

Senator Will Be Buried Near His Slain Brother

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Senator Robert F. Kennedy will be buried Saturday near his slain brother on a grassy hillside of the Arlington National Cemetery, across the Potomac River from the Lincoln Memorial.

As increased numbers of visitors climbed the white marble steps today to the terrace where President Kennedy lies with two of his children in front of an eternal flame, workmen measured areas within the 3.2-acre memorial.

But officials working on plans for the burial said that no final decision had been made as to a gravesite, other than it would be "in the area" of the grave of the Senator's older brother.

Under Secretary of State Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, who was deputy to Mr. Kennedy in the Justice Department and succeeded him as Attorney General, was helping the Kennedy family coordinate arrangements.

Details Are Withheld

Officials of the Washington Military District, who arrange ceremonies in the capital, drew up tentative plans for the burial. But they withheld details until they could be approved by the Kennedy family.

Pierre Salinger, who was press secretary to the late President, announced in Los Angeles that the Senator's body would arrive in Washington by

Arlington Cemetery Gravesite to Be in Area of President's —Flow of Tourists Rises

train about 4:30 P.M. Saturday after a requiem mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City.

He said the cortege would move from Union Station past the New Senate Office Building, where the Senator had a small, third-floor office suite, past the Justice Department and then across the Potomac to Arlington.

Part of the route is expected to be the same as that of the cortege of President Kennedy on Nov. 25, 1963. But the ceremony will be less elaborate.

State Department officials said that most foreign Governments would be represented at the funeral by their Ambassadors in Washington. But they said that other foreign dignitaries were expected, including John Lynch, the Prime Minister of Ireland, and a delegation from the French Government.

Tourists at Memorial

At the Kennedy Memorial in Arlington, members of the honor guard said that the number of visitors had increased over the usual tourist flow.

"Usually there's a lot of talking and picture taking," Pfc. James Greer said. "There's less of that now."

A wreath of lilies, placed there yesterday by the President of Costa Rica, stood be-

hind President Kennedy's grave.

The grave is down a slope from the columned portico of the Custis-Lee Mansion. It is marked by a low, gray slate tablet that says "John Fitzgerald Kennedy, 1917-1963."

On either side are smaller slate markers over the graves of two of his children, Patrick Bouvier Kennedy, who lived less than two days in August, 1963, and an unnamed baby-girl stillborn in 1956.

Restrictions on Burials

The three graves and the eternal flame are in a rectangle, 18 feet by 30 feet, covered by golden brown granite slabs and set in the middle of the white marble terrace.

Workmen at the cemetery said that a possible site for Senator Kennedy's grave would be in a 210-foot-wide grassy mound, several yards down the hill from the President's grave but within the memorial. Only a tall, gnarled post oak stands on the mound.

Since 1967, burial at the Arlington National Cemetery has been restricted to winners of the Medal of Honor, members of the armed forces on active duty or in retirement, and veterans who have held high governmental posts. Together with their wives and minor children.

Senator Kennedy, a former Attorney General, was discharged from the Navy in 1946 after serving as a seaman on the destroyer named for another deceased brother, Joseph P. Kennedy Jr., who was killed on a flying mission in World War II.