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Glenwood Cemetery
Prices and Services

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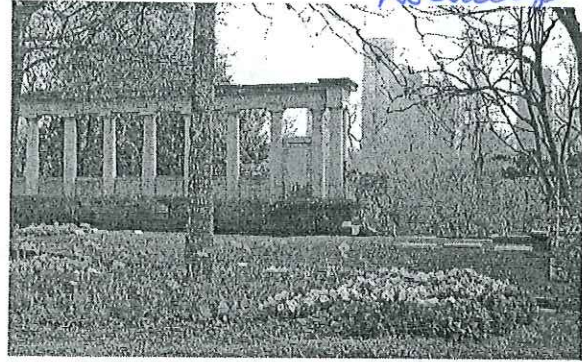
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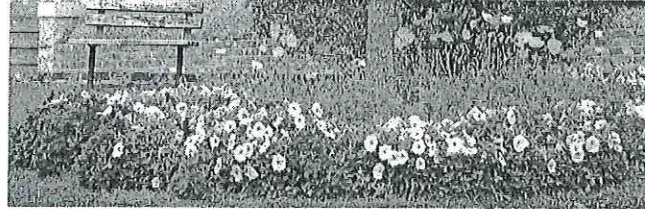
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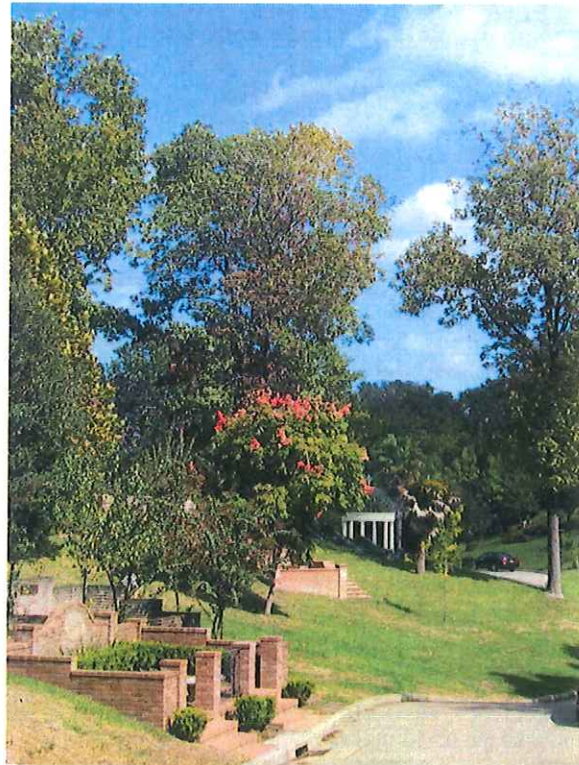
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Glenwood's distinctive belvedere (above) was a generous gift of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Strange through the Heitman Foundation.

This list reflects cumulative donations received through March 31, 2005

Historic Significance of Glenwood Cemetery

Glenwood Cemetery was established in 1871. Its historic significance derives both from its origins in the romantic rural cemetery park movement of the 19th century as well as from the accomplishments of the persons buried here, many of whom played important roles in the history of Houston and Texas and some of international influence.

Glenwood was planned and landscaped by the English-born horticulturist Alfred Whitaker, a prominent 19th-century Houston nurseryman. Glenwood shares characteristics of other romantic rural cemetery parks:

- It was established outside the city (as Houston existed in 1871).
- It was built on a site with a distinguishing natural feature. At Glenwood, Whitaker took advantage of the ravines leading to Buffalo Bayou to landscape a rolling terrain unique in Houston.
- It was landscaped in a naturalistic style with curving roads and walkways.

Newspaper accounts of the day compared Glenwood to such well-known romantic cemetery parks as Laurel Hill in Philadelphia (1836) and Green-Wood in Brooklyn (1838).

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Glenwood Cemetery and Washington Cemetery are the final resting place of many notable persons. A brochure listing some of them with a map locating their graves is available at the Glenwood office.

