



Washington Cemetery, Houston, Texas Strangers Rest Marker Order Form

There are hundreds of unmarked graves in the single grave sections known as Strangers Rest. Over 600 of them have been located, but the grave locations are not in any predictable order. Beginning in 2012, Washington Cemetery Historic Trust and Glenwood Cemetery are working together to permanently mark each grave with a polished black granite 12" x 12" tile containing the original Strangers Rest number (if there was one) and the person's name, dates of birth and death, and places of birth and death if known. Each granite title is set into a custom built concrete base.

The three standard formats are shown below, with a maximum of 15-16 characters (including spaces and punctuation) on the name lines and 20-23 characters on the date and place lines.

Template #1	Template #2	Template #3
<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 5px;"><u>X172</u></div> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;">JUANITA MARIE GIBBONS</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0 0 0;">OCT. 10, 1938 – HOUSTON JAN. 7, 1940 – HOUSTON</p>	<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 5px;">967</div> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;">FRIEDRICH WILHELM VON HAUPTWITZ</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0 0 0;">DEC. 15, 1863 SAARBRÜCKEN, GERMANY MAR. 24, 1930 – HOUSTON</p>	<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 5px;">510</div> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;">DAUGHTER OF CHARLES & BESSIE STRINGER CHEVES</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0 0 0;">BORN AND DIED NOV. 19, 1919 – HOUSTON</p>

Please complete the form below (one person per page) and mail with your check for \$75 for each marker and a copy of supporting information such as a death certificate, obituary, or family bible record, to

Washington Cemetery Historic Trust

1302 Waugh Drive, PMB #465

Houston, Texas 77019-0465

	Complete no more than five lines for name, dates, and places										Strangers Rest Number					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Name Line 1																
Name Line 2																
Name Line 3																
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Date/Place Line 1																
Date/Place Line 2																
Date/Place Line 3																

Your name	
Address	
Phone	
E-mail	
Notes	

EXAMPLES (Do not mail this page with request for Strangers Rest marker)

Example (Template #1)									Strangers Rest Number						X172								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16							
Name Line 1	J	U	A	N	I	T	A			M	A	R	I	E									
Name Line 2	G	I	B	B	O	N	S																
Name Line 3																							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Date/Place Line 1	O	C	T	.		1	0	,		1	9	3	8		-		H	O	U	S	T	O	N
Date/Place Line 2	J	A	N	.		7	,		1	9	4	0		-		H	O	U	S	T	O	N	
Date/Place Line 3																							

Example (Template #2)									Strangers Rest Number						967								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16							
Name Line 1	F	R	I	E	D	R	I	C	H			W	I	L	H	E	L	M					
Name Line 2	V	O	N			H	A	U	P	T	W	I	T	Z									
Name Line 3																							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Date/Place Line 1	D	E	C	.		1	5	,		1	8	6	3										
Date/Place Line 2	S	A	A	R	B	R	Ü	C	K	E	N	,			G	E	R	M	A	N	Y		
Date/Place Line 3	M	A	R	.		2	4	,		1	9	3	0		-		H	O	U	S	T	O	N

Example (Template #3)									Strangers Rest Number						510								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16							
Name Line 1	D	A	U	G	H	T	E	R		O	F												
Name Line 2	C	H	A	R	L	E	S			&		B	E	S	S	I	E						
Name Line 3	S	T	R	I	N	G	E	R		C	H	E	V	E	S								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Date/Place Line 1	B	O	R	N		A	N	D		D	I	E	D										
Date/Place Line 2	N	O	V	.		1	9	,		1	9	1	9		-		H	O	U	S	T	O	N
Date/Place Line 3																							