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EXPLORERS!**



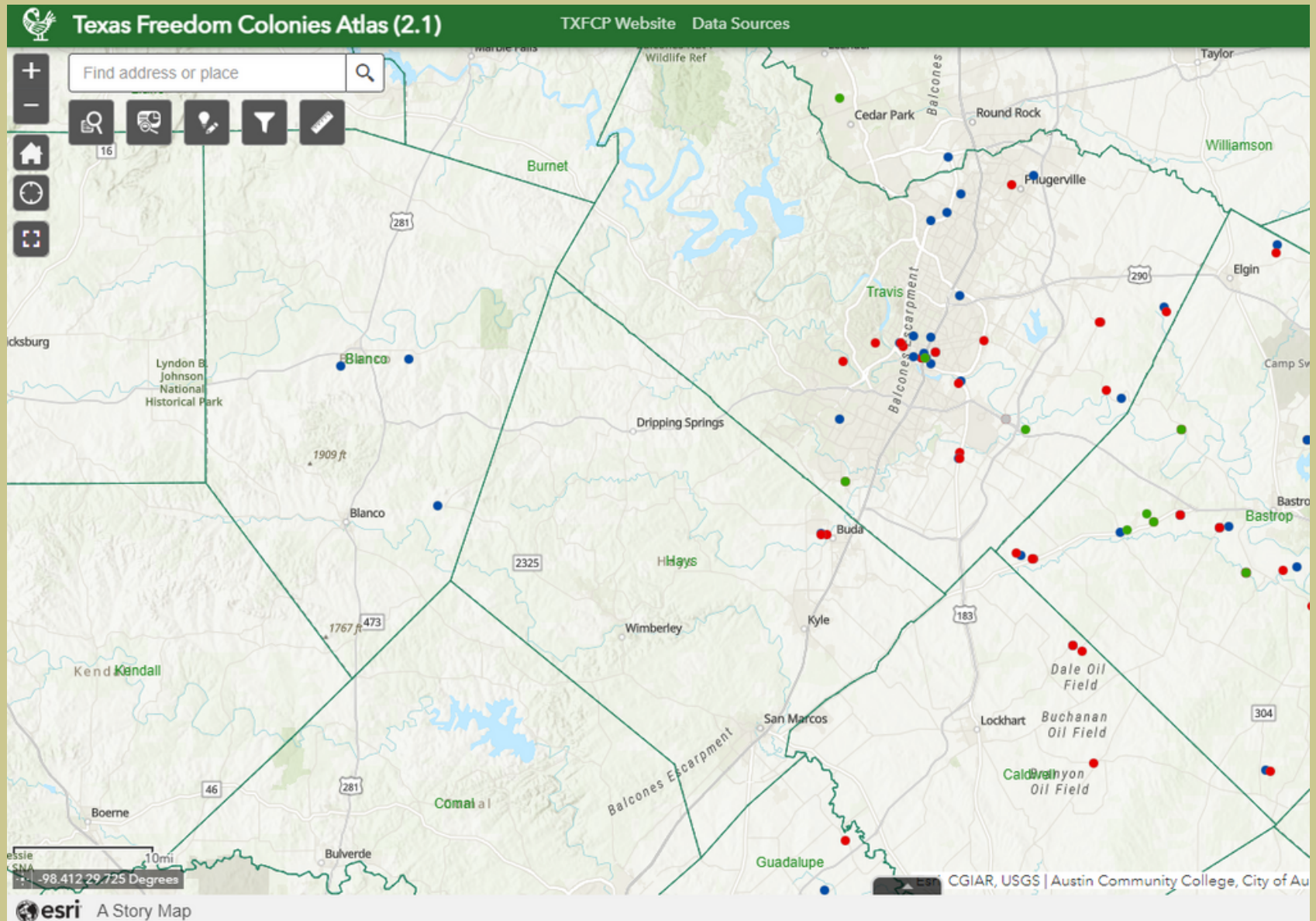


*let's discuss:  
cemeteries*



*As historians,  
cemeteries can  
tell us...*

