



2023 - 2024 ANNUAL REPORT

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Reg Charity No: 1194024

ABOUT US

Losing a loved one is very difficult and emotionally challenging for any human being. To add to that, organising a funeral within a limited amount of time can be even more stressful. Most people are fortunate to have friends and family who will emotionally and financially support them through this process; helping to give their loved one a dignified burial.

However, the average cost of a funeral is approximately £4,000, which is a substantial amount of money to gather within a short amount of time.

Unfortunately, there are many people out there within our community, who do not have family and friends that are able to support them during bereavement.



We aspire to financially support funeral costs of those who are unable to do so, whilst protecting the dignity of the deceased and their family.



We will only make payments directly to Funeral Services/Cemetery and the amount of payment depends on each individual case and the charity's financial situation.

**Ease Muslim
Funeral Support was
founded in 2020 with
the noble mission of
helping struggling
Muslim families across
the North West to
bury their loved
ones.**

HOW IT WORKS?

01

Referral

Make a referral on our website.

02

Response

We will contact you within 24 hours via SMS to confirm referral has been received.

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Verification

Contact will be made by an Ease representative to the funeral director for confirmation.

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Confirmation

Further contact will be made to the referee to confirm whether Ease will support.

05

Anonymous Appeal

An anonymised appeal may be launched to Ease supporters.

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Notification

Referrer will be informed of how much of the cost will be covered by Ease.

07

Payment

Payment will be made directly to the Funeral Service/Cemetery within 14 days.

08

Case Closure

Final contact will be made with referrer to confirm payment.



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**Whoever brings ease to
the one who is in
difficulty, Allāh will bring
him ease in this world
and in the Hereafter.**

Sahih Muslim

OUR WORK SO FAR



Ease launched on 1st April 2020

After months of planning, Ease was officially launched on the 1st April 2020. Within weeks of launching we had our first referral and managed to raise over £5,000 within 24 hours of launching an appeal. Ease was also formally a registered charity.



34 funerals supported in 4 years

Alhamdulillah, we have supported 34 funerals since our launch.

We have paid out a total of £84,910.13 and all payments have been made directly to the Funeral Services/Cemetery.



Gift Aid Registration & Claim

Alhamdulillah, during this financial year we were able to successfully register with HMRC for Gift Aid. In total we were able to claim back £4,383.97 which will go a long way in helping us sustain the charity and funding its administration expenses.

£84,910.13

Total payments made in the last 4 years



34 FUNERALS SUPPORTED



“Thank you for helping fund the funeral of my husband, I really had no other means to cover this cost.

May Allah grant him Jannah and abundantly reward everyone who helped, Ameen.”

Case 30 Feedback



FINANCIAL SUMMARY

1st April 2023 - 31st March 2024

INCOME	SUPPORT FUND	ADMIN FUND
CARD	£24,946.18	£0.00
STANDING ORDERS	£1,034.50	£36.00
BANK TRANSFER	£1,776.00	£5,701.97
CASH / CHEQUE	£7,417.48	£858.35
TOTAL INCOME	£35,174.16	£6,596.32
BALANCE CARRIED OVER	£8,817.46	£761.83

EXPENDITURE	SUPPORT FUND	ADMIN FUND
FUNERAL SUPPORT	£42,569.13	
SUBSCRIPTIONS		£490.65
WEBSITE & MARKETING		£1,319.95
EQUIPMENT		£283.34
PROFESSIONAL FEES		£300.00
CURRENT BALANCE	£1,422.49	£4,964.21

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OUR SPONSORS

We want to thank our business sponsors for supporting Ease. They are crucial in helping us fund our running costs. Their support is greatly appreciated and we pray that Allah places more barakah in their work.



HOW TO MAKE A REFERRAL

If you or someone you know in the North West, is in need of financial assistance to bury a loved one, Ease is here to help.

You can make a referral by simply completing a form on our website.

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