



## The Meadow at Greenacres Memorial Park



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Moles Family Funeral Home is honored to introduce The Meadow, the first Natural Burial ground in Western Washington to be certified by the Green Burial Council. The Meadow Natural Burial Ground at Moles Greenacres Memorial Park allows families the option to lay loved ones to rest in a serene and natural environment. Natural Burial, commonly referred to as "Green Burial" utilizes:

- Sustainable burial methods
- 100% biodegradable materials
- Earth friendly excavation and technology



Everything placed in the ground at The Meadow is non-toxic and biodegradable, allowing it to return to the earth. In addition, each burial contributes to the ongoing restoration of The Meadow as a thriving, native ecosystem. As part of the restoration efforts, each family will have the option to have a guild of three native plants, a tree, shrub, or groundcover planted in the memory of their loved one. Also available for memorialization are boulder-sized, engraved river rocks. These grounds are kept as a natural area. Maintenance is minimal and does not involve irrigation, fertilizers, regular mowing or pruning. In addition, integrated pest management is used to manage invasive species. The Meadow is one example of Moles' value of community stewardship. We are committed to acting responsibly with what has been entrusted to us.



*Jack Cagey, Lummi Elder, and his wife, Beverly, at The Meadow's inauguration ceremony.*