Lots Available

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Preservation Projects

The Glenwood Cemetery Historic Preservation Foundation (GCHPF) is currently raising funds for the following needs.

Erosion Control – Erosion along a ravine running one-third mile across the northern portion of the cemetery has claimed valuable land and threatens historic grave sites. Engineering studies have been completed, and GCHPF is working to raise \$1.5 million dollars to address this problem. The trees in the photograph below have slid 30' down the eroding bank, which is now just feet from claiming the cemetery road on the right.



Serious erosion is taking valuable land and threatening grave sites.

Master Plan – As Glenwood enters the last decades of its revenue-producing years, it becomes increasingly important to optimize development of increasingly scarce land resources to produce the greatest return while preserving the historic character of the site. GCHPF is working to raise funds for development of a Master Plan to guide Glenwood's future.

Tree and Landscape Maintenance – Glenwood's horticultural collection rivals any in Harris County, and its beautiful landscape provides a place of quiet refuge for all Houstonians. Funds are required for tree maintenance and also for removal of dead and diseased trees that could fall in a storm and damage irreplaceable monuments and statuary. In addition, approximately \$30,000 is spent each year on plant materials to perpetuate the landscape.



Early Spring at Glenwood



Monument Restoration – Glenwood contains a priceless collection of Victorian-era monuments and statuary, many of them well over 100 years old. Over time, Houston's soil causes monuments, statuary and copings to sink, and those displaced by tree roots must be repaired and stabilized. In many cases there are no longer any living descendants to take responsibility for needed repairs, and GCHPF must provide for the restoration and preservation of historic gravesites. Approximately \$200,000 is needed each year to fund monument restoration work.



Photograph courtesy Jim Parsons

The Glenwood office cottage was built in 1888.

Publication of Glenwood's History – A book is being prepared on the history of Glenwood Cemetery and some of the persons buried here. GCHPF is working to raise the estimated \$100,000 cost of publication. Proceeds from sales of the book will be used to fund the projects of GCHPF. A web site is also under construction at an estimated cost of \$3,500

Columbarium – Construction of an outdoor columbarium would position Glenwood to respond to the increased demand for ash burials.

