Rules and Regulations Governing the New Elam Christian Church Cemetery

Adopted - November 5, 1995

Amended - March 27, 2011

- 1. All Church Members are entitled to a free cemetery plot.
- 2. All children who are under 18 years of age or those between 18 and 22 years of age who have not reached their 22nd birthday and/or are a dependent, whose Mother, Father or legal guardian are Church members are entitled to a free cemetery plot.
- 3. Any individual who is not a Church member but is a spouse of a Church member is entitled to a cemetery plot for a donation of \$400.00.
- 4. All individuals who are not Church members may not reserve a plot. Upon the approval of the Cemetery Committee and a donation of \$800.00, a non-Church member may be buried in the cemetery. The Cemetery Committee reserves the right to determine where the plot will be located.
- 5. Church Members may reserve plots at any time upon the approval of the Cemetery Committee. A cemetery committee member must be present when headstones are placed to ensure proper locating of the stone.
- 6. All individuals who are not Church members but have been allowed to place a single or double headstone in the cemetery, prior to the November 5, 1995 adoption of these rules and regulations are entitled to that cemetery plot.
- 7. If a plot, previously reserved, is not used due to the burial of that individual, who reserved the plot, at another location, (ie. another cemetery or cremation), the plot will be reverted back to the Church.
- 8. Any member who moves their membership from New Elam Christian Church forfeits the privilege of reserving a cemetery plot and falls into the category of a non-Church member.
- 9. No burials in any gravesite will be allowed without a vault.
- 10. Any exceptions to the above rules, or questions that are not covered in the above rules, shall be referred to the Church Cemetery Committee and their decision will be final.