



City of Geneva Cemetery Information

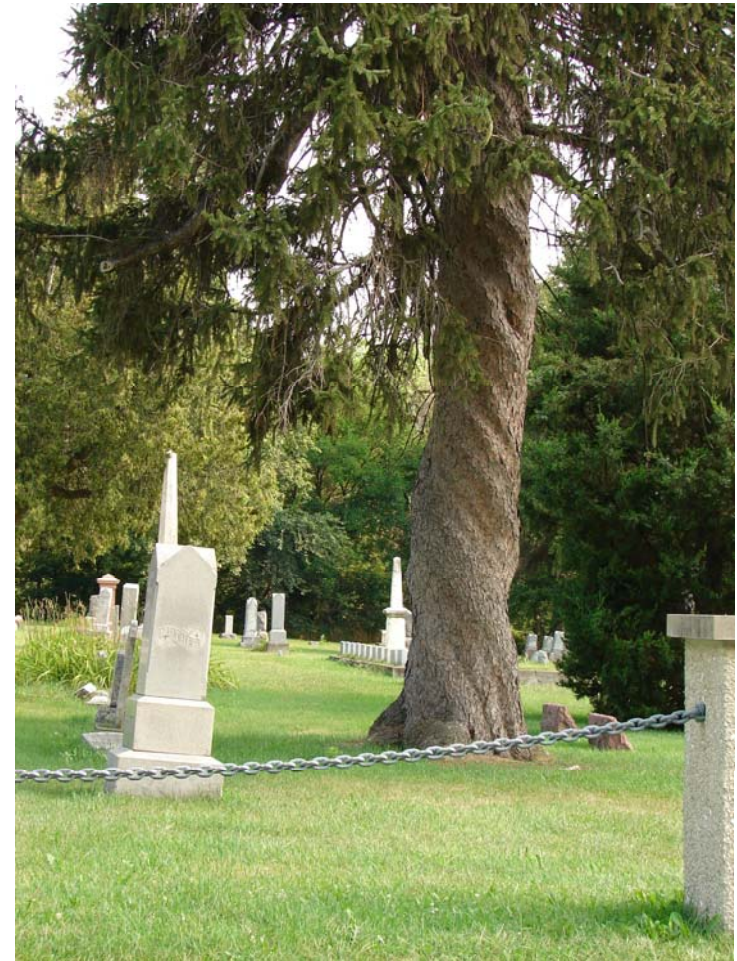
Care of Lots

- Lot owners are not permitted to trim or remove any tree or shrub even if on his lot; the care of all growing things being exclusively in control of the management.
- No shrub, trees, or flower shall be planted on any cemetery lot.
- It is requested that the lot owners cooperate in keeping graves looking orderly and that whatever is placed on graves (except immediately after burials) be limited in number and placed as to not be blown over by wind.
- Permanent blankets and wreaths will be permitted in the winter months only, after which time they will be removed by the City.

Additional Regulations for Oak Hill

- Flowers must be placed in durable receptacles embedded in the earth that do not exceed in height beyond ground level.
- Hedges, fences, wooden or iron markers, chairs or settees, boxes and vases or urns are prohibited.

Geneva Public Works
1800 South Street
Geneva, IL 60134
(630) 232-1502



Please contact the City of Geneva Public Works Department at (630)232-1502 for information regarding the West Side Cemetery and the Oak Hill Cemetery. Office hours are 7:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M., Monday through Friday. Staff is available to schedule grave openings, grave purchases and other inquiries.



The following sections are an overview of regulations pertaining to burial. Information is subject to change without notice. To get the most current regulations, contact the Geneva Public Works Department at (630) 232-1502.

To Purchase a Lot

- Contact the Geneva Public Works Department at (630) 232-1502. The City maintains a map and listing of unsold lots and the various prices for these spaces.
- The deed for the plot will not be provided until the amount is paid in full.
- Owners have the option to designate certain spaces at any time in writing.

Rates

Grave Sale (Resident*)	\$ 800.00
Grave Sale (Non-Resident)	\$1,000.00
Grave Opening	\$ 850.00
Cremains Opening	\$ 400.00
Infant Opening	\$ 400.00
Additional Fees	
Saturday Burial Fee (Grave)	\$ 250.00
Saturday Burial Fee (Cremains)	\$ 150.00

*Currently residing within municipal Geneva.



Burials

- No burial will be made without full payment of fees.
- Dates must be verified with the City 36 hours in advance.
- Burials on Sundays or Holidays are not permitted.
- Only City of Geneva representatives are allowed to open and close graves.
- An acceptable vault of concrete must be used.
- No removal of a body shall be made from one grave to another or from one cemetery to another, except upon presentation of a permit as required by law.

Markers

- Installation of markers requires a permit.
- Organizations wishing to place permanent markers at the graves of deceased member must obtain the written approval of the City of Geneva.
- The American Flag may be used only over graves of former military service members of the United States of America.
- Only one grave marker will be permitted on a grave space.
- Marker must be placed in conformance with existing markers.
- No mound will be permitted over a grave, nor will planting of any sort be allowed that will cover or outline the grave, and no coping or enclosure of the grave or lot will be permitted.