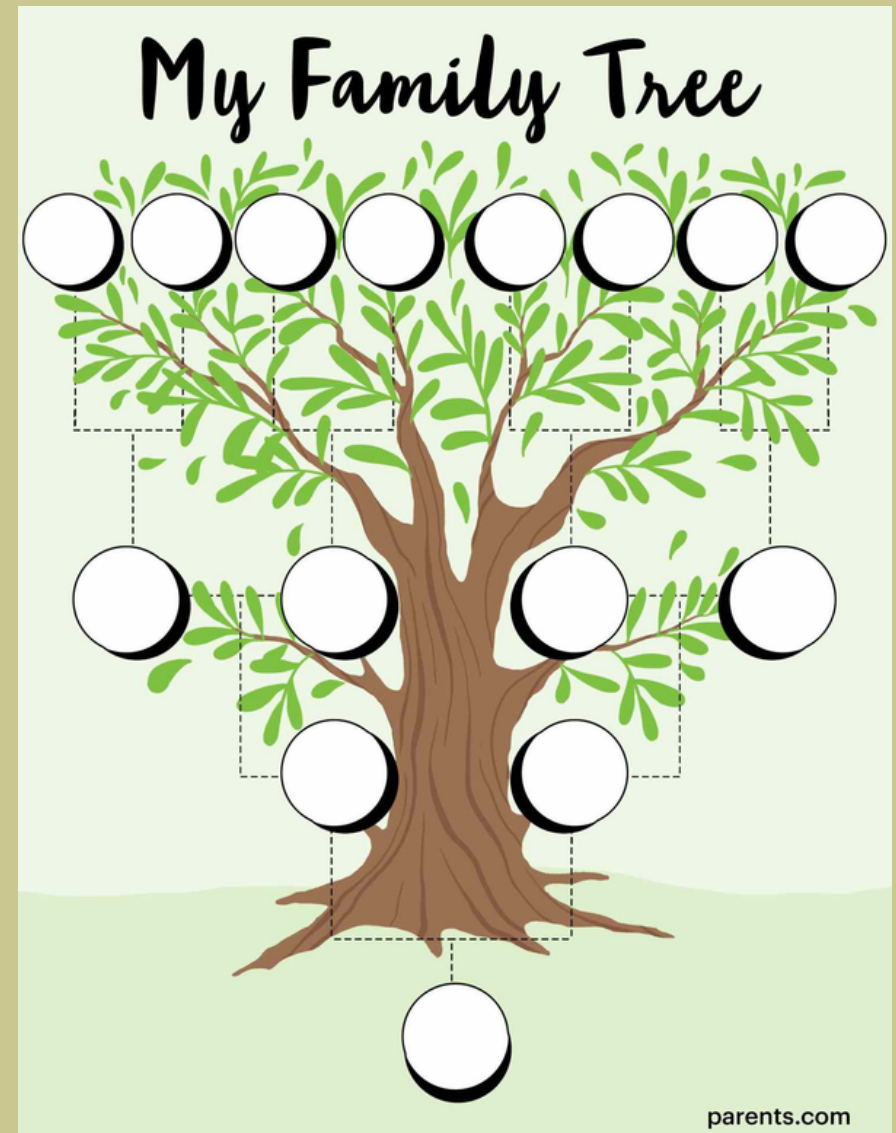
# where people used to live and settle



# *information on historic events*



*information on our ancestors and relatives*





*To communities,  
cemeteries are  
important as...*

