



**The Grove** is a social networking web site developed to bring tree and nature enthusiasts together to share their stories of how families create legacies through tree plantings. The site raises awareness of the benefits of planting trees in urban environments and serves as a community forum for like-minded people who believe in creating a sustainable legacy.

The Florida Urban Forestry Council would like to personally invite you to create a free profile on **The Grove** web site. Becoming a member of **The Grove** enables you to upload photos of trees you have planted with family members and friends in “grove” photo albums, as well as interact with other people who share your interests.

**The Grove** also features a blog that provides tips on tree planting, the latest news in urban forestry, photo contests, as well as many other interesting activities. Be sure to join the Florida group in the community so you can find out about upcoming events and activities in your area.

**Joining is as easy as 1, 2, 3 (and there's no cost to join)!**

- 1. From the Home page of the FUFUC website, scroll down halfway and click on “The Grove” link in the “Quick Links” section on the left side of the screen.**
- 2. The Florida Grove page will appear. In the gray box on the right side of the screen, click on the “Sign Up” link.**
- 3. After you have joined and created your page, click on the “Florida Grove” button located under “Groups.” Click on the “+ Join Florida Grove Group” located in the top right corner under the main photo.**

**That's it --- 1, 2, 3...you're in! But don't stop there, share this with friends and family and ask them to join also.**

Thanks so much for sharing your enthusiasm in building Florida's green legacy with **The Grove**. Together, we can ensure our state's citizens take part in sustaining the future by leaving personal family legacies around trees. On behalf of the Florida Urban Forestry Council and The Florida Grove, thank you for your support!