

CEMETERY SURVEY FORM

SITE NAME: Satala Naval Cemetery

LOCATION: Maoputasi County, Tutuila Island, American Samoa

VILLAGE: Satala

UTM COORDINATES: 02 533060mE 8421764mN

OWNER:

CONTACT:

PHONE:

SURVEYOR: Erika C. Radewagen, M.A.

DATE: 27 JAN 2005

WEATHER (circle all that apply):

hot warm cool dry humid sunny rain overcast windy

IDENTIFICATION

PLOT IDENTIFICATION: 15

NAME(S) OF INTERRED: HARRY TRUMAN ALEXANDER

EARLIEST/FIRST BURIAL DATE: MAR 12 1923

MOST RECENT/LAST BURIAL DATE: MAR 12 1923

INSCRIPTION: HAROLD . TRUMAN .

ALEXANDER

BORN. JAN. 26 1921

DIED. MAR. 12 1923

CONDITION OF INSCRIPTION (circle one): mint clear but worn

mostly decipherable traces illegible/destroyed re-carved

STONECARVER: -----

LOCATION OF MARK: -----

DESCRIPTIONTYPE OF INTERMENT: individual family undeterminableINTERMENT REPRESENTATION: tomb/vault marker/surface slab family marker

TYPE OF PRIMARY STRUCTURE (portion containing inscription):

 concrete slab cemented rock freestacked rock other _____

TYPE OF BASE (lowest element supporting primary structure):

concrete slab cemented rock freestacked rock other _____

TYPE OF MARKER (circle all that apply):

 headstone footstone ground tablet basal ruin cross pedestal obelisk

pedestal column funeral home plaque bedstead

In inches:

DIMENSIONS (primary structure) height: 5 width: 36 depth/L: 57.5

DIMENSIONS (base) height: 7 width: 36 depth/L: 58

DIMENSIONS (other headstone) height: 27 width: 20 depth/L: 10ORIENTATION (direction of inscription): North South East West UnknownINTERMENT STATUS: active inactive abandoned

STATE OF INTERMENT (circle all that apply):

 standing ruin fragment relocated altered replica tilted sunkenPEDESTAL? yes no BASE? yes no

ORNAMENT (circle all that apply): none urn sculpture cross plaque

relief decoration incised decoration metal letter applique ornamental vaseFURNITURE (circle all that apply): none sculpture container/vase plaque immortellesLANDSCAPE (circle all that apply): brick asphalt concrete soil grass vegetation

other _____

ENCLOSURE(circle all that apply): curb wall fence noneGRADE SLOPE: positive negative cross-slope noneDEGREE OF GRADE: low medium high

MATERIALS

MATERIAL TYPE	PRIMARY STRUCTURE	BASE N/V	SURFACE FINISH	ORNAMENT	ROOF
MARBLE					
LIMESTONE					
GRANITE					
BASALT		X			
CONCRETE	X			X	
METAL					
STUCCO					
WHITEWASH			X		
LIMEWASH					
CEMENTWASH					

CONDITIONS

EXISTING CONDITION	CONSERVATION STRATEGY
<p>POSITION: fallen unstable overgrown tilted marker/ base other _____</p> <p>DETERIORATION: broken cracked losses flaking/sugaring delaminations/detachment other _____</p> <p>SOILING: biological general graffiti efflorescence painting other</p> <p>FAILED TREATMENTS: ----- metal adhesives/coatings mortar other _____</p>	<p>POSITION: reset in ground reset to existing base resquare botom edge remove fragments in setting slot construct new base possible new base required stabilize foundation</p> <p>DETERIORATION: structural adhesion repair mortars crack fillers flowable grouts consolidation</p> <p>SOILING: chemical pressure wash poultice air abrasion</p> <p>FAILED TREATMENTS: drill/grind hand tools solvents air abrasion</p>

COMMENTS

CONSERVATION PRIORITY (circle all that apply):

hazardous/immediate action **unstable deterioration/ASAP**

ongoing deterioration/treatment required 2-5 years re-inspect in 5 years

artistic or historic significance

prominent

monitor

SUMMARY: Primary structure looks like it has been relocated, covered in thick white paint and mildew.

Headstone: base is chipped with large chunks gone; ornament missing from top (possibly cross on 13).

PHOTO:

