



MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED

BURIAL SITE INFORMATION

Name: Gate of Heaven Cemetery	Inventory ID: 086
Alternate name:	
Address: 13801 Georgia Ave, Silver Spring	
Website: http://www.ccaw.org/cemeteries_gateheaven.html#1	
GPS coordinates: Latitude: 39.082500	Longitude: -77.074780
FindaGrave: https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/80987	

BURIAL SITE TYPE

Category: ☒ **Religious** ☐ Community ☐ Family ☐ African American ☒ Other: **Catholic**

BURIAL SITE EVALUATION

Setting/location description: ☐ Rural ☐ Urban ☒ Suburban ☐ Wooded ☐ Other:	
General condition (See conditions sheet): ☒ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐ None	
Is there a formal entrance? ☒ Yes ☐ No	Accessibility: ☐ Inaccessible ☐ By foot ☒ By car
Is cemetery active (recent burials)? ☒ Yes ☐ No	Is there a cemetery sign: ☒ Yes ☐ No
Is cemetery being maintained? ☒ Yes ☐ Minimal ☐ No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)	
Are there visible markers? ☒ Yes ☐ No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers: 32,000 Date ranges: _____– 2018

Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

- **127-acre park-like cemetery surrounded by stone walls and high metal fencing.**
- **Paved roads throughout property. Grass pathways between graves.**
- **Large granite pylon sculptures divide the sections.**
- **Flush markers only in main sections. Standing grave markers in the back section to the southeast.**

BURIAL SITE CONTACT

Name: Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Inc. – Archdiocese of Washington		
Relationship to burial site: Owner	Advocacy contact: Ana Hernandez, manager	
Address: 13801 Georgia Avenue	Phone: 301-460-7025	
City: Silver Spring	State: MD	ZIP Code: 20906

BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR

Name: Glenn Wallace	Survey Date: 8/22/2018	Time spent: 5 min
Address:		Phone:
Email: mococems@gmail.com		
Photographer: Glenn Wallace		

COMMENTS

Suggestions for follow-up:

N/A

Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:

