



Additional Rights of Interment

The Situation

With the growth in preference for cremation, many families have asked to inter cremated remains on top of existing graves in order to conserve burial space on the family lot for future use by other family members.

Our Response

Woodland will now allow up to three burials in one grave space: one full size and two cremation burials. Three cremation burials are not permitted in one grave space due to size constraints. A cremation grave is determined to be 3'x4' or ½ the size of a full size grave space. Cremated remains may not be interred in the shrub or flower space near the monument. Burials must occur within the designated grave space. Per existing requirements, all cremated remains must be placed inside an urn vault when earth burial is desired.

Casket Burials on Lots Currently Occupied by Cremated Remains

In the event that a family wishes to bury a casket on a lot where cremated remains are currently buried, Woodland will remove the cremated remains from the lot and prepare the site for burial without a charge for disinterment. The casket will be placed in the grave and the cremated remains are to be placed on top of the burial vault. If the cremated remains were buried prior to Woodland requiring urn vaults, the urn or temporary container will be reinterred in an urn vault provided by Woodland Cemetery.

Monumentation Requirements

On monumental, slant, or bevel spaces, there is to be only one monument, slant or bevel. Additional burials may be marked with flush markers only. A maximum of three memorials per grave is permitted. In the case of flush spaces, all three markers are to be flush. Lookout Terrace has a maximum of 2 memorials per space.

Burial Rights vs. Burial Space Ownership

Woodland Cemetery sells burial rights and the cemetery continues to own the land. Our sales contracts and deeds tell explicitly how many burial rights have been purchased. If someone wants additional burial rights on the lot other than what has been specified on the sales contract or deed they must pay a fee for each additional right. Additional interment rights can be purchased on a pre-need or at-need basis.

The Fee

For each additional right of burial on a lot, a charge of 50% of the **current** value of the grave space, up to a maximum of \$1,500 will be assessed. This does not include applicable opening and closing fees, overtime fees, documentation or records fees, ect. This is just for the 2nd or 3rd right of interment.

Advantages of This Option

1. The family increases the number of interments on a lot and family members may be together.
2. The family member saves 50% of the cost of another space.
3. Woodland increases the life of the cemetery by conserving space.
4. Woodland adds more funds to the Perpetual Care Fund for cemetery maintenance.



Mausoleum Crypts

Second and third rights of interment may also be purchased in crypts located in our Community Mausoleum when space permits for 50% of the **current** crypt price each, up to a maximum of \$3,000 and will include the cost of the name and final date lettering on the crypt. A maximum of four names may be placed on a crypt front.

Private mausoleums are \$3,000 per second and third interment right after the first interment right is used. Opening and closing, overtime, ect. are additional. Each crypt in a private mausoleum may have 2 additional rights.

The space within a crypt is extremely limited. Special size and shapes of urns may be required and certain urns may be prohibited.

All of the above is contingent on there being enough space to accommodate the additional interments. Topography, oversize containers, and other elements sometimes prohibit additional interments.