

"When I spoke to Jackie I knew she was perfect.
She met with us to get to know dad.

We had ideas she helped weave into a beautiful ceremony celebrating his life and she added her own twist, which we loved.

Without exception, everyone commented on how amazing and beautiful the ceremony was."

– Rebecca, Appin NSW

"Jackie arranged and ran the funeral service for my mother-in-law and she was so impressive;

I would recommend her to anyone.

She spoke beautifully and really made sure she did her homework on what Grace was like, what she wanted and what the family and friends needed.

Absolutely superb.

My own mum commented later what a lovely service it was, and that she'd like Jackie to officiate at her own funeral."

– Debbie, Blue Mountains NSW

"I first met Jackie when she was the Interfaith Minister at my friend's funeral.

I was moved by her kindness and the way she spoke to everyone on a personal level.

I later booked Jackie for my daughter's wedding and what a wonderful celebration of love she created. Jackie is an insightful writer and a great speaker.

I highly recommend her."

– Lori, South Coast NSW



ABOUT US

Jackie's Funerals is a full-service, independent Funeral Director passionate about providing **affordable, authentic, and meaningful services** for everyone.

We are located in Wollongong and service Sydney, the Southern Highlands, the Illawarra, South Coast of NSW, or further and online if required.

We are a member of the Picaluna Professional Funeral Network, which is committed to offering **funerals with no hidden costs**.

Funeral Director Jackie Bailey leads Jackie's Funerals with a rich blend of experience, knowledge, and compassion.

Jackie holds a PhD, Masters of Theology and Cert IV Celebrancy.

She is one of the only **Ordained Interfaith Ministers and Civil Celebrants** in Australia, making her uniquely qualified to work with people from all non-faith and faith backgrounds.

CONTACT US

Contact us for a free and friendly chat about how we can help you.

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How I Want To Be Treated When I Am No Longer Conscious

When we near the end of our lives, we often slip in and out of consciousness. This questionnaire is designed to help you tell people your wishes for how you would like to be treated at these times.



by

Jackie Bailey

Funeral Director & Interfaith Minister

WHEN I AM NO LONGER CONSCIOUS

When I am not conscious, I would like:	ALL OF THE TIME	SOME OF THE TIME	NONE OF THE TIME
To be left alone:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
To have silence:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
To have music playing:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What music would you like to have playing?

When I am not conscious, I would like:	ALL OF THE TIME	SOME OF THE TIME	NONE OF THE TIME
To have people around me:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Have someone sleep in the room:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
To go outside in nature:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Have flowers/ plants inside:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Is there anyone specifically whom you would like with you?

Is there anyone specifically whom you would not like with you?

When I am not conscious, I would like:	ALL OF THE TIME	SOME OF THE TIME	NONE OF THE TIME
To be touched or massaged:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Aromatherapy or scents in the air:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What types of touch or smells would you like?

Are there types of touch or smells you don't like?



WHEN I AM ABOUT TO DIE

When I am about to die, I would like:	YES	NO
To see a religious chaplain or minister:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
To see a non-religious chaplain or minister:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I do not want to see a chaplain or minister:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What is your preference for their background?

For example: I want to see a Christian / Muslim / Buddhist / Interfaith or Non-Religious Minister.

Is there anything specific you would like them to do, or not do?
For example: I want them to say a prayer for me; I want them to give me a blessing; I don't want them to talk about God, etc.

AFTER I HAVE DIED

After I have died, if it is possible:	YES	NO
Please open a window or open the curtains:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Please sit with my body for a few minutes:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you have any other preferences for the time immediately after your body has died?

For example: a particular prayer to be said; someone to hold my hand; put make-up on me; make sure my body is clean before other members of my family/friends see my body.

RESOURCES

Please note that this is not a legal document. We recommend you give it to your carer or a loved one so they know your wishes.

You can find a range of resources for preparing for a peaceful end-of-life, including Government documents, on our website or feel free to contact us for a friendly chat.

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