Glendale Cemetery Decoration Policy

Preserving Dignity, Beauty, and Safety

At Glendale Cemetery, we are committed to maintaining a respectful, aesthetically pleasing, and safe environment. To ensure this, we ask all visitors to follow the Decoration Policy.

Flower & Decoration Guidelines

Fresh-cut flowers are permitted year-round and will be removed once they become unsightly.

Artificial flowers outside of holiday periods must be placed in a **permanent** vase or urn:

- A vase permanently attached to an upright marker
- A cemetery-approved urn on a family lot

In-Ground Vases are considered temporary and can be used during holiday periods. Outside of holiday periods, vases are to be flush with the surrounding ground.

Grave Blankets are permitted only directly after burial. Grave blankets are not permitted once grass has been planted on grave.

Holiday Decoration Policy

Artificial flowers and decorations are permitted for the following holidays:

- Valentine's Day
- Easter
- Mother's Day
- Memorial Day
- Father's Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Christmas

Holiday decorations will be removed and discarded seven (7) days after the holiday, except for Christmas decorations, which we will begin removing on the following January 15th.

Plantings

All plantings must be approved by Glendale and will be installed by cemetery staff.

Prohibited Items

To maintain safety and beauty, loose impediments such as stones, marbles, gravel, and mulch are strictly prohibited. These items pose a risk to visitors and cemetery staff and will be removed and discarded immediately.

Additional Guidelines

- Decorations deemed in poor taste, offensive, or disruptive to the cemetery's serenity and maintenance will be removed at the discretion of cemetery staff.
- The cemetery is not responsible for the removal or disposal of decorations.
- Any decorations not explicitly addressed in this policy must be approved by Glendale Cemetery Management before placement.

Any questions regarding this policy, please visit or call the Glendale office at 330-253-2317

Thank you for helping us maintain the beauty and safety of Glendale Cemetery