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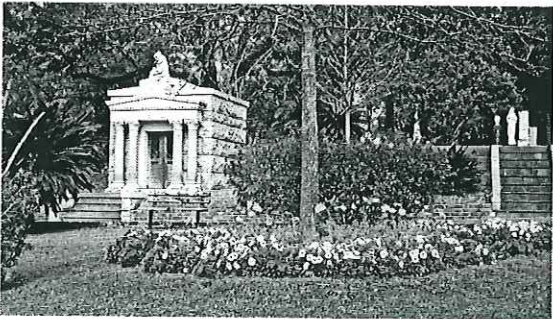
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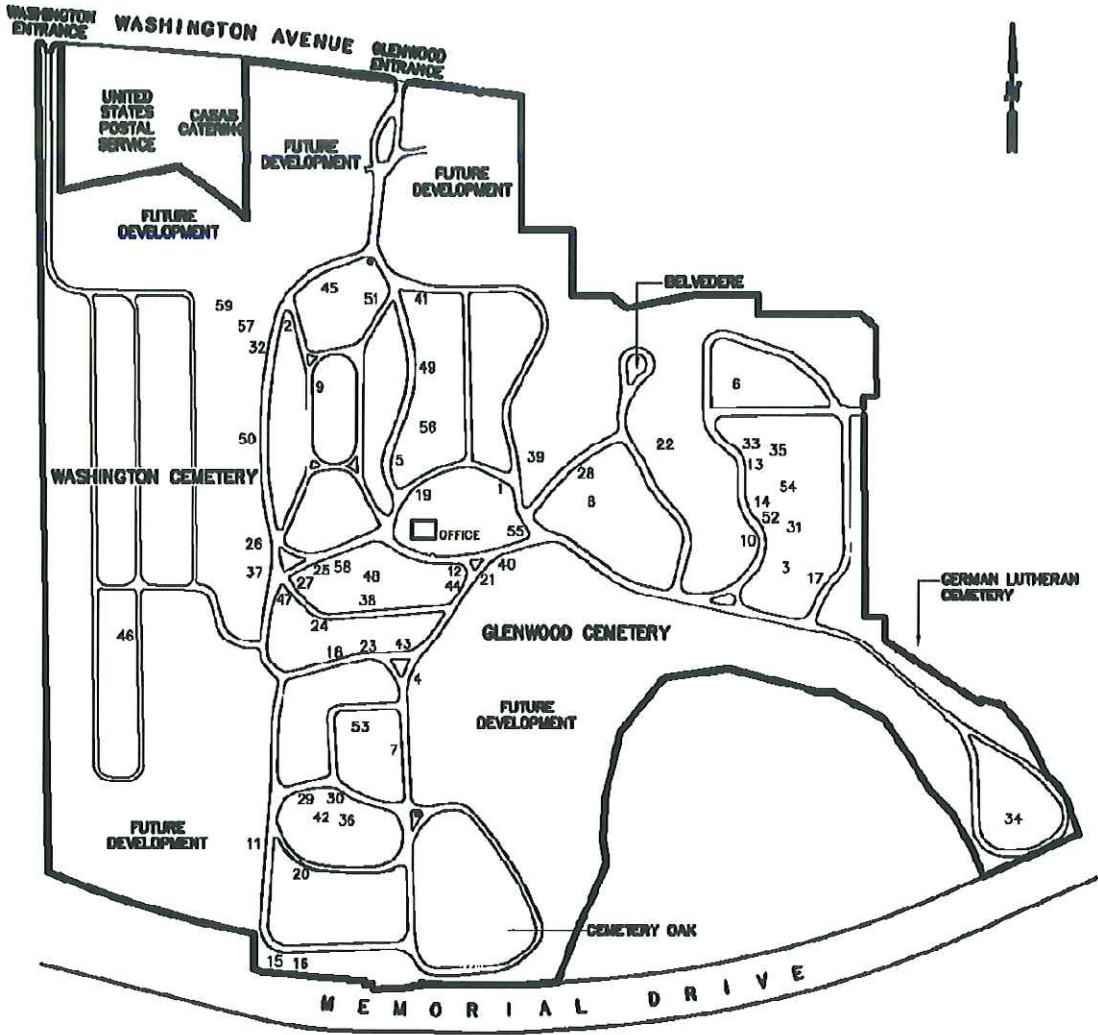
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The numbers on the map above correspond to the persons listed in this brochure. The Cemetery Oak, shown near the center bottom of the map, is a live oak (*Quercus virginiana*). It is recorded in *The Harris County Tree Registry, Third Edition* as having a height of 64', a trunk 160" in circumference, and a leaf canopy with a spread of 110'. Evidence suggests the tree is approximately 100 years old, but its exact age is unknown.

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Statesmen and Elected Officials

Anson Jones (1798-1858) – Last President of the Republic of Texas (#1)

Col. Edward Mandell House (1858-1938) – Chief Advisor to President Woodrow Wilson; negotiated acceptance of Wilson's Fourteen Points that led to establishment of the League of Nations (#2)

Will Clayton (1880-1966) – Undersecretary of State for Economic Affairs following WWII; authored The Marshall Plan that averted global economic disaster in the post-war years (#3)

Oveta Culp Hobby (1905-1995) – Organized WAACs during WWII; served in Eisenhower cabinet as first Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare (#4)

Hon. Joseph C. Hutcheson, Sr. (1842-1924) – As State Representative, drafted bill that established the University of Texas; served in U.S. Congress 1893-1897 (#5)

Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr. (1879-1973) - Chief Judge of Fifth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals; United States Chairman of the 1945 Anglo-American commission on settlement of Jews in Palestine (#5)

Dillon Anderson (1906-1974) – National security advisor to President Eisenhower; also award-winning author of short stories (#6)

