

Emily Jane Barnes

(- 24 Feb 1959)

Barnes, Emily Jane. Of 4219 Kennedy street, Hyattsville, Md., on February 24, 1959, wife of the late Charles W. Barnes. Mother of Ruebie B. Heironimus and Isabelle Marshall. Grandmother of Samuel R. Marshall. Remains at the Chambers Funeral Home, 5801 Cleveland ave., Riverdale, Md. until Saturday, February 28 at 10:15 a.m. Services at the Church of the Epiphany, 1317 G street n.w. at 11 a.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Mary Jane Barnes

Mary Jane Barnes, who was born in Georgetown and lived nearly all of the 88 years there, died on Tuesday in Prince Georges Hospital.

More accurately, Mrs. Barnes was born on one of her father's canal boats on a run between Georgetown and Cumberland, Md.

An active Episcopalian, she helped to found Ascension and St. Agnes Church, later joining the Church of the Epiphany where she was a member for more than 50 years.

During World War II she gave much of her time to volunteer work, receiving a Red Cross citation. A member of a long-established Washington family, she was a great-niece of George Calvert, Lord Baltimore.

Surviving are two daughters, Ruebie B. Heironimus, of Falls Church and Isabelle Marshall, of Hyattsville, with whom Mrs. Barnes had lived for the last 13 years.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. today at the Church of the Epiphany, 1317 G st. n.w., with burial in Congressional Cemetery.