

***Fairview Cemetery  
Preservation Association  
P.O. Box 5958  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502***



***Fairview Cemetery  
Physical Location  
1134 Cerrillos Rd.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico***

## **Fairview Cemetery Preservation Association**

### **FCPA Newsletter – February 2023**

<http://www.fairviewcemeterysantafe.org/>

*February 6, 2023*

*Dear Friends of Fairview,*

*I hope this communication finds you well as we begin another year, may it bring ever more adventure and joy. We at Fairview have been reveling in the struggle of trying to breath new life into a cemetery rich with history and culture. There have been challenges and progress.*

*As the Board of Directors evolves, we hope to communicate more, embrace fresh thought and welcome new faces. Being a fully volunteer, non-profit organization, more helping hands diversifies our capabilities and provides opportunity for people to share the rich history of our beloved cemetery. Fairview Cemetery depends on volunteers and donations and requires help from our dedicated community. We are grateful to our supporters and we hope you will consider an in-kind, tax-deductible gift to The Fairview Cemetery Preservation Association.*

*As we say goodbye to treasured friends and family, we also say hello to new faces and voices as they bless us with their energy, care, and laughter. Join us in remembering life and celebrating the departed as we do the work of caring for our common ground, our connection to the past, the final resting place of our loved ones. Please take a moment and click the "Become A Donor Today" button or visit our website: [donorbox.com/fairviewcemeterysantafe](http://donorbox.com/fairviewcemeterysantafe) to make a donation today or mail a check to Fairview Cemetery Preservation*

*Association (P.O Box 5958 Santa Fe, NM 87502).*

*Your time and energy are valuable as well and we at Fairview Cemetery welcome all.*

*In gratitude,*

*Peter Chang*

*President, Fairview Cemetery Preservation Association*

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*Thank you to our generous donors. Your support helps maintain Fairview Cemetery,  
an integral part of Santa Fe's history.*





## In Memoriam

Fairview Cemetery Board Member

KATHRYN CHRISTINE (K.C.) MASON

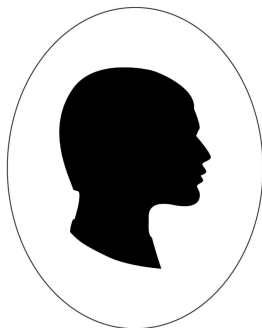
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### *We Also Remember*

*Aileen and Mamie O'Bryan, Sarah Carillo, and Severo Cordova*

## FAIRVIEW CEMETERY HISTORY



### William Washington Griffin c. 1838 - 1888

William Washington Griffin was born in Clarksburg, Virginia where he lived until he was 21. He settled in Little Rock, Arkansas where he became deputy clerk of the district court and studied surveying and civil engineering. He accompanied a surveying party from Galveston, Texas to Santa Fe arriving in 1860. He was a surveyor here for a time, then became chief clerk in the quartermaster's department. In 1871, when the First National Bank was organized, he became the cashier and one of the directors. He later became president, succeeding Stephen Elkins.



### Selina Arny c. 1818 - 1890

Selina's husband, William was a military officer who presided as acting governor of the New Mexico Territory just after the Civil War. When he died he was buried at the Masonic Cemetery which later was condemned. So, Selina could not be buried next to him there. She died penniless and was taken care of by local nuns. Since Gen. Arny was moved to the National Cemetery and at that time spouses were not buried there also, a plot was donated by the Cemetery Company in Fairview for Selina. She traced her ancestors back to the Revolutionary War. The local DAR chapter supplied a headstone for her.



The Fairview Cemetery is managed by the Fairview Cemetery Preservation Association, a nonprofit organization whose mission is to operate and maintain Fairview Cemetery and preserve it as an important and accessible historical resource for the local, state and national communities.

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Remember **Fairview** Cemetery Preservation Association in your giving plan. The FCPA is a 501(c)(3) organization run by an all-volunteer board that is dedicated to maintaining and preserving the cemetery as an important and accessible historical resource at the local, state and national level. To contribute to the Building/Maintenance Fund mail checks to PO Box 5958, Santa Fe, NM, 87502, made out to "**Fairview** Cemetery Preservation Association."

An account has been established at the Santa Fe Community Foundation, which can accept both checks and securities. Income from the fund helps pay for routine maintenance. Checks made to the "Santa Fe Community Foundation" should be annotated "**Fairview** Cemetery Endowment" and mailed to:

Santa Fe Community Foundation  
PO Box 1827  
Santa Fe NM 87504

To contribute securities to the endowment fund at the Santa Fe Community Foundation, contact [info@fairviewcemetery.org](mailto:info@fairviewcemetery.org)

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