

Sophia Gordon Allen (- 13 Jan 1904)

Allen. On January 13, 1904 at her residence Cleveland Park, Sophia Gordon, wife of Charles H. Allen in the 64th year of her age. Services at St. Alban's Church, Wisconsin Ave. on Friday, January 15 at 11 o'clock a.m. Interment private.

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Death of Mrs. Allen

Funeral Services at St. Alban's Church Tomorrow

Mrs. Sophia Gordon Allen, wife of Capt. Charles H. Allen, editorial writer of the Post, died at the family residence, in Cleveland Park, yesterday morning, and will be buried tomorrow at Congressional cemetery, after the funeral services at St. Alban's Church, Wisconsin avenue. The deceased, who was 63 years old, has lived in this city for half her life. Besides her husband, she is survived by a son, Mr. Charles Gordon Allen of this city.

Rev. George C. Bratenahl, rector of St. Alban's, will conduct the service at the church, as well as a short private service before the remains leave the family residence. The deceased was closely identified with the charitable work of St. Alban's.

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Last Rites Performed

The funeral of the late Mrs. Allen, wife of Charles H. Allen, took place from her home at Cleveland Park yesterday morning. The services followed at St. Alban's Church at 10 o'clock, Rev. George C. Bratenahl officiating. In addition to the singing of two hymns by the vested choir, Mrs. Charles H. Henney, the contralto of St. Margaret's Church, sang "face to Face" as a voluntary tribute of affection for the deceased. The pallbearers were Messrs. James Mourse, Horace C. Beall, James H. Taylor, Louis C.F. Hugo, George H. Walker, Henry C. Johnson, David Currier and Harry Lee Rust. The body was interred privately in the Congressional cemetery.