

[Forbes, Rose Hosmer]

ROSE HOSMER FORBES

The death of Mrs. Rose Hosmer Forbes, a former resident of Potsdam, occurred at her home in Washington D. C., Tuesday, January 23, 1923, after a long period of ill health. She was confined to her bed only a week, however, influenza developing and her death resulting therefrom.

Mrs. Forbes was a woman of rare culture and refinement, devoted to her home and family. She had lived in Washington for some years with her daughter [sic].

Mrs. Forbes was born in Potsdam N. Y., in 1851, where she spent most of her life. She was the wife of the late Rev. George E. Forbes, who was pastor of the Universalist Church at Canton, N. Y., at the time of his death. The deceased is survived by one daughter, Georgella Forbes, of Washington, D. C.

Funeral services were held at her late residence, 1680 Irving St. N. W., Washington, D. C., at 10 a. m. Thurstay [sic], January 25, Dr. C. E. Rice of the Universalist Church in Washington officiating. The remains were brought to Potsdam where they were placed in the receiving vault at Bayside cemetery.

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