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The Grove Street Cemetery DVD Now Available for Purchase

A nearly 30-minute long DVD about the establishment, development, historical significance and the horticulture of the more than 200-year old Grove Street Cemetery, as well as information about some of the notable persons buried there, has been completed and released for sale. Funded jointly by the Standing Committee of the Proprietors of Grove Street Cemetery and the Board of the Friends of the Grove Street Cemetery, Inc., it was produced and directed by 5-time Emmy award winner Karyl Evans. The DVD will have its first public showing on Friday, February 1 – an event for which invitations will be mailed in early January. Special showings of the completed DVD before members of the Board of the Friends organization and the Standing Committee members have met with universal praise.

The DVD captures the beauty of the Cemetery in all seasons of the year and includes information about its layout and ‘plantings plan’ as originally conceived as well as the plan’s evolution to the present day. The Friends organization’s outreach program to the community through special and school tours as well as general tours open to the public are shown. Through interviews of many individuals associated with or deeply interested in the Cemetery, the viewer learns not only about its beginnings in 1797 but also about the wide range of the over 14,000 people of all races and creeds buried there. Gravestones of some of the country’s most prominent scientists, academics, scholars, politicians, and clergy who are interred in the Cemetery are featured. Those who have previewed the DVD have found it both fascinating in its detail and educational in its scope. Grove Street Cemetery is a unique gem of significance to the City, the State and the Nation.

The Grove Street Cemetery DVD is now available for purchase at $15.00 (postage pre-paid) per copy. Be sure to consider ordering a copy not only for yourself but also as gifts for your friends and members of your family. Pictures in this special issue of *The Grove Street Bulletin* have been reproduced from the DVD. Please complete and mail the order form at the bottom of page 3 of this newsletter.
How to Order YOUR Copy of the Grove Street Cemetery DVD

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How to Join Friends of the Grove Street Cemetery, Inc.

Individuals, organizations and corporations interested in Grove Street Cemetery and the objectives of the Friends are encouraged, to become members. Annual membership dues are shown below. The membership year is October 1 to September 30. Membership Dues and other Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Contributions in excess of Membership Dues are welcome and, unless otherwise specified, will be allocated to the Landscape or Landmark Funds which have been created to support the on-going horticultural programs of the organization and the ever-present need for support of the Cemetery’s renovation and restoration efforts.

Checks for DVD orders, Dues and Contributions should be made payable to Friends of the Grove Street Cemetery, Inc. and mailed with this completed form to: P. O. Box 9238; New Haven, CT 06533-0238.

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Dues: Individual $35____ Couple $50 ____ Not-for-profit $50 ____ Corporation $100 ____

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