

[Lighthall, Walter M.]

W. M. Lighthall, Minden Native, Taken by Death
Succumbs at Johnstown After Long Illness;
Rites Will Be Held at Chapel in Fort Plain Tomorrow

FORT PLAIN, Jan. 16. Walter Lighthall, 73, died yesterday morning at his home in Johnstown, of heart disease.

He was removed to St. Mary's Hospital here about two weeks ago and returned to his home in Johnstown Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Lighthall was born in the Town of Minden, Montgomery County, October 15, 1863, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lighthall. He had been a resident of Johnstown over half a century and was engaged in the painting and paper hanging trade.

Mr. Lighthall was an attendant of the Universalist Church and a member of the Maccabees.

The survivors are his widow, Mrs. Charlotte Gardner Wright Lighthall; one daughter, Mrs. George Chriss, Fort Plain; one brother, Frank Lighthall, Fort Plain; one sister, Mrs. Mary Sole, Keokuk, Iowa, and several nieces and nephews.

There will be a prayer service held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Johnstown. A funeral service will afterward be conducted in the Catherine Nellis Memorial Chapel, in the Fort Plain Cemetery, where burial will be made.

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