

Jessica Eugenie Benham

(- 15 Jan 1968)

Benham, Jessica E. On Monday, January 15, 1968, in Thomaston, Maine, Jessica E. Benham, formerly of Silver Spring, Md., mother of Mrs. Ramos Feehan. Mrs. Benham rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where service will be held Friday, January 19, at 2 p.m. (parking facilities). Interment Congressional Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home, Thursday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

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Mrs. Benham, 91, Sang in Choirs

Mrs. Jessica Tabler Benham, 91, a Silver Spring resident until three years ago, died Monday at her daughter's home in Thomaston, Maine. She had broken her hip eight weeks ago.

Mrs. Benham was born in the District. She taught music at the old Wilson Normal School before her marriage to William Benham in 1906. He was a special assistant to the U.S. attorney general before his death in 1947.

Mrs. Benham sang in choirs at several Washington area Episcopal churches in her younger years.

She was a member of the Pen Women's League of America and the Order of the Eastern Star

Besides her daughter, Mrs. Ramos Feehan, she leaves three granddaughters.

Friends may call today at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring.

Services will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the funeral home, with burial in Congressional Cemetery.