



**BIRCHWOOD, OAKWOOD, ROSEWOOD, ROSEWOOD ATRIUM
MAUSOLEUM FLOWER POLICY**
Revised March 14, 2013

**THE OBJECTIVE OF THIS POLICY IS TO PERMIT FLORAL TRIBUTES
WHILE MAINTAINING ORDER, CLEANLINESS, FRESHNESS, AND DIGNITY FOR ALL
PERSONS VISITING OUR MAUSOLEUMS.**

- 1) **SILK ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS:** Only silk-like artificial flowers are allowed, and they must only be placed in vases provided by Forest Lawn. Neglected floral tributes will be removed without notice.
- 2) **DRIED OR PLASTIC FLOWERS:** Dried or plastic flowers or wreaths are not permitted, and will be removed without notice.
- 3) **LIVING PLANTS:** Living plants are allowed only during the week before and the week following Easter Sunday, Mother's Day, Memorial Day, Father's Day, and Christmas. Any living plants that remain after those specified holiday periods will be removed without notice. Living plants are not permitted other than during those specified holiday periods, and will be removed without notice.
- 4) **HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS:** Any floral arrangement with an apparent holiday theme or holiday colors, e.g. red flowers at Christmas, will be removed one week after the holiday without notice.
- 5) **OTHER ITEMS:** Photographs, decorative items and statuary are not permitted, and will be removed without notice.
- 6) **FLOORS AND SURFACES:** Nothing may be left on the floor (other than vases obtained from Forest Lawn), or taped to a crypt front or niche front. Any such items will be removed without notice.
- 7) **FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:** Only one funeral service arrangement may remain until the end of the day of the funeral.
- 8) **BI-ANNUAL CLEANUP:** Between March 1 — March 15, and October 1 – October 15 each year, all remaining floral tributes will be removed without notice. No tributes may be placed during these periods.
- 9) **FOREST LAWN ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ITEMS REMOVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ABOVE POLICY.**

QUESTIONS: If you have any questions regarding this policy, please contact the office at 885-1600. Please note that Forest Lawn offers permanent bronze flower lamps and vases for your crypt/niches, and they may be obtained by contacting the office.

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