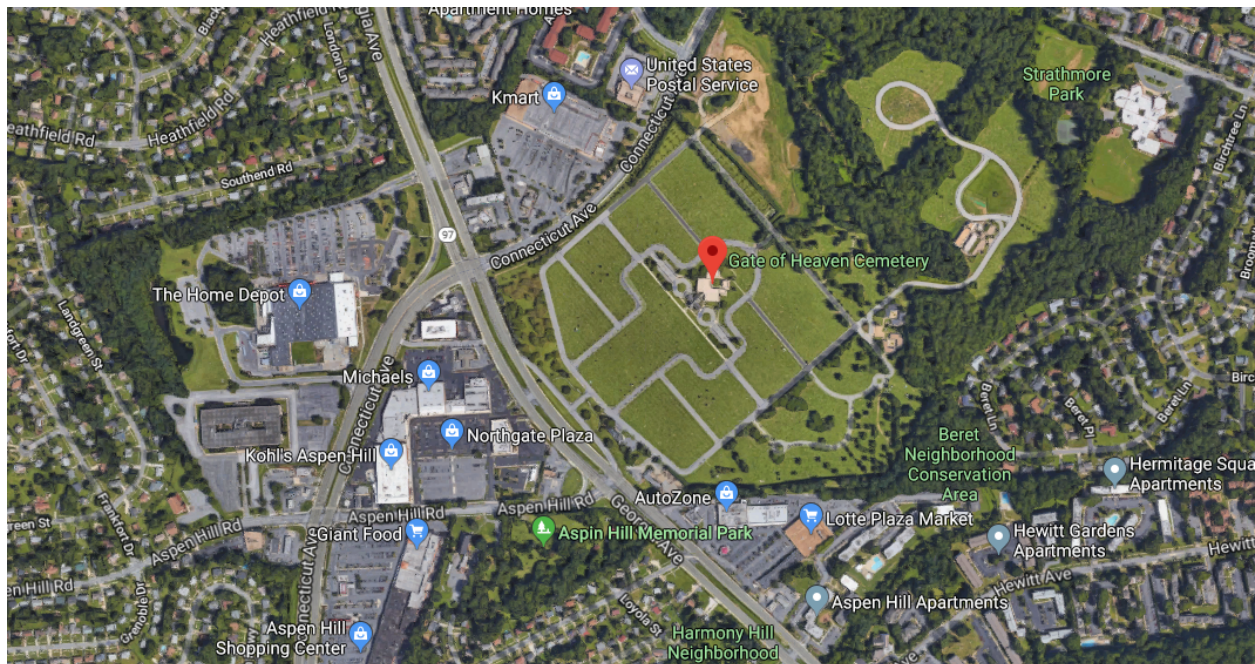
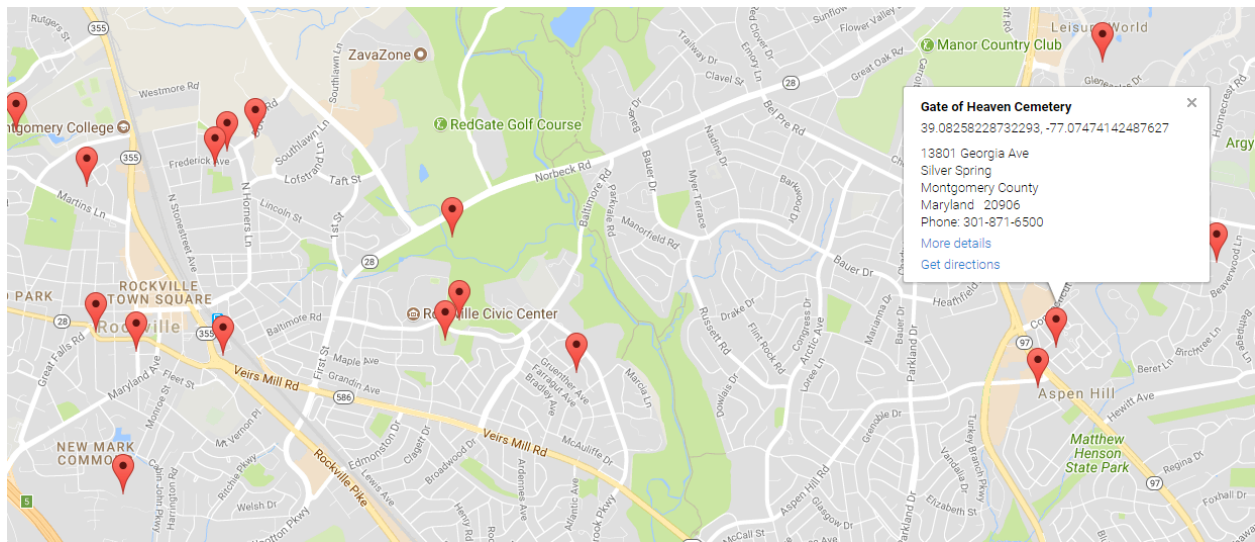
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Anything of significance about this cemetery?

N/A

SOURCES

Cite sources used and resources available:



Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory **Photograph Log**

Cemetery Name: Gate of Heaven Cemetery		Inventory ID: 086
Photographer: Glenn Wallace		Date: 8/22/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing
5:20 pm	1	Entrance gate to cemetery from Georgia Avenue, facing northeast
	2	Approach to main cemetery, facing northeast
	3	Panoramic from west to north to east
	4	Panoramic from east to south to west
	5	Panoramic of southern section of cemetery from east to south to west
	6	Typical flush grave markers throughout cemetery
5:25 pm	7	Sculptural pylons designating sections



1. Entrance gate to cemetery from Georgia Avenue, facing northeast



2. Approach to main cemetery, facing northeast



3. Panoramic from west to north to east



4. Panoramic from east to south to west



5. Panoramic of southern section of cemetery from east to south to west



6. Typical flush grave markers throughout cemetery



7. Sculptural pylons designating sections