes casket

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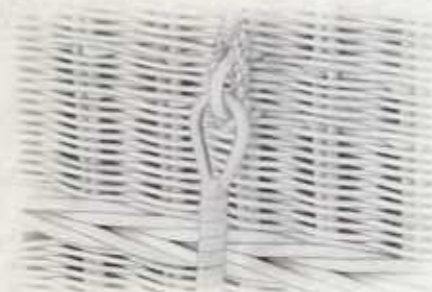
Close up showing secure closure

## Child's Caskets

Our Children's Caskets are carefully handcrafted in Seagrass, Banana Leaf or Cane. Available in the curved shape (rounded end) tapering from end to end, and available in a range of finished sizes with natural rope handles and fully fitted with natural linings, pillow and covers.



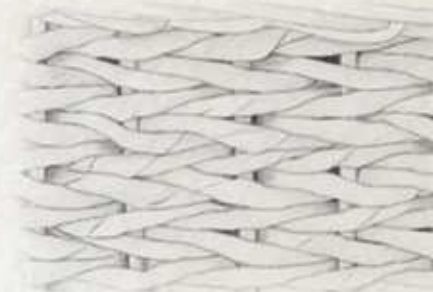
Close up showing rope handle



Close up showing toggle closure

## Baby Caskets

Our Babies Caskets are gently handmade in either Seagrass, Banana Leaf or Cane. Rounded at both ends with straight sides and available in a range of sensitive sizes. Plaited loops and toggles and fully fitted with natural linings, pillow and covers as standard.



Close up showing banana weave



Cane Child Casket

Seagrass Child Casket

Banana Leaf Child Casket



Cane Baby Casket

Seagrass Baby Casket

Banana Leaf Baby Casket

Our children's caskets have the option of being finished with an oak engraved child's nameplate, which is much smaller and more suited to our children's caskets. In addition we can also provide smaller ashes caskets to match in Seagrass, Banana Leaf and Cane, each fitted with a drawstring cotton bag.

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# Colours Range

Our Colours Range features a choice of hand-painted options to provide a truly personal tribute. Select from our traditional shape (square ends) or curved shape (rounded ends) and select one for the coffin from 17 painted finishes.



The coffins are available in a range of finished sizes with natural rope handles and fully fitted with natural linings, pillow and covers.

Coffins from our unique colours range can be delivered within 72 hours despite being completely bespoke.



# Memories

Our coffins can be decorated with personalised messages which can then be hand tied onto your chosen coffin. The message could be anything from a cherished memory and shared experience to an expressed feeling or funny moment. Each message is individually inscribed onto a small wooden heart or circle, they are finished with natural cord and supplied in packs of four. Once received, they can then be placed onto the coffin by the family or if you wish the funeral director can help you do this.

You can choose between circle or heart shapes, both come finished in packs of four.



Each memory can hold up to four lines of text; each line can hold up to 13 characters. We use the 'Vijaya' font for all our engraving.



We recommend about four to six memories each side of your natural coffin, however you could include many more at your own discretion if you wished to. The memories shown in the image have been carefully tied to the plait of the lid. They could also be placed onto the handles or directly onto the weave of the coffin.

Cherished memories can be added to complement the look of your coffin.



