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Ruby Services Limited to Family, Few Friends

Rabbi Will Lead Private Rites for Oswald Slayer; Burial Will Follow in Chicago

CHICAGO (AP)—Jack Ruby will be buried Friday morning after private funeral rites.

The interment of Ruby, 55, who died in Dallas Tuesday, will follow a Jewish service attended only by members of his family and a few close friends. The burial will be in the family plot in Westlawn Cemetery.

A pistol shot which killed assassin Lee Harvey Oswald in a basement corridor of the Dallas city jail Nov. 24, 1963, two days after President John F. Kennedy was slain, left Ruby a notorious prisoner. Given a blood clot ending his life in Parkland Memorial Hospital where both Mr. Kennedy and Oswald also died.

Ruby's body was flown to Chicago Tuesday night, arriving just after midnight Wednesday.

Funeral plans were made by Ruby's brothers and sisters at a conference with Hershey Weinstein, an undertaker, in Weinstein's office.

Brothers and Sisters

Present were Earl Ruby of Southfield, Mich., and Sam Rubenstein of Detroit, brothers, and his sisters Mrs. Eva Grant of Dallas; Mrs. Harold K. Ruby and Mrs. Anna Ruby, both of Chicago.

Brother, Hyman

There will be no public viewing of the body, but the family consented that newsmen be allowed to view it this afternoon.

Earl Ruby said the funeral service at 10 a.m. Friday will be conducted by a rabbi, and that Rabbi David Graubart has been asked to officiate. The burial will be an hour later, at 11 a.m.

Earl, as the family spokesman, told newsmen: "I can only say the thing that really bothered my brother was that anybody could think that he was involved in a conspiracy with Oswald to kill the President."

Lost Will to Live

He said that Jack Ruby suffered "great mental anguish" over anyone's believing that he had anything to do with Mr. Kennedy's death. "Jack lost the will to live," after he was admitted to Parkland Hospital under guard, his brother said.

Asked if he had any feelings about the treatment Ruby received as a prisoner of Dallas authorities, Earl replied, "Yes. They definitely neglected Jack when he was in jail. For four months he was lying in bed with his wings up and complaining of feeling ill."

referred he brought a tape recorder to the hospital room to make a recording.

"He got his words on tape—that he was not a part of any conspiracy and didn't know Oswald before this thing happened," Earl said.

\$50,000 Debt

Earl added that his brother incurred about \$50,000 in debts as a result of his trial and the appeal of his murder conviction. The conviction was nullified by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, which ordered a new trial. He did

not... brought to trial a second time.

Weinstein told newsmen he had received an anonymous telephone call from Dallas from a man who asked him what "security" he planned for the funeral service.

Weinstein said he had made no special plans and would be at his brother's funeral.

... security. There's likely to be trouble."

A sergeant and two patrolmen were assigned to the mortuary where Ruby's body was being prepared for burial. The guard, of Chicago policemen, was placed there roughly before the phone