



VALLEY CENTER CEMETERY DISTRICT RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. DEFINITIONS.** The following terms have these meanings:
 - a. “Board” means the Board of Trustees of the Valley Center Cemetery District.
 - b. “District” means the Valley Center Cemetery District.
 - c. “Superintendent” means the Superintendent of the Valley Center Cemetery District.
 - d. “Lot holder” means one who has purchased burial rights.

- 2. CARE OF GRAVES AND CEMETERY GROUNDS.** The control of the cemetery grounds is vested in the Board. Lot holders are entitled to privileges within the grounds that are provided in these rules and regulations, and the rules are as follows:
 - a. Admission shall be from 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.
 - b. Planting trees, shrubs or plants is NOT allowed in any part of the cemetery.
 - c. Lot holders may place United States flags with the stars and stripes measuring 12” by 6” on a support stick 16” high above the ground, and also, two unbreakable vases or pots of flowers of the same height within the confines of the grave stone.
 - d. Any other items are not permitted. Any unauthorized objects placed on a grave will be removed by the Superintendent at the direction of the Board of Trustees.
 - e. Picking flowers or disturbing growing plants on any lot other than one’s own is not allowed. All children MUST be monitored by an adult. All pets MUST be leashed.
 - f. Except in the excavation for and completion of a burial, no person will remove any earth or otherwise damage the cemetery grounds.
 - g. If any tree, shrub, plant or vine situated on any lot should become detrimental, unsightly or dangerous, the Board will authorize the pruning or removal of such tree, shrub or vine.
 - h. Burning of any combustible material within the cemetery grounds is not allowed.
 - i. No lot or grave will be defined by any architectural object, and grave markers shall be flush with the ground.
 - j. Improvements may be made to any lot or any public portion of the cemetery grounds at any time by the Board or by its authorized agents at the cost of the District.

- 3. BURIALS.** Lot holders, funeral directors and other authorized personnel will comply with the following regulations regarding burials:
 - a. All graves will be dug to a depth of at least five feet where the ground is level and any grave dug on sloping ground will be dug to a depth of five feet at the center.