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Rites for Bob Considine at St. Patrick's tomorrow

NEW YORK — Funeral services will be held tomorrow at St. Patrick's Cathedral for columnist Bob Considine, who died Thursday night. 257 669

Public viewing of the body will be at the Frank E. Campbell Funeral Home on Madison Avenue from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today.

Following the Mass of the Resurrection at 12:30 p.m. interment will take place at the Gate of Heaven Cemetery in Westchester County.

Former President Nixon described Considine, who was 69, on Friday as "one of the greatest

journalists of the mid-20th Century" and said he will be remembered "for his warm and loyal friendship."

In a telephone call to the San Diego Union, the former president recalled that "Bob accompanied me on our historic visit to the People's Republic of China in 1972 and contributed a characteristically perceptive interpretation of that event."

"He will be remembered as one of the greatest journalists of the mid-20th Century," Nixon said. "Mrs. Nixon joins me in expressing our sincere condolences to Bob's wife, Millie, and all his children."