

# PUSHING UP THE DAISIES - WEB RESOURCES

## Highly Recommended Inspiration

Pushing Up the Daisies [Youtube Channel](#) for inspiring personal stories.

Article about the [tradition in the Netherlands](#), where people routinely spend some time at home after their death.

A conversation with Sarah Kerr of the [Centre for Sacred Deathcare](#) on [The Healing Power of Funerals](#)

Stories of [spending time with a loved one after death](#) in a Guardian newspaper article.

Story of [keeping a child's body at home for 3 weeks](#) on BBC News.

Marie-Louise Mair explores the [tradition of keening for the dead in Ireland](#) on BBC Sounds.

The [More to Death magazine](#) from [The Natural Death Centre](#)

## Body Care Information

[Body Care Basics video](#) and [Body Care and Cooling Techniques](#) from the US National Home Funeral Association (we do not recommend using dry ice)

[Instructional Videos](#) and [downloadable guidance](#) from CINDEA, the Canadian death education network

## Other Videos

[Dig it yourself Natural Burial](#) – home video made by a woman who arranged her mother's burial by herself

[Home Funerals in US](#) on the Sacred Crossings website

Stephen Jenkinson [The Meaning of Death](#) , also check out his other videos

A great range of [TED talks](#) on all sorts of subjects related to death.

[A Day in the Life of an Embalmer](#) -we do not recommend embalming in normal circumstances – this is an insight into a different perspective.

## Press Coverage

Lots of articles about death and dying in [The Guardian](#)

US article [Are Death and Birth More Alike Than We Think?](#)

Story of [a husband's response to his wife's death](#) which went viral on Facebook.

## Supplies

Guardian Article about [Eco Friendly options](#)

Examples of simple options for cooling – [Gel Packs](#), [Cool Cubes](#), [Picnic Blocks](#), [Techni-Ice](#)

[Cooling Blankets](#) (expensive), sometimes available to borrow from hospices

[Willow coffins, urns and wool shrouds](#) Made in Scotland!

All sorts of [coffins/shrouds/urn suppliers](#) on the Natural Death Centre website

[Bamboo shrouds](#) (licensed for cremation in UK)

[Fly Screen](#) - simple solution so you can keep the window open and stop flies coming in.

## Some Other Interesting Information

Information on [body decomposition](#) (graphic)

Information on [different cultural and religious traditions around the world](#)

[The Corpse Project](#) research on the history and future of the corpse.

Death & The Maidens consider [Why women are working with death](#)

[Type of eye caps](#) funeral directors often use to keep eyes closed, and other products eg embalming fluids

Article about [death fears](#)

## Funeral Options

Start at [The Good Funeral Guide](#) and [The Natural Death Centre](#) to find out the options

[Which](#) also have helpful Funeral arranging information

Helpful explanations of what you need to do, especially for [planning affordable funerals](#)

## On the lighter side

[New Zealand coffin club](#) – sure to make you smile

[What happens when you die?](#) Kids explain

"[Billy Connolly's Big Send Off](#)" an excerpt of Billy's investigations in the US

Videos by Caitlin Doughty for [The Order of the Good Death](#)