

MAGERS CEMETERY

This small cemetery is run down because animals have been allowed to roam through it. It is on property which was owned by Herman Rabbitt near the intersection of Routh 118 and Cloppers Road. It is located on the other side of the fence, beneath a dead tree, behind the last house on the right side of Cloppers Road before it intersects with 118. The resident of the house said she had been to the plot many times and rememberd it having more stones than now are visible, including one for an infant.

One small "Washington Monument" type stone - "In Memoriam, farewell darling, although thou art gone we deeply feel thy loss, but God knows best, there is an isle of rest in heaven for thee. Farewell (the last word looked like Mamm).  
Mamie E. L. - daughter of U. G. and Lucinda Magers, born June 23, 1888, died February 10, 1898.

Another stone - "Im memory of Julia A. Mobley, died December 10, 1904, aged (this part of the stone was broken off.

Another stone - Samuel, died March 12, 1893, aged 64 years

Another with just the initials M. E. L. M. which looks as if it could go with the first one listed, as the initials are the same.

There were also two foot stones with the initials S. T. M. and J. A. M. These probably were for Julia and Samuel.

There were also four large stones which appeared to be markers.

Upton Magers of Gaithersburg told me about this cemetery and said they were members of his family. His cousin Orville Majers lives in Damascus in 1975.

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*I was in the cemetery in 1975  
and saw the stones.*

*Orville Majers*

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