

Place Washington, D.C. No 4757  
 Building National Shrine of Immaculate Conception Date of Completion 11/15/63 *Perhaps May 1964*  
4th and Michigan Av. N.E.  
 Persons Interested ..... Price : 3500 (\$45.46).

Minister Director: Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Grady, Mgr. Denomination R.C.  
 Architect Magnin, Walsh and Mahony, Boston, 126 Beakley St. Boston.

Vents .....  
 Position North Wall - West Transept related to the Chapel of Our Lady of  
in Church Mount Carmel. E window.  
 Height 50 feet. Protection Glass Groove Rabbit Metal Stone  
 from floor ..... Wood .....  
 Exposure North. Footage 77 feet.  
 Inscription No memorial inscription.

Design wanted SOON. Staging .....  
 Templates ..... Blueprints .....

General Information Windows deeply set.

Elias' vision of the small cloud described in Three Kings. /18.  
 The significance of the vision is this: There had been a period of draught  
 Elias prayed. When he at length saw a cloud no bigger than a man's  
 hand he knew that rain was coming and the end of the draught. ---The  
 small cloud is taken to be the Blessed Virgin; the forerunner of salvation  
 In other words, seeing the smallsize cloud is like seeing the whole  
 economy of salvation fortheoming. A particular reference to the  
 Immaculate Conception is involved in the fact that the cloud rises out  
 of the sea, leaving behind the salt, and rising pure and white into the  
 sky.

Note: Reference is made to the Vision of Elias in the Encyclical Ad  
 Diem Illum Laetissimum  
 Pius X.

~~A text may be supplied for this window if necessary.~~  
 Text: In a little cloud God gave Elias A sign of the spotless Virgin to come