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April Newsletter

What is Green Burial?

Green burial is a popular alternative to conventional burial that allows you or your loved one to return to the earth naturally after passing. Green burial aims to reduce the use of chemical preservatives that may pollute the burial space.

Green burial may take place on either private land or in a cemetery that accommodates green burial practices. The body is not preserved with chemicals and may be encased in a biodegradable coffin (often made of untreated softwood) or cloth shroud, and then placed into a grave without an outer vault or container that would prevent soil contact.

Opting for a green burial not only aligns with environmentally conscious choices but can also be a more cost-effective alternative to traditional burials. Grave plots for green burials are often in natural settings, eliminating the need for pricey headstones and perpetual care fees associated with conventional cemeteries. Choosing a green burial can thus be a financially sensible decision, with savings up to 66%.

Conventional Costs vs. Green Burial Costs

When comparing the costs of conventional burial versus green burial, it becomes evident that green burial offers a more economical option with significant savings.

Conventional burials often involve high expenses associated with embalming, elaborate caskets, concrete burial vaults, and perpetual maintenance fees for grave sites. On the other hand, green burials emphasize simplicity, utilizing biodegradable materials for caskets or shrouds and foregoing the use of embalming chemicals.

Additionally, green burial sites typically have lower maintenance costs, as they encourage natural landscapes rather than manicured lawns. Overall, opting for a green burial not only aligns with environmental values but also provides a more cost-effective alternative to traditional burial practices.

CONVENTIONAL BURIAL		VS	GREEN BURIAL	
AVERAGE SINGLE PLOT PRICE: \$7,495 (\$5,995 - \$8,995)			AVERAGE SINGLE PLOT PRICE: \$3,819 (\$3,318 - \$4,319)	
AVERAGE ADD-ONS REQUIRED (Outer burial container, container installation): \$2,100			AVERAGE ADD-ONS REQUIRED (Not required for green burial): \$0	
PROCESSING FEE: \$250			PROCESSING FEE: \$250	
OPENING & CLOSING: \$2,495			OPENING & CLOSING: \$600	
AVERAGE CASKET PRICING: \$5,950 (\$1,900 - \$10,000 +)			AVERAGE CASKET PRICING: \$1,650 (\$800 - \$2,500)	
AVERAGE TOTAL COST TO BURY YOUR LOVED ONE: \$18,290			AVERAGE TOTAL COST TO BURY YOUR LOVED ONE: \$6,319* *10% ENDOWMENT ADDED	
 Morgan Oaks <small>Cemeterial Preserve</small>			 Morgan Oaks <small>Cemeterial Preserve</small>	
AVERAGE SAVINGS WITH GREEN BURIAL: \$11,971 66% MORE VALUE WITH GREEN BURIAL!			AVERAGE SAVINGS WITH GREEN BURIAL: \$3,922 61% MORE VALUE WITH GREEN BURIAL!	
				
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Featured Animal:

Gopher Snake



Morgan Oaks is a habitat to many animals, including Gopher Snakes.

- **Effective Mimics:** Gopher snakes are skilled mimics and can imitate the rattle of a rattlesnake by vibrating their tail against dry leaves or grass. This behavior helps them to deter predators by making them appear more dangerous than they actually are.
- **Impressive Size:** Some species of gopher snakes, such as the bullsnake, can grow to impressive lengths of up to 6 feet or more. They are one of the largest native snake species in North America.
- **Non-Venomous Constrictors:** Gopher snakes are non-venomous constrictors, meaning they kill their prey by squeezing it until it suffocates. They then swallow their prey whole, aided by their flexible jaws which allow them to consume prey much larger than their head.
- **Long Lifespan:** In the wild, gopher snakes can live for over 15 years, while in captivity they can live even longer, sometimes up to 30 years or more with proper care.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us at Morgan Oaks for our exciting Spring Bloom event on May 2nd from 4:00 to 8:30 pm! Everyone is invited to this family-friendly gathering, where admission is free. We're thrilled to showcase our stunning property in full bloom and celebrate the beauty of the season. Treat your taste buds to complimentary delectable delights from our lineup of food trucks, capture cherished memories at our photobooth, and unwind to the tunes of live music.

With refreshing drinks and a host of other surprises, there's something for everyone to enjoy. Join us as we celebrate the beauty of spring and community spirit at Morgan Oaks' Spring Bloom Event!

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Spring Bloom

at Morgan Oaks

THURSDAY, MAY 2ND

4:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Morgan Oaks Eternal Preserve
421 Fleming Rd, Lincoln, CA 95648

*Join us for live music with Tru Taboo,
food trucks, drinks, mingling,
photo booth and more!
Plus check out our property!*



RSVP to [Hello@morganoaksgreenburial.com](mailto>Hello@morganoaksgreenburial.com) or call 833-667-4266

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*paid upon final sale.
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FOX40 X MORGAN OAKS ETERNAL PRESERVE

Watch the Fox 40 News feature for an inside look at Morgan Oaks Green Burial. Highlighting natural burial grounds, cost-effectiveness and the overall simplicity of green burials. Where honoring loved ones can align with sustainability and simplicity.

