



# Dying Matters

## Celebrating the Day of the Dead: Remembering those who have died

Dying  
Matters

*Let's talk  
about it*

**Monday 3rd November 2014**  
**13:00-17:25, followed by Mexican**  
**food and drinks**  
Beveridge Hall, Senate House,  
Malet Street, London WC1E 7HU

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# Programme

**13:30 Registration, refreshments and exhibition stands**

**14:00 Chair's introduction**

## **Remembrance: learning from history and different cultures**

**14:10 Learning from the Mexican Day of the Dead**

Chloë Sayer, independent scholar: lecturer, curator, and author of numerous books about Mexican popular culture and the Day of the Dead

**14:25 British views around dying, death and bereavement: A historical context**

Prof Douglas Davies, Director Centre for Death and Life Studies, Professor in the Study of Religion, Durham University

**14:45 Dying Matters Bereavement campaign**

Claire Henry MBE, Chief Executive, The National Council for Palliative Care (NCPC) & the Dying Matters Coalition

Debbie Kerslake, Chief Executive, Cruse Bereavement Care

Jane Harris, NCPC People in Partnership Group & Trustee, The Compassionate Friends

**15:10 Q&A**

Chloe Sayer, Prof Douglas Davies, Claire Henry MBE, Debbie Kerslake & Jane Harris

**15:20 Refreshments and a chance to visit the exhibitions**

View the artwork and displays and place a photo of a lost loved one on the altar (please note photos cannot be returned so please bring a copy).

## **Dying Matters Members – How we are remembering people**

**15:50 Chair's welcome back**

Claire Henry MBE

**16:00 To Absent Friends: A people's festival of storytelling and remembrance**

Mark Hazelwood, Chief Executive, Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care  
Including a short film from Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief

**16:15 Stocks Hall Nursing Home – What we did for Dying Matters Awareness Week 2014**

Lisa Fletcher, PR & Marketing, Stocks Hall Care Homes Ltd & Sue Gaskell, Deputy Manager/Nurse, Skelmersdale home

**16:30 St Giles Hospice: Working with schools**

Ian Leech, Community Engagement Manager, St Giles Hospice & Julia Hayburn, Assistant Head Teacher & Director of Student Support at Stephen Sutton's former school, Chase Terrace Technology College

**16:50 Online Digital Legacy**

James Norris, CEO, DeadSocial

**17:05 Q&A**

Mark Hazelwood, Lisa Fletcher, Sue Gaskell, Ian Leech & James Norris

**17:15 Chair's Closing Remarks**

**17:25 Celebrating the Day of the Dead**

Please join us for Mexican food, drinks and music

**19:00 Close**

**Dying Matters would like to thank the Institute of Latin American Studies for kindly donating the venue for this event**

# Celebrating the Day of the Dead

**Delegate rate - £50.00 including reception with Mexican food and drinks**

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# Venue information



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