

[Porter, Pamela Thompson]

DEATHS.

In Kirkland, Oneida county, on the 14th inst., Mrs. *Pamelia*, wife of Mr. Rufus Porter, aged 35 years. Sister Porter, then Pamela Thompson, was formerly a member of the Presbyterian communion—but several years ago it pleased God to bless her with a knowledge of the fullness of the Gospel, when she...became a member of the First Universalist Church in Whitestown, in which communion she continued unwavering and joyful till her death. She has left a husband, and one daughter, together with other children of Mr. Porter by a former marriage, to mourn the loss of an affectionate and attentive wife and mother. Of mild and amiable manners, clear and strong intellect, and a godly life and well ordered conversation, her departure will long be sensibly felt by the community and church of which she was an ornament, as well as by her sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral was attended on the following Monday, by a large concourse of people, to whom the substantial source of consolation, hope and trust were pointed out in an excellent discourse by Br. S. R. [Stephen Rensselaer] Smith.

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