

Chalmette National Cemetery Map

How to find a gravesite

A list of headstones can be found at the Chalmette Battlefield Visitor Center (next to Chalmette Monument) or online at <https://www.nps.gov/jela/chalmette-national-cemetery.htm>

Look at the headstone listing and find the name of the person you are searching for. Beside that person's name, you will find a section number and a grave number.

Use the map to find the section number of the grave you are searching for. In the cemetery, each section has a short block of stone with its section number on it.

Once you find the section, look for the grave. Each headstone has a number on it (some are on the back of the headstone). Most headstones are in numerical order within a section, but occasionally they are not, so you may need to look at the headstones surrounding where a headstone should be.

If you have any questions or need assistance, go to the visitor center on the battlefield or call 504-281-0510.

Restrooms: Wheelchair accessible restrooms are located by the visitor center on the battlefield.

Safety: Watch for and avoid small mounds of dirt--biting fire ants may live there. Remember that heat and humidity can quickly cause heat exhaustion. Seek help from park staff or call 911 if medical assistance is needed.

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