

Kintz, Mary Ann

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Mary Ann Thompson was born in Ohio, April 4, 1844, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Shryock, Baxter, Iowa, March 22, 1912, age being, 67 years, 11 months and 20 days.

She was married to Commodore P. Kintz in 1863. They resided on a farm in Jasper county, Iowa, until 1888, when they moved to Collins, which place has been her home until her death, with the exception of a short residence in Rhodes.

To this union twelve children were born, of whom six survive: Mrs. Margaret Cool and Mrs. Myrtle Shryock of Baxter, Mrs. Sarah Downs and Mrs. Alta Gingles of Collins, Chas. Kintz of Clyde, and Oley A. Kintz of Des Moines.

In addition to the children, three brothers, John Thompson of Collins, Iowa, Joseph Thompson of Hebron, Neb., and Samuel Thompson of State Center, Iowa, survive.

In early married life she united with the Christian church and later, in 1894, with the M. E. church at Collins, Iowa.

The funeral was held at the Christian Church of Collins yesterday 11 a. m. Rev. Medbury of the University Place Christian Church, Des Moines, was the preacher, and gave an eloquent discourse, showing the greatness of motherhood as exemplified by the life of the deceased. The church was filled with an audience, mostly of those

who knew Mrs. Kintz. Many old neighbors and friends were present.

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All were thrilled by the grand sermon which was appropriate, sympathetic and scriptural. Rev. Hodgson assisted in the exercises. A fine choir that included Mrs. Kirk, Misses Maude Wells and Erma Anderson, Messrs. Milo Hall, Glen McCord and Harold Lingenfelter, with Miss June Clark accompanying on the piano, sang appropriate spiritual selections. Mr. Milo Hall sang "Face to Face," a beautiful solo.

The floral tributes were lovely, exquisitely so.

The interment was in the family burying ground in the Collins Cemetery. The pall bearers were J. W. McCord, W. T. B. Shenkle, John Hattery, C. R. Wick, J. M. Hall and Chas. George.

Although the death of Mrs. Kintz has been looked for, yet when the

news came it touched the hearts of many in Collins who knew her for long years. She was endeared to her children, her grandchildren, and her brothers, and to a large circle of friends who esteemed her sincerely.

To the bereaved ones this community gives its tenderest sympathy.

CARD OF THANKS

To the neighbors and friends of Collins and Baxter, who so kindly assisted us through the sickness and death of our beloved mother, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks, also for the beautiful flowers and especially the choir for the beautiful songs.

MARGARET COOL
SARAH DOWNS
ALTA GINGLES
CHAS. KINTZ
MYRTLE SHRYOCK
OLEY A. KINTZ