

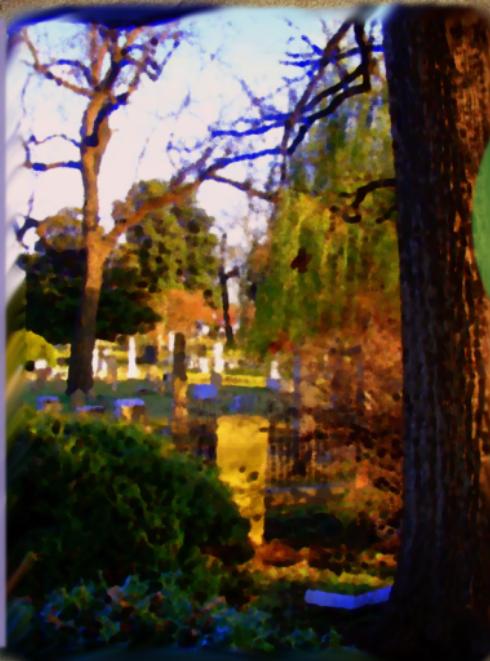


Nashville City Cemetery

Operating for over 200 years

The Nashville City Cemetery has been operating since 1820. This historic cemetery has been carefully preserved as the final resting place of over 20,000 Tennesseans including some of the first settlers of Nashville, soldiers of the Civil War, a number of our past mayors, and even some famous singers and musicians.

Walk with us on a guided tour where we step through history and discover key members of our history as well as some stark reminders of our past - from the height of the tuberculosis epidemic in the 1800s to the tragic reality of "soothing syrups" which claimed the lives of over 400 teething infants.



Home to over 300 trees, including 30 unique species and 10 different shrubs, the cemetery is designated as an arboretum by the Nashville Tree Foundation. Labels have been affixed to the various specimens, as indicated by the map available on our site

Visit our site at <https://thenashvillecitycemetery.org/tours>. Join us in October for a themed tour with costumed portrayers into the evening hours! We periodically host events made public on our Events page, and welcome new members to our organization. Become a donor today!