

## Typical structure of a Humanist Cremation Ceremony

<b>Cortege</b>	Detailed with Funeral Director
<b>Entry sequence</b>	To be discussed during family visit
<b>Music 1 2 &amp; 3</b>	To accompany arrival of family, friends, colleagues {up to 10 mins duration}
<b>Music 4</b>	All Stand > The coffin is brought in. Music fades out.
<b>A .</b>	Words of introduction and welcome, includes brief intro to what is the essence of a humanist funeral.
<b>B .</b>	Some thoughts on life and death. The significance of that from a non- religious standpoint.
<b>Music 5 (option)</b>	{3 mins max - placed to suit script}
<b>C.</b>	The tribute to the life of the deceased - can include a family member or a.n.other's presentation of prose or poetry if appropriate
<b>D. Music 6</b>	The Committal
<b>E.</b>	The closing words , special mentions & thanks and any announcements, incl donations to medical charities or other institutions, reception venue etc
<b>Music 7 &amp; 8</b>	All Stand > family & gathering exit {8 mins duration}