

CLEANING AND CARING FOR YOUR MEMORIAL

How to care for your memorial

Your loved one's memorial is an important part of honoring and remembering them and will last for generations to come. Here are some cleaning and caretaking tips to best care for the memorial.

For best results, before cleaning the entire memorial, always test any cleaning product on a small area of the memorial first.

Granite Memorials

- · Remove all dirt, debris and dust.
- Wash with water and dish soap. Avoid using any oil-baised products on granite.
- Wash with a stiff bristle brush. Do not use any type of wire brush or power tools.
- If needed, use a plastic puddy knife to remove moss.
- Rinse clean with water.
- Let air dry.
- To reduce the chance of scratching, do not place any items directly on top of the granite.

Bronze Memorials

- Remove all dirt, debris and dust.
- Wash with purified bottled water and a stiff bristle brush. Do not use any type of wire brush or power tools.
- Dry with cloth or let air dry.
- Apply lemon oil onto the bronze. Remember to test on a small area before cleaning the entire memorial.
- Rub with cloth until surface is evenly coated.
- A second coat may be needed or, if time allows, a soaked cloth can be placed over the memorial for several hours to ensure full penetration of the bronze surface.
- To reduce the chance of scratching, do not leave any items directly on top of the memorial.



