Mary Brady

(- 10 Mar 1877)

Brady. On the morning of March 10, 1877, Mary Brady the beloved wife of John Brady, Esq., aged 84 years. The funeral will take place on Monday the 12th inst. At 3 o'clock p.m. from the residence of her son-in-law, William T. McCuin, No. 1217 G street n.w.

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Brady. Saturday, March 10, 1877, Mary, wife of John Brady, aged 84 years, formerly of Charles county, Md., but a resident of Washington for 24 years past.

Thus passed away from earth one who realized that ideal of the sacred writer in his description of the virtuous woman. It is often charged that eulogies upon departed friends are written by affection at the expense of truth, but no language paid to honor the memory of this noble Christian lady will be deemed extravagant by those who knew her worth. In the relations of wife, mother, friend she was distinguished by a loving regard for the comfort of others so unselfish in its nature is to challenge at once the admiration and wonder of the circle in which she moved, and of which she formed so high an ornament. Hospitality and kindness were the law of her household and no visitor can forget the warm clasp of her hand and the kindly light that beamed from her eye as she uttered words of welcome in tones that fell upon the heart like a strain of music of the "olden time." She was ever active, bright and cheerful--the light and life of the home circle. But the busy hands are quietly folded now. Her loving heart has ceased to beat and the gentle spirit that brightened earth with its presence has gone to mingle with the sacred throng in that bright world above, where those long parted meet again, and those who meet shall part no more.

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