

## GEARY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

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The Geary Cemetery Board would like to express their appreciation for past support in care of our cemeteries. The Cemetery Association does not receive any monetary help from the City of Geary. The up-keep is solely relied on donations. We provide the mowers, weed eaters, fuel, supplies and pay for labor only. With your financial help, we will be able to continue keeping the final resting place of our loved ones in a well and attractive condition.

This past fall we received a donation from the Dee Jameson Family to build a pavilion in his memory. In the pavilion will house a directory and map of the cemetery along with benches. The First Christian Church of Geary donated the funds to replace the south and west wire fence. This has needed to be done for some time. Blaine County District 1 removed the fence and trees to make way for our new fence. The City of Geary Perpetual account furnished us with a new mower after one of ours had seen its days. Gayla Bennet donated a computer to use for our cemetery information. Johnny Allen leveled our graves and the City of Geary employees hauled dirt and limbs for us. We appreciate and thank each and every one of these people for their generous donations, time and hard work. Without your help none of this would have been possible.

We were able to spray this year, trim the trees and cut the shrubs back. We would like to remind you if you do have shrubs on or near your graves they do need to be maintained. We do not allow anymore planting of any kind. Please check your stones and vases to be sure they are secure. There are quite of few that are loose and are not the responsibility of the Cemetery Board to repair.

Weathered flowers and miscellaneous objects will be removed at the discretion of the Cemetery Board. Flowers on graves during Memorial Day will be left approximately seven to ten days. Items not on or attached to stones will be removed after that time. Flower removal is done several times throughout the year as needed. Mowing and trimming around these objects is extra work and very time consuming for the care givers.

We appreciate your cooperation and always welcome suggestions or ideas of improvement. We are very blessed to have people like you to support our need. Thank you!

If you feel you can contribute toward this fund this year, please mail your check to:

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