

**REGULATIONS FOR GRAVESTONES AND MEMORIALS
GREAT SOMERFORD INCORPORATING STARTLEY CEMETERY
Clerk to the Parish Council: Kay Harford 01249 721431**

A formal application should be made to the Cemetery Officer representing the Great Somerford incorporating Startley Parish Council which is acting as the Burial Authority for the Parish of Great Somerford incorporating Startley under the Cemeteries Order 1977 for permission to erect a headstone or other memorial (including vases). A right to the grave is granted for a period of 75 years and is subject to the following regulations

Burial Plots.

1. Headstones should be
 - a. no higher than 900mm (3ft) and no thicker than 100mm (4")
 - b. made from natural stone
 - c. installed in full compliance with the current version of the NAMM Code of Practice (National Association of Master Masons) and BS8415

2. No kerbing, gravel, chippings or any type of edging should be used to mark the boundary of the grave

3. No sculptures allowed.

Garden of Remembrance

The memorial tablets must be 12 " x 12" x 2" deep – with an optional flower rose

NB The upkeep of memorials is the responsibility of the family of the deceased in the first instance.

Cemetery Officer: Melvyn Hourigan 07770 945875 01249 721239

If unavailable: Fiona Rivers 07704 855359