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The Lisle Cemetery
979 Ogden Avenue
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One of the
Oldest Cemeteries
In DuPage County
and
the State of Illinois

About the Lisle Cemetery

The Lisle Cemetery is one of the oldest registered cemeteries in DuPage County and one of the oldest cemeteries in the State of Illinois. Five of the first eleven settlers to stake property claims in the area during the 1830's are buried in this quaint, rustic cemetery. They include:

Luther Hatch, settled 1832
James Crombie Hatch, settled 1832
A. B. Chatfield, settled 1834
John Graves, settled 1835
George Willard, settled 1835

The cemetery was established in 1832 when James C. Hatch donated a portion of his land so fellow settlers could bury their loved ones. James and his brother Luther traveled to Lisle from New England and were the first settlers in the area. Their ancestors are believed to have been in the second company of Pilgrims that arrived in America in 1626.

Mr. Hatch cared for the cemetery until June 4, 1883, when the Lisle Cemetery Association was formally incorporated under Illinois state law to collect fees that would be used to manage, maintain and improve the site.

Lisle resident Bill McKibben was the volunteer care taker of the cemetery from 1957 until 1987. The Village of Lisle acquired ownership of the property in 1987 when Mr. McKibben could no longer maintain the cemetery.

Since accepting ownership, the Village of Lisle has been committed to the restoration and preservation of the two-acres to ensure that its historical significance to the community endures.

Lots

Cemetery lots are currently available. The cost of each lot is \$1,000, which includes perpetual care. Only one interment per lot is permitted. However, an exception is made in the case of a mother and her infant child. As many as four cremation burials may be made in the same lot.

Interment Fees

The fee for interment is \$950.

The fee for cremation interment is \$450.

There is an additional charge for burials with less than 24 hours notice, weekend or holiday interment.

All fees are subject to change.

Grave Markers

At-grade and above-grade grave markers are allowed in the cemetery. A Village permit is required before a grave marker can be installed. The permit costs are \$75 for an at-grade marker (flush with the ground) and \$225 for an above-grade marker (above ground).

Visiting Hours

The Lisle Cemetery is open every day of the year during the following hours:

May 1st through August 31st
8:30 am to 7:00 pm

September 1st through April 30th
8:30 am to 5:00 pm