

World Pays Tribute

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to Kennedy

Display Respect in Many Ways

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Around the world, sorrowing people demonstrated their respect for President Kennedy by the little things they did.

In Portugal they donned black ties and put mourning bands on their arms.

The prime minister of Great Britain, Sir Alec Douglas-Home, stood in a church filled with Sunday worshipers and sang the Battle Hymn of the Republic: "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory of the Coming of the Lord."

At Skopje, the Yugoslavia town hit by a devastating earthquake July 26, 146 American soldiers decided to forego their Sunday off and continued working on homes for victims. The soldiers, sent there by President Kennedy, said work was the best way to honor their dead commander in chief.

"Lose Great Friend"

In the Yugoslav capital of Belgrade, a student sat before the book of condolences at the United States embassy and

penned these words:

"I am one of 19 million Yugoslavs who sincerely admired his dynamism and efforts for the preservation of peace. With his death, we lose a great friend."

A great hymn of eulogy for assassinated President Kennedy and prayers for his successor, Lyndon B. Johnson, welled up in churches both east and west of the iron curtain Sunday and echoed to the farthest reaches of a saddened world.

World Greats Gather

At the same time, kings, princes, presidents, prime ministers and other high officials from around the world poured into Washington to pay final homage to slain President Kennedy.

Never have so many top foreign leaders gathered in this city of historic events. Perhaps never in history has any event gathered together so many wielders of temporal power.

The more than 100 foreign delegations joined governors from most of the 50 states, and other officials of states and cities, who came from afar to mourn with official Washington.

Heading the out of Washington American mourners were two former United States chief executives, Harry S. Truman and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Gov. and Mrs. Reynolds of Wisconsin will also be there.

Other Notables

From abroad flew such notables as French President Charles de Gaulle, Ethiopia's Emperor Haile Selassie, Belgium's King Baudouin, West German President Heinrich Luebke and Chancellor Ludwig Erhard, Japan's Prime Minister Hayate Ikeda, Philippines President Macapagal, Turkey's Premier Ismet Inonu.

Queen Elizabeth sent as her representative her husband, Prince Philip, along with Prime Minister Sir Douglas-Home. Other British commonwealth nations sent representatives, including Canadian Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson.

Iron curtain countries sent their emissaries, headed by the Soviet Union's first deputy premier, Anastas Mikoyan. Poland sent Stanislaw Kulczynski, deputy chairman of the council of state.