

Florence Bratenahl Plaque



Location: In the Bishop's Garden in the wall above the Upper Perennial border

The original plaque was carved from French limestone and dedicated on May 8, 1957. In 2006 the Guild's Garden Committee found that the stone used for the original plaque had become badly deteriorated and replaced the original Bratenahl plaque with a replica made of Indiana limestone.

Inscription:

This Tablet
Is Placed in These Walls
By All Hallows Guild
In Grateful Memory
Of
Florence Brown Bratenahl
Whose Vision, Zeal, and Artistry
Brought into Being
The Bishop's Garden
In the Year 1925

Mrs. Bratenahl succeeded Frederick Law Olmsted, Jr. as designer of the Bishop's Garden. She was an early All Hallows Guild Member who worked tirelessly to create a Garden for the Ages.