



GOLETA CEMETERY DISTRICT

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District Rules & Regulations Regarding Niche Inurnments

- * District Office hours are 8:00 am to 4:30 pm; Monday through Friday.
- * Cemetery grounds will be open Monday - Friday at 7:00 am, closing at 5:00 pm, and open Weekends & Holidays at 8:00 am, closing at 5:00 pm, during Pacific Standard Time.

Cemetery grounds will be open Monday - Friday at 7:00 am, closing at 5:30 pm, and open Weekends & Holidays at 8:00 am, closing at 5:30 pm, during Daylight Savings Time.
- * All visitors are expected to conduct themselves and their activities in a manner appropriate for a cemetery, as determined by the cemetery authority.
- * No alcoholic beverages are permitted on cemetery grounds.
- * Smoking (of any kind) is prohibited on cemetery property.
- * No commercial or student photography of any kind will be permitted.
- * The Goleta Cemetery District requests that the recreational flying of drones does not take place over cemetery grounds.
- * Pets must be on a leash and under control at all times. Pets, other than service animals, are not permitted on the grass; they are only allowed on paved areas. Waste is to be picked up and properly disposed.
- * **All** items left on the grounds will be picked up and removed by grounds staff on Wednesday mornings.

Inurnments (Burials)

- * Inurnment services at the niche site are to begin no earlier than 9:00 am and conclude with the niche available for closing no later than 3:30 pm; Monday through Friday. No services on Saturday or Sunday. No services on designated holidays.
- * Inurnment Order and Authorization documents must be completed fully and signed by appropriate next of kin/designee at least 24 hours prior to time of service, in addition to receipt of payment in full.
- * No more than two sets of cremated remains in a single niche, and two urns can only be inurned in the same niche, at the same time. Niches will not be reopened for a second urn. Niches are approximately 9.5 inches square. Urns are not to be opened on cemetery grounds.

Please Note:

- * Niches at the Veteran's Memorial Monument (near the flag pole) are reserved for veterans and their spouse.
- * Niches in 5 South are for all who qualify for interment in our cemetery.

Memorial Markers

- * Memorial markers (niche plates) are to be identical in size, shape, color and material as the acceptable marker for the particular niche feature displayed in the District office.
- * No items other than the memorial marker (niche plate) may be affixed, either temporarily or permanently, to the niche face (shutter). Any items found so affixed will be immediately removed by staff and disposed of.

Flowers

- * Flowers are to be placed only on the concrete walkway in front of the niche feature, and not blocking or obstructing other niches. Flowers are not to be placed on top of niche feature. Flowers, or any items placed on top of niche feature will be immediately removed by staff.
- * Flowers are not to be affixed in any fashion to the niche face (shutter). Flowers so affixed will be immediately removed by staff.
- * Vases made of a material or design that would be considered by management to be unsafe and present a possible hazard to staff or visitors will be removed.
- * Food, beverages, balloons, banners, candles, lights, or any other items or objects that management considers unsafe for a cemetery, will be removed from the niches.