

W/W
CHARLES J. CONNICK : DESIGNER AND WORKER IN STAINED AND
LEADED GLASS : NINE HARCOURT STREET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

City or Town Birmingham, State Mich. No. 2666
Date of
Church White Chapel Mausoleum. Completion July 1, 1946.
Donor and Mrs. James C. Gordon.
Address Alvin E. Harley. Quality of (\$900 (\$82 per foot).
Architect Harley, Ellington and Day, 1507 Strch Bldg. Glass
Detroit 26, Michigan.
Denomination
and Minister
Footage 11 feet (See note*) sight
Sizes, full
Ventilators Set by
Position in Church James C. Gordon Room. Job #612.
Height from floor 3' 2" Protec- Groove Stone
tion Glass Rabbet Wood
Points of compass
Quality of light Southern.
Inscription
Design wanted Staging
Blue-prints
Shipping address White Chapel Mausoleum, Received
Birmingham, Michigan.
Asked Detroit St. Glass Works
for these.
Bill to Templets
Photos of Cartoons Mailed

General Information Decorative tree springing from a symbol of wheat and
surrunding flowers. (See Architect's suggestion on blueprint.)
(See also Sacramento photograph).

This design to symbolize the character of the late Mr. Gordon, who
was President of the Gordon-Pagel Bakery Company, very large bakers
of bread. It appeals to Mrs. Gordon, as her husband was a man who had
his feet on the ground, who loved nature. The suggestion of flowers on
the lower portion to give color.
The window should not be too dark, the idea is to let as much light
into the room as possible.

For addresses of those to be notified as window progresses, see other side.

"The central motif of the decorative flowering tree, springing from the symbolic sheaf of wheat, gives opportunity for colorful expression, while the field of cool whites accented with light blue will impart a brilliance and sparkle, admitting an abundance of illumination.

"Six golden birds flying upward, in the field surrounding the tree, suggest joyful aspiration, and the light blue border is designed in conventional cloud forms accented with golden stars of heavenly steadfastness."

*Note: Detroit Stained Glass Works wrote: "...Yesterday we had a man go to the building and check the size which is as follows -- Light size -- 23 5/8" wide by 63 7/8" high. Allowing a little for easy setting a good make size would be - 23 1/2" wide by 63 7/8" high."