***Trip Profile***

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| Topic  | Details  |
| Trip Name  | Oakwood Cemetery, Fort Worth  |
| Short Description  | Historic cemetery opened in 1879, with graves of FW business and political leaders, governors, civil war veterans.  |
| Web Site  | [http://www.oakwoodcemetery.net/index\_files/Conta ct.htm](http://www.oakwoodcemetery.net/index_files/Contact.htm)   |
| Contributor/email  | For assistance, contact the cemetery. (Submitted by Carolyn Bobo, cgbobo6311@att.net)  |
| Travel Time  | Accessible from downtown FW and I-35W  |
| Date trip taken  | 2019  |
| Points of Interest  | Excellent panoramic fall and winter sunset view of downtown Fort Worth; variety of tombstones, crypts; graves include ordinary people, plus ranchers W.T. and Electra Waggoner, Gov. Charles Culberson, Maj. Horace Carswell, John Peter Smith  |
| Address for Mapping Software  | 701 Grand Ave., Fort Worth 76164 Cemetery remains in use, so be mindful of services in progress. Normal safety precautions; ghosts.  |
| Restrictions / Safety Issues  | Gates open 7 am-6 pm. Office open 8 am-4 pm. Photographer must leave before 6 pm or will be locked in, which affects sunset view of downtown.  |
| Entry Fee  | None; drive into main gate and follow roads.  |
| Lodging Suggestions  | Day trip  |
| Dining Suggestions  | Steak and Mexican restaurants, including Joe T. Garcia’s (cash only), nearby on North Main Street and Stockyards area.  |
| Best Shooting Time of Day  | 3 pm to about 5:30 pm, mid-October through January to photograph downtown FW sunset skyline. Otherwise, anytime - trees create dappled lighting  |
| Primary GPS Coordinate  | Latitude: 32.7694016 Longitude 97.3475037  |

**Special notes**

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