# *places to celebrate life*

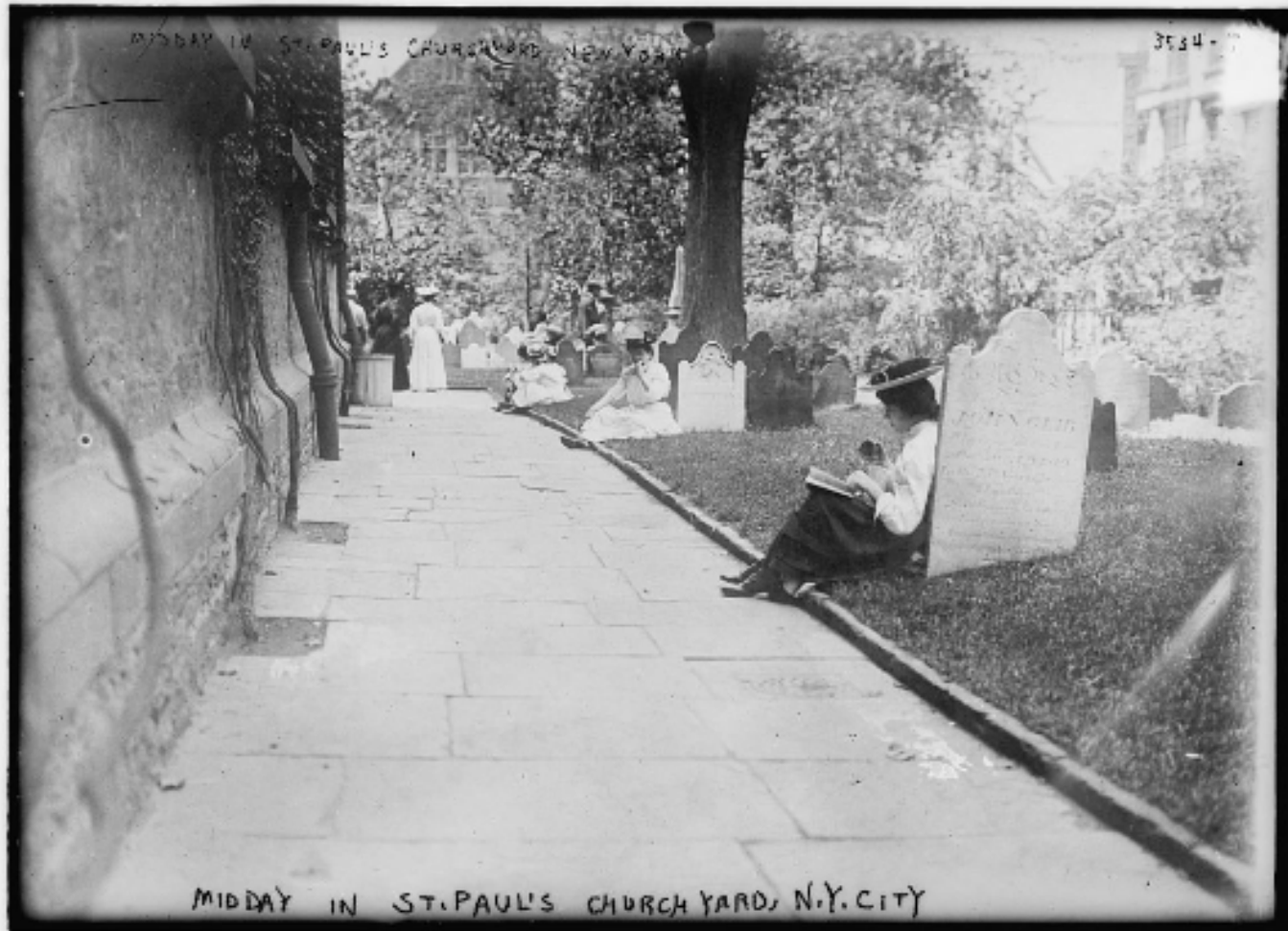


Hector Guerra, right and Juan Carlos Sanchez, from El Mariachi Continental, make their way to a funeral service in Donna, Texas on Aug. 21.

