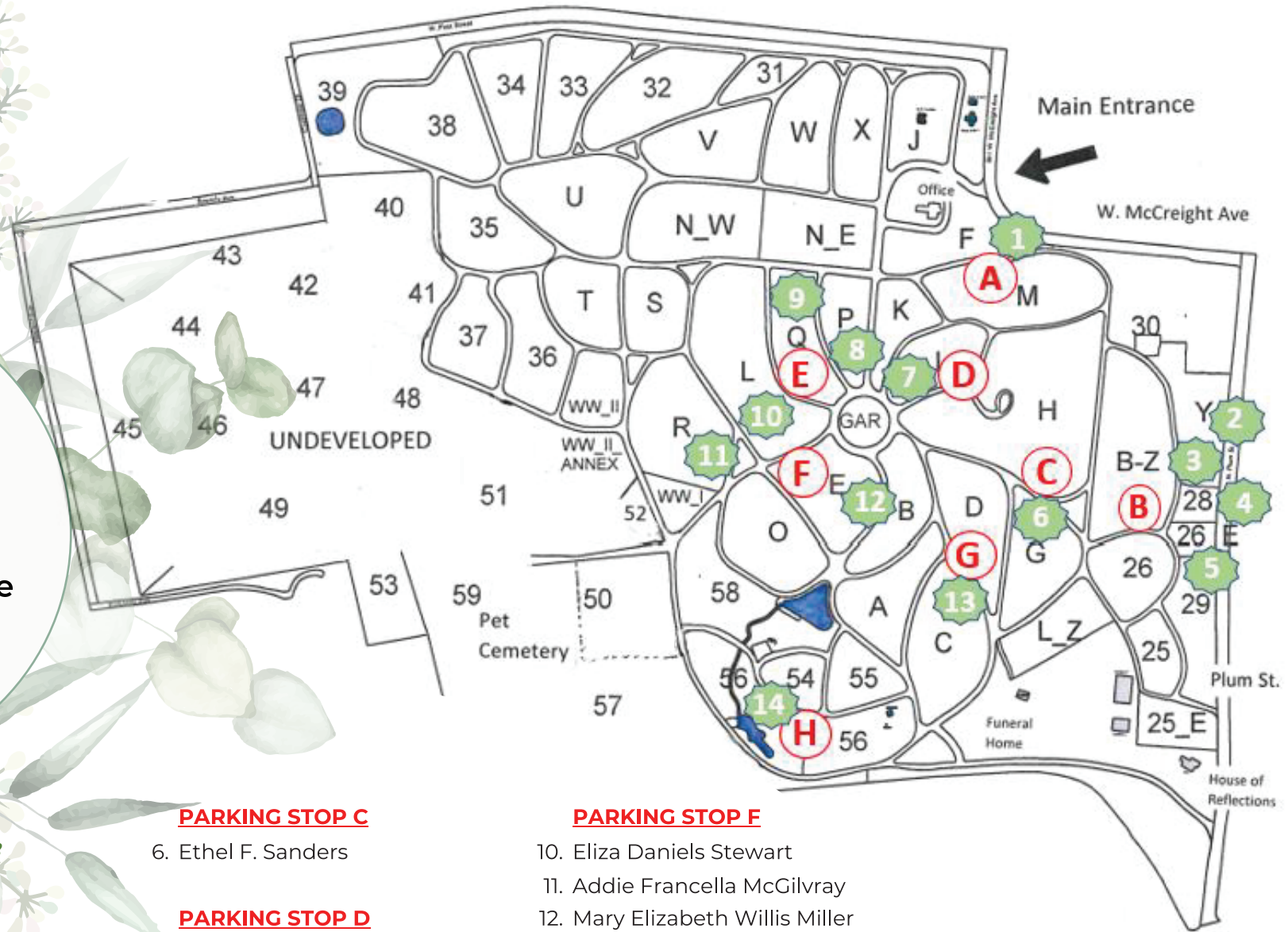


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1. Sarah Gammon *TB*

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Stop	Space	Name	Bio/Info	Sect.	Lot
A	1	Sarah Gammon 1808 - 1902	Along with her husband George, she was a dedicated activist in The Underground Railroad, and owner of the Gammon House, a noted safehouse for escaping slaves. TB	F	92
B	2	Viola Tyler Goings 1899 - 1983	Local teacher and civic activist. Viola is perhaps best known as one of "The Five Pearls" who founded the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, traditionally an African American women's sorority. TB	Y	118
B	3	Hattie Moseley 1899 - 1965	Civic activist and leader in the Civil Rights movement. She fought for desegregation of Springfield schools. TB	Y	57
B	4	Dorothy Bacon 1912 - 1985	Civil Rights pioneer; Dorothy was secretary of the NAACP and Democratic committewoman. She was a leader in the founding of Perrin Woods Elementary, the first desegregated school in Springfield. TB	28	64
B	5	Ernestine Lucas 1914 - 2005	Educator and author, community activist, and local authority on the geneology of African American families around Springfield. TB	29	34
C	6	Ethel F. (Holzberg) Sanders 1893 - 1974	A graduate of the U. of Cincinnati and Columbia U. Library School, Ethel started a patient's library at both City and Mercy Hospitals. Civically and philanthropically active in leadership positions with the American Red Cross, Springfield Civic Theatre, Springfield Foundation, Warder Public Library and Temple Shalom.	G	263
D	7	Dr. Ada L. Adams 1835 - 1876	Ada assisted in the hospital during the Civil War. In 1868, she entered medical practice at the Pennsylvania House, earning her Doctor of Medicine in 1870, becoming the first woman physician in Ohio.	H	58
E	8	Margaret Evelyn Baker 1897 - 1986	Accomplished Mezzo Soprano, actress and filmmaker in New York, Margaret returned to Springfield to become the General Manager of the Champion Co, upon the death of her father in 1921. Active in many local boards and clubs, she made 15 trips around the world, making several well known documentary films.	P	19
E	9	Dr. Bennetta D. Titlow 1868 - 1946	Dr. Titlow began practice in Springfield in 1892. She was the founder of "Babay Health Camp", a public health service for infants and children in need. She served in the Medical Corps in France in WWI, and continued her practice until her death in 1946.	Q	171
F	10	Eliza Daniels Stewart 1816 - 1908	AKA Mother Stewart, Eliza was a national leader of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which opposed the consumption of alcohol.	L	570
F	11	Addie Francella (Gray) McGilvray 1856 - 1935	Long a community activist and philanthropist, along with her husband, one time mayor, Charles McGilvray, Addie's generosity to the community was prolific, including the donation of their home to the YMCA, Clark Memorial Home, and generous gifts to Wittenberg, including the erection of the natatorium.	Sect R, Lot 33 McGilvray Mausoleum	
F	12	Mary Elizabeth Willis Miller - Penname: Minnie Willis Baines 1845 - 1923	American author; her writing favored temperance, morality, religion, and women's suffrage. First published at age 14, Mary was also quite active in local and regional WCTU and women's rights organizations.	E	11
G	13	Ann Aston Warder 1781 - 1871	An early leader supporting the Underground Railroad, Mrs. Warder, along with her husband and nine children were among Springfield's wealthiest families and largest philanthropists. Warder Library (now Literacy Center) was built with donations from their son, Benjamin.	C	14
H	14	Anne Snodgrass- Benston 1923 - 2022	A local history buff, Anne dedicated her time to preserving history. Past president of the Clark County Historical Society,. Co-author of our <u>Beautiful Ferncliff</u> book. Anne Benston Lake is located in Section 56.	56	

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