

Mad River Township Cemeteries Champaign County

Terre Haute Cemetery
Rt 55, In Terre Haute

Nettle Creek Cemetery
Rt. 560 & Nettle Creek Rd

Myrtle Tree Cemetery
Rt. 36 @ Myrtle Tree Baptist Church

**Township Trustee & Designated
Cemeteries**

Terre Haute & Myrtle Tree Cemeteries

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Regular Maintenance

Regular care is included in the purchase price of your lot. This includes such services as scheduled grass mowing, trimming of trees, seeding, and road maintenance. Cutting and trimming of grass is one of the largest and most costly maintenance activities of our cemeteries.

That is why we feel it necessary to establish rules and regulations to secure the proper mode of burials and decorations and preserve the beauty of the cemetery. Your assistance in helping to keep your cemeteries beautiful at all times is greatly appreciated.

Decorations

Growing season, March 15 - November 15

Planting of flowers, potted plants or bushes is prohibited. No stones or bark are permitted around the markers. The use of grave blankets, fences or anything else that would interfere with mowing is prohibited. Decorations placed on graves on special holidays during the growing season (Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day) will be removed after one week.

Memorial Day decorations will be allowed to remain for two weeks. Anyone wanting to keep decorations on longer than this time must either use a permanent vase on the marker base, or use a saddle wreath.

Winter Season, November 15 - March 15

Any decorations, such as natural or artificial wreaths, or arrangements will be permitted. All winter decorations will be removed beginning March 15th during the spring cleaning.

Visitation

Cemeteries are sacredly devoted to the burial of the dead. Visitors are permitted from dawn to dusk. All vehicles are to be parked on the drives provided.

Monument Bases

Monument bases will be installed two times a year as weather permits. Deadlines to submit new base requests are:

May 1 and October 1

All monument bases will be installed by the township.

Internment Rights & Burials

Each grave is limited to 2 burials (1 vault/casket, and the 2nd could be a cremation...or both could be cremations). All caskets are required to be placed in a burial vault. If a 2nd grave marker is used at the foot of the grave, it needs to be flush with the ground.

No Sunday Burials

Schedule of Charges

Burial Lots to be sold for \$400 per grave site	
Mon - Sat opening and closing	\$600
Infant Burial	\$100
Cremation Burial	\$100
Marker Bases .50 per square inch/min	\$100
Corner Markers	each \$20
Deed Transfers	\$20
Disinterment	\$2,000
Military Marker Base	\$60

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