

[Brooks, Edward E.]

THOSE WE MOURN  
Mr. Edwin [Edward] E. Brooks

Mr. Edwin [Edward] E. Brooks died at his home, 235 Warwick Ave., Wednesday, December 22, after a protracted illness. Services were held at his late home December 24, Rev. Mr. [William Wallace Rose] officiating. Interment was at Riverside Cemetery. Extended notice will be given later.

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THE PASTOR'S PAGE

Edward Brooks, for seven years a sufferer and an invalid has gone on beyond. His inquiring mind, insatiable for new knowledge has penetrated the mystery of mysteries. His groping desire for more light has been at last rewarded. For many years Mr. Brooks has been known only by name to our people, but in the days of his strength he was numbered among the prominent manufacturers<sup>1</sup> of this city. The sympathy of all goes to his wife Mrs. Julia C. Brooks and to his children Mrs. Lois Wallace and Mr. Carlton Brooks. Besides these Mr. Brooks leaves three sisters and a brother, Mrs. Isabel Compston of Lancaster, England, Mrs. S. Jenkenson of Pittsburg, Mrs. William Van Ness of Barnards, and Wm. Brooks of Rochester. His favorite poem was Thanatopsis, "so live that when thy summons comes," etc. That truly Christian view of death was his faith, and he went "sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust."

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<sup>1</sup> Brooks Furniture Manufacturing Company