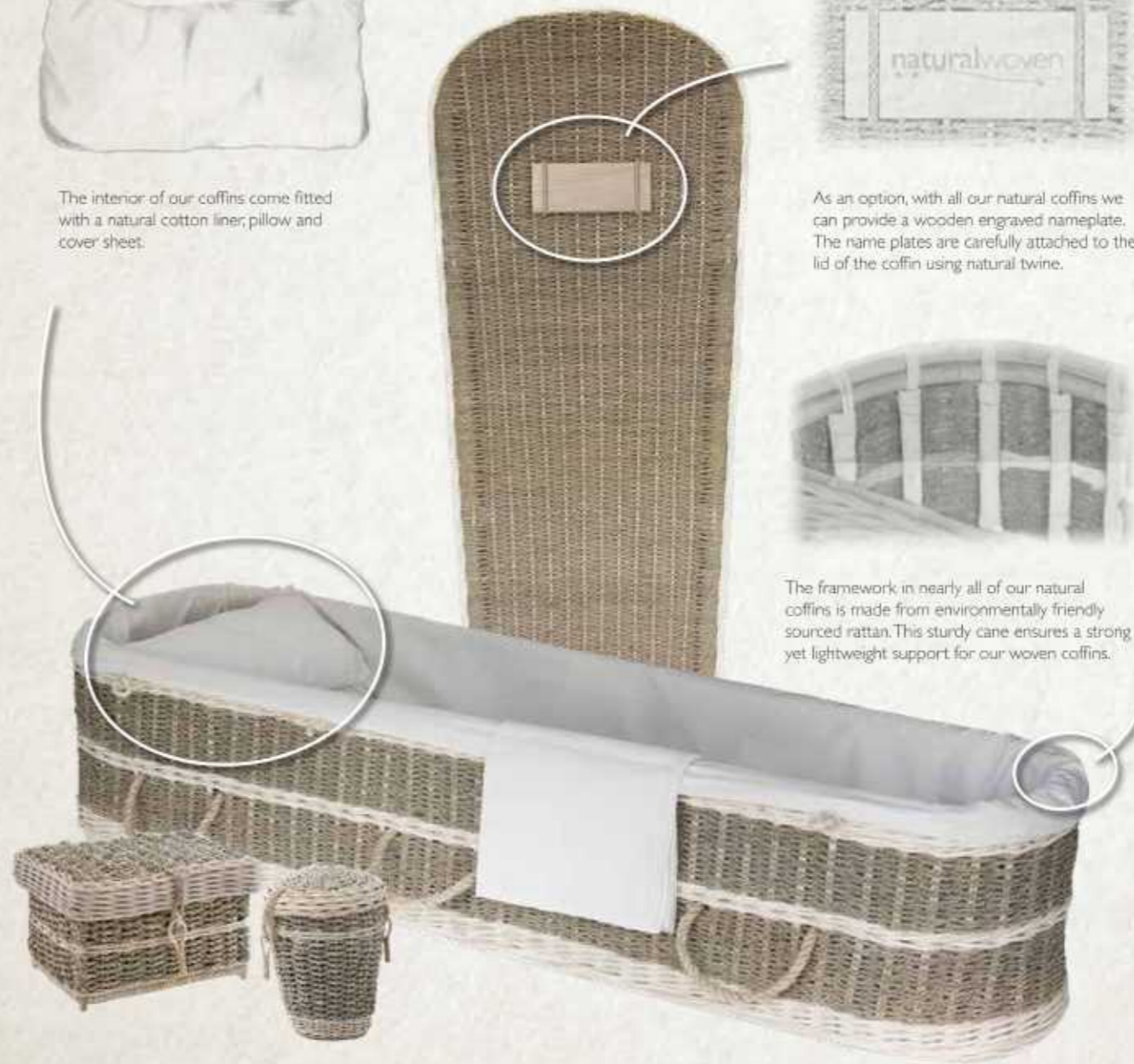
The interior of our coffins come fitted with a natural cotton liner, pillow and cover sheet.



As an option, with all our natural coffins we can provide a wooden engraved nameplate. The name plates are carefully attached to the lid of the coffin using natural twine.



The framework in nearly all of our natural coffins is made from environmentally friendly sourced rattan. This sturdy cane ensures a strong yet lightweight support for our woven coffins.



The limitations of the printing process mean we cannot guarantee that the colours shown in photographs will exactly match the final products. The floral arrangements shown throughout this brochure are not included.

*We're here when you need us*

You can rely on customer service at **Natural Woven Coffins**

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