

John T. Braxton

(- 22 Jul 1866)

Braxton. On the 22d instant, John T. Braxton in his 34th year.

Loved one rest! No pain distressing
Shall thy slumbers break
Neither ease nor fear oppressing
Rudely bid thee wake.
Nor shall sorrow though high swelling
E'er invade thy peaceful dwelling
Though the earth seem sad and dreary
All its joys prove vain
Through its pleasures e'en do weary
Bringing only pain
Yet we waiting here will ever
Hope to meet thee, ne'er to serv er.

His funeral will take place from his late residence on 10th street between D and E streets, Island, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

The Evening Star, July 23, 1866

Deceased

Mr. John T. Braxton for several years a well-known hackman and a resident of the 7th Ward, died at his residence on 11th street yesterday.