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Mrs. A. M. Sherman.

Mrs. Sherman's maiden name was Donahue. She was born in the state of Utah forty-three years ago. She lived there with her parents until she was seven years of age. At that time they removed to Grinnell, Ia., settling upon a farm. Here she grew to womanhood. She graduated from the Grinnell high school and for some time was a student in the conservatory of music of Grinnell college. She taught in the public schools for two years. At the age of 23 years she was married to Dr. A. M. Sherman. Twenty years of happiness have been spent in Grinnell and Des Moines.

Mrs. Sherman has not been well for the past two years. She spent a number of weeks in the Methodist hospital in Des Moines in November and December, 1915. And with the hope of improving Dr. Sherman accompanied her to San Antonio, Tex., and to Los Angeles, Cal. After many weeks of suffering, she died Tuesday, April 11, 1916, in a hospital in Los Angeles.

The funeral took place in Des Moines Sunday, April 16, and was conducted by Rev. J. E. Kirby of Plymouth church. Mrs. Katherine Bray Haines, a schoolmate in Grinnell, sang three beautiful solos. The body of Mrs. Sherman was laid to rest in Glendale abbey by the side of her father and mother, who had preceded her in the last three years.

Mrs. Sherman was a matronly woman. One child had come to their home and had been taken away. She was a great lover of flowers and music. Music gave great inspiration and joy to her soul. Mrs. Sherman was a member of the Congregational church in Grinnell, but during her residence in Des Moines had been an attendant at Plymouth church.