Texas Governors including William P. Hobby (1878-1964) (#4), Ross Sterling (1875-1949) (#7) and James W. Henderson (1814-1880) (#8); one Mississippi Governor, Hiram Runnels (1796-1857) (#9)

Over twenty Houston mayors, including Roy Hofheinz (who would later build the Astrodome) (1912-1982) (#10)

Business and Commerce

Howard R. Hughes, Jr. (1905-1976) – Billionaire and man of legendary accomplishments in business, aviation and film making (#11)

Glenn McCarthy (1907-1988) – Legendary King of the Wildcatters; built Houston's famed Shamrock Hotel (#12)

Co-founders of Humble Oil (now part of Exxon/Mobil) including Ross Sterling (1875-1949) (#7), W.S. Farish (1881-1942) (#13), Harry Wiess (1887-1948) (#14), and R.L. Blaffer (1876-1942) (#15)



J. S. Cullinan (1860-1937) – Founder of The Texas Company (now part of Chevron/Texaco); developer of Shadyside (#16)

George R. Brown (1898-1983) and Herman Brown (1892-1962) – Founders of Brown & Root, Inc. (#17)

Houston's earliest bankers, including B.A. Shepherd (1814-1891) (#18) and T.W. House (1814-1880) (#2)

Paul Bremond (1810-1885) – Brought railroads to Houston in the 1850s (#19)

John L. Wortham (1862-1924) – Co-founder (with his son, Gus S. Wortham) of John L. Wortham and Son, one of the nation's largest retail insurance brokerage and risk services firms (#20)

The Professions and Educators

John H. Freeman, Sr. (1886-1980) – As an original trustee of the M. D. Anderson Foundation, he is credited with co-founding the Texas Medical Center (#21)

Dr. Jack Castle (1922-2002) – Founder of HISD's Children's Dental Health Program, also the Castle Dental Centers (#22)

Dr. Ralph C. Cooley (1889-1954) – Pioneer in restorative dentistry; considered one of the finest clinicians of his time (#23)

Founders of major Houston law firms, including Peter W. Gray (1819-1874) (#24), Col. Walter Browne Botts (1836-1894) (#25), and Frank Andrews (1864-1936) (#26).



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Margaret Hunter Kinkaid (1874-1951) – Founder of The Kinkaid School (#36)

Authors and Journalists

B. H. Carroll, Jr. (1874-1922) – Journalist, author, and editor of the *Standard History of Houston Texas* (1912) (#37)

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E. H. Cushing (1829-1879) – Publisher from 1856-1865 of the *Telegraph*, Texas' early newspaper of record (#39)

Religious Leaders

Founding clergy and founding members of several Houston congregations:

Col. William Fairfax Gray (1787-1841) – Began efforts to organize Christ Church in 1839 (#24)

Rev. William M. Tryon (1809-1847) – First resident pastor of First Baptist Church; erected first church building in 1847 (#40)

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Norman G. Kittrell, Sr. (1849-1927) and his wife Louisa Keyes Kittrell (1849-1929) – Began efforts to organize Trinity Episcopal Church in 1893 (#42)

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Rev'd. Peter Gray Sears (1866-1942) – Rector of Christ Church 1905-1926; called to be first Rector of Palmer Memorial Episcopal Church in 1929 (#43)

Civil War

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Sarah Emma Edmondson Seelye (1841-1898) – Dressed as a man, she served in the Union Army during the Civil War as a soldier, nurse and spy (#46)

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Philanthropists and Community Life

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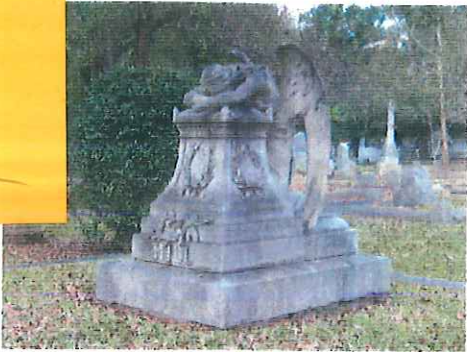


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