

Eugenia Willenbucher

(- 11 May 1957)

Willenbucher, Eugenia. On Saturday, May 11, 1957, Eugenia Willenbucher of 3720 Upton st. n.w., daughter of the late Eugene A. and Henrietta Willenbucher. Surviving nephews are Eugene H. Willenbucher of Atlanta, Ga.; Capt. F.O. Willenbucher, U.S.N. (retired), of Bethesda, Md., and Roland H. Willenbucher of Rockleigh, N.J. Services at the S.H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th St. N.W., on Monday, May 13, at 3 p.m. (parking facilities). Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Miss Willenbucher, Taught in Germany

Miss Eugenia Willenbucher, a native of Washington who lived and taught in Germany for many years, died here yesterday. She was 78.

The daughter of the late Eugene Alfred and Henrietta Willenbucher, Miss Willenbucher lived in Germany from 1907 until her return to this country in 1945. She taught languages and history there, and travelled extensively throughout Europe. Two sisters with whom she returned from Europe during World War II died in recent year. Wilma Willenbucher, an operatic soprano who sang in most of the major opera houses on the continent, during the first part of the century, died February 14, 1955. Charlotte Willenbucher, who was an opera and concert coach and a teacher in Germany, died March 31, 1954.

Surviving are three nephews, Capt. Franz O. Willenbucher, USN retired, 7803 Overhill road, Bethesda; Eugene W. Willenbucher of Atlanta; and Roland F. Willenbucher of Rockleigh, N.J. Services will be held at 3 p.m. tomorrow at the S.H. Hines funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street N.W. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

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Miss Willenbucher, who returned to the District in 1945, lived in Germany with her late sisters, Charlotte and Wilma Willenbucher, who taught voice. Wilma Willenbucher was a protégé of German opera singer Lillie Lehmann, who sang in the U.S. with the Metropolitan Opera company.

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