

## Josephine V. Shields

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**Shields.** On Thursday, August 24, 1905, at 1:10 a.m., at her residence, 810 K street southeast, Josephine V., beloved wife of Samuel E. Shields, after a long and painful illness. Funeral at 2 p.m. August 26, from Christ Church, G street southeast. Interment at Congressional cemetery. Friends and relatives invited. (Baltimore papers please copy).

**Shields.** The officers of Electra Chapter, No. 2, O.E.S., are hereby notified to be present at Masonic Hall, Anacostia, D.C., Saturday, August 26, 1905 at 1 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late sister, Josephine V. Shields.

Mrs. Annie S. Harnish, W.M.

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### **Funeral of Mrs. Josephine Shields**

Mrs. Josephine V. Shields of 810 K street southeast died yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Shields was born in Prince George county, Md., and was twice married. Her first husband was Mr. Mannie Suit of Maryland and her second husband Mr. S.B. Shields of this city. She was prominently identified with the Order of the Eastern Star in this city, having been past matron of Electra Lodge and grand treasurer of the grand chapter of the District. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the grand chapter, and the interment will take place at Congressional cemetery. Mrs. Shields leaves two sons, Mr. A.B. Suit and Mr. Bernard P. Shields, and three daughters, Mrs. Elsie Robinson, Mrs. Mamie E. Copes and Mrs. Eva M. Rauchenstine.