

Josephine Whiting Thompson (- 26 Jun 1872)

Thompson. On the 26th instant, 10 minutes past 4 a.m., Josephine Whiting, youngest child of David A. and America Thompson, aged 18 months and 3 days.

Our Josie's Gone
In the still and quite chamber
There's her empty little bed,
With a print upon the pillow
Of a little shining head.

'Tis a fair and dainty bed--
Downy pillows soft and white--
But within the blankets folded
Lies so little form tonight.

Ah, yes! her empty little bed,
We will put it out of sight
Lest our hearts should grieve too soon
For our little one to night.

We will think how, safe forever,
In the better fold above,
Our young lamb, for which we sorrow,
Resteth now in Jesus' love.

Yes, our Josie's gone
To that world above,
Where angels dwell
And all is love. A.C.M.

Funeral will take place Friday morning, 10 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, 410 New Jersey avenue, between D and E streets. Friends are invited to attend.