

# Queen begins final journey through Scotland

## THE QUEEN'S FINAL ROUTE THROUGH SCOTLAND

The late monarch's coffin will pass through towns and villages in Royal Deeside before heading into Aberdeen and south to Edinburgh



Queen Elizabeth II's coffin on Sunday left the Scottish retreat where she died as the late monarch embarked on her final journey with thousands of her mourning subjects expected to line the route.

The coffin left Balmoral Castle shortly after 10 a.m. (5 a.m. ET) on Sunday, before passing through several villages and the cities of Aberdeen and Dundee.

Later, it will make its way down the Royal Mile in Edinburgh before being taken to the Palace of Holyroodhouse, the official residence of the British monarch in Scotland.

## Queen Elizabeth II's cortege arrives to huge crowds in Edinburgh

Queen Elizabeth II's cortege has arrived in Edinburgh following a six-hour journey from Balmoral.

Mourners lined the streets as the hearse travelled from Aberdeenshire to the Palace of Holyroodhouse, where her coffin will rest overnight.

Her coffin will then lie under vigil in Edinburgh's St Giles' Cathedral on Monday before heading to London ahead of her funeral on Monday 19 September.

Crowds have also gathered to hear King Charles III proclaimed across the UK.

He will travel up to Scotland on Monday and will be joined by members of the Royal Family as he accompanies his mother's coffin to the cathedral in the Scottish city.

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