

## **HOW A JEWELLERS APPRAISAL & VALUATION CAN HELP YOU!**

Thinking about a possible theft or loss of your favourite jewellery is hardly pleasant, but the possibility cannot be ignored. An up-to-date professional valuation will at least maximise the chance of a reasonable replacement, should the worse happen. In theory anyone can carry out a valuation, however a professional jewellery valuation that provides a comprehensive and accurate identification, a description of each piece with a well reasoned opinion of value requires considerable expertise.

We at Flitwick Jewellers can offer our experience to you. We are proud to be elected as Members of the National Association of Jewellers who lay down a best practise code for jewellery valuations. Our staff are highly qualified and trained to deal with all matters relating to jewellery.

We can provide you with a professional, accurate and illustrated report of your jewellery, which will give your insurance company evidence of ownership and its value as of this date. It can maximise the possibility of recovery in the sad event of its loss and provide you with a detailed catalogue of your most treasured possessions.

**The Valuation Fees for insurance, probate, family division, division of assets & sale between parties are:**

**First item £95.00, then £65.00 per item.**

**Any item over £10,000 in value will be charged at £25 per £1000.**

**Any items under £500 will not be valued. However, if you would like an itemised list of these then please ask as this can be done for a small fee.**

Any highly complex item which may involve additional research will need to be quoted before under-taking. Laboratory fees will be charged as additional fees required.

For probate: on occasion similar simple items may be grouped and charged as one at the valuers discretion, for example 3 plain polished wedding rings, or two plain polished chains.