


*"It is in dying that we are born
to eternal life"*

St. Francis of Assisi

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Memorial Garden



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A place for cremated remains

The care with which Catholics treat the memory and remains of their departed loved ones is an expression of the belief in the dignity and sacredness of human life and the immortality of the soul.

In offering our concept of the Communion of Saints, the St. Francis of Assisi Memorial Garden has been designated by the Diocese of San Jose as suitable for the inurnment of cremated remains within outdoor niches. It serves as a sacred place of repose for us and for our loved ones.

The garden provides the living with opportunities to perform two of the great works of mercy: to pray for and to bury the dead. The Memorial Garden's tranquil environment, is conducive to reflection and prayer, makes it a place of peace for the living.

What do I wish?

What are the needs of my family?

At St. Francis of Assisi, we offer the following options to comply with your personal wishes.

- **Vigil with either body or remains present.**
- **Mass with body present, followed by a burial in a Catholic cemetery.**
- **Mass with body present followed by cremation and later placement in the Memorial Garden.**
- **Mass with cremated remains present followed by placement in the Memorial Garden.**



Cremation

A simple and dignified disposition
of the decedent's remains

Memorial Garden Niches *The wisdom of foresight*

Now is the time to plan and make arrangements to ease the burden for your loved ones. Advanced planning allows families or individuals to make informed decisions, guarantee costs, and reduce the stress and pressure at the time of death. It also allows to group family niches together.

This is an important decision. Begin your preplanning today. Call the St. Francis of Assisi office at: 408-223-1562 to arrange for an appointment and personalized tour.

Niche prices start at \$1975

"Wall of Remembrance"

Also available is a special St. Francis Arbor bronze plaque on which the names of loved ones may be inscribed. Two names may be used on the nameplate for the same price.

Plaque engraving is \$375