

## Mary Ragan

(1822 - 8 Jun 1884)

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**Ragan.** On Sunday, June 8th, 1884 at 2 o'clock a.m., Mary Ragan, widow of the late John W. Ragan, after an illness of two days.

God knew her suffering  
And knew what was best,  
So He took our dear mother  
Home to rest.  
Rest dear mother.

By Her Children

Funeral will take place from her late residence No. 1316 D street southwest, on Tuesday, June 10th, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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### **Locals**

Mrs. Mary Ragan, a resident of South Washington for the past 25 years, died yesterday morning of a congestive chill. She was a devoted mother and a true and exemplary Christian in every sense of the word. The Rev. Mr. Chapman, pastor of Ryland chapel, of which Mrs. Ragan was a member for 16 years, will officiate at the funeral services.