



Hope

We live as long as we are remembered . . .

Old Russian Proverb



Faith

THE MONROE STREET **CEMETERY FOUNDATION**

(DBA “The Friends of Monroe Cemetery”)



Established 1841

The **Monroe Street Cemetery Foundation**, a 501c(3) non-profit organization, is an all volunteer group dedicated to the preservation and enhancement of the oldest cemetery on Cleveland’s west side which is also Ohio City’s largest green space. The Foundation has many projects planned that will make an impact on the cemetery including landscaping, monument repairs and renovation of the gatehouse that was built in 1876. We need your help to move forward with our plans. Please consider becoming a “Friend” of Monroe Cemetery.

“Friend”ships are available in the following categories:

Individual Friend	\$15
Family Friend	\$35
Good Friend	\$50
Great Friend	\$75
Boy, we love you, Friend!	\$100
Memorial Friend	\$250
Monumental Friend	\$500
Corporate Friend	\$1000
Friend for a Lifetime	\$5000

Memberships at the Monumental, Corporate and Lifetime levels will receive recognition in all publications of The Foundation. Please make your check out today to the “Friends of Monroe Cemetery” and mail it to:

The Friends of Monroe Cemetery
3302 Hancock Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44113

Current projects planned and financial needs:

Enhanced Landscaping	\$1,500
Ohio State Historical Marker	\$2,500
City Landmark Designation Plaque	\$750
Gatehouse Roof Replacement	\$85,000
Security Improvements	\$2,500
Tombstone Repairs	\$5,000

Meet some of the folks who chose Monroe Street Cemetery as their final resting place –

William Bainbridge Castle: *The Last and First Mayor*

Jacob & Magdalena Baehr: *Brewing with Integrity*

Daniel Sanford: *An Honest Man*

Reverend James Thome: *The Abolitionist*

Walter Prentice: *Caring for Civil War Soldiers*

Richard Lord: *Land Developer Extraordinaire*

Irvine U. Masters: *Welcome to Cleveland, Mr. Lincoln*

Ludwig & Barbara Hundertmark: *Germans in a New World*

William Foot Lagourgue: *A Considerable Change in Climate*

Seth & Cordelia Sheldon: *From Drugs to Lumber*

Gustav Schaefer: *Putting the Cart behind the Horse*

All of these folks and more are included in our book,

**Monroe Street Cemetery: Biographical and
Historical Sketches of the Life and Times
of those at Rest**

Copies are available from the Friends of Monroe Cemetery at \$15 for a black & white version and \$25 for a full-color version. (If shipping is necessary, please include an additional \$5.)