Verónica G. Cardenas / for NPR



# *places to enjoy the outdoors*



Enjoying a book and a snack in a Lower Manhattan cemetery. LIBRARY OF CONGRESS / LC-DIG-GGBAIN-19433

# *places to resist discrimination*





# *Segregation*



*San Marcos  
Cemeteries*



# ***San Marcos Cemetery***



***Located:  
Old Ranch  
Road 12***

***Earliest Burial:  
1876\****

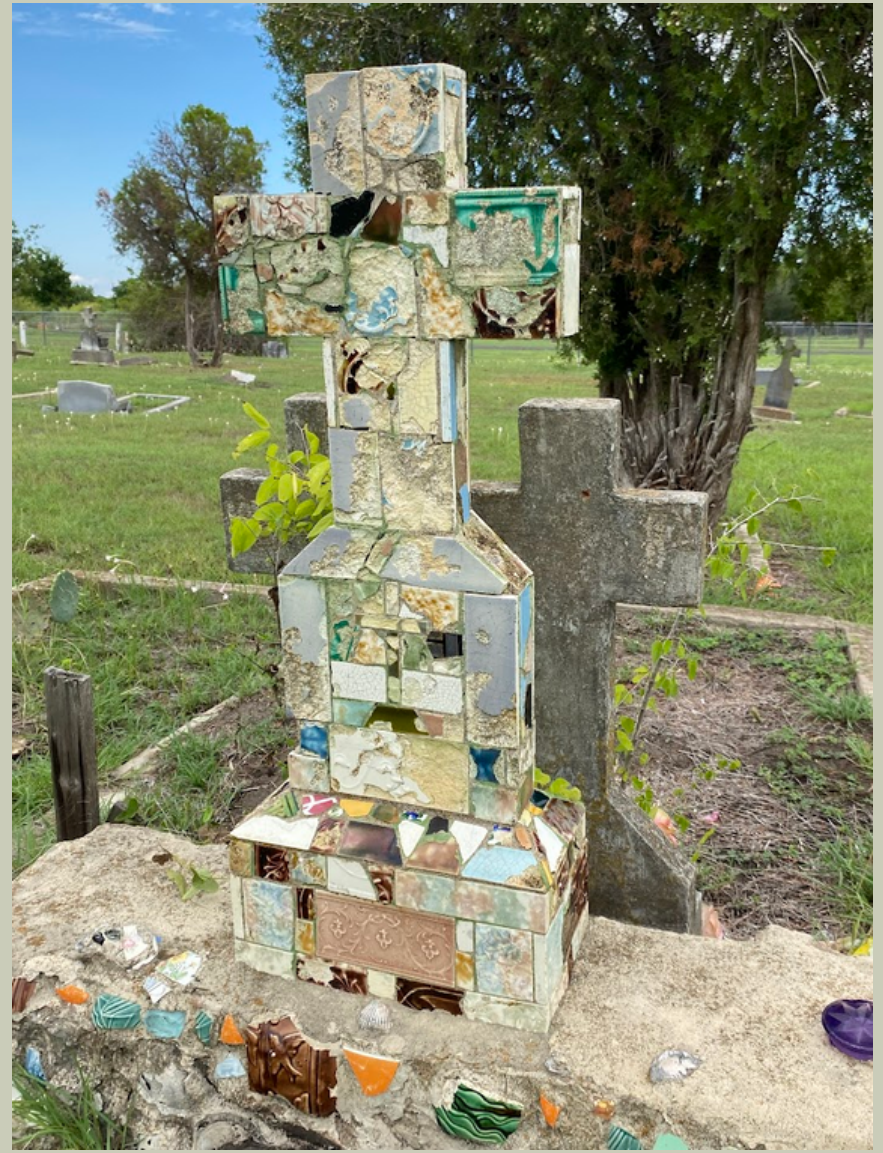
# *San Pedro Cemetery*

*Located:  
Posey Road*

*Earliest  
Burial:  
1910*

*Initially  
purchased  
for \$150*









# *San Marcos-Blanco Cemetery*



***Located:  
Post Road***

***Earliest Burial:  
1886***

***Initially  
purchased for  
\$200***







*Preserve*

*Maintain*

*Celebrate*



# ***Bluebonnets***

***When to see them:  
early April***



# ***Rain Lilies***



***When to see them:  
after heavy rains in  
spring and summer***



***Activity!***