

## Litchfield

The Universalist society of North Litchfield was organized in 1840. The original members were: William Whitmore, Elisha Whitmore, Charles Marshall, John Everett, Martin Everett, Horace Ball, J. C. Warren, Joseph Ball, Philip M. Spencer, William Underwood, Elijah Gage, James Gage and Samuel Howard. Of these, Horace Ball and J. C. Warren only are now living. Rev. Messrs. T.[Theodore] D. Cook, Dolphus Skinner, Eben Francis, Theophilus Fisk, William H. Rider, D.[DeWitt] C. Tomlinson, N.[Nelson] Snell, T.[Timothy] Clowes, Daniel Pickering, N.[Nathaniel] Stacy, Stephen R. Smith, A.[Aaron] B. Grosh, J.[James] H. Tuttle, and Samuel Ramsey have been pastors of this society. John and Mary Ann Ramsay gave the ground on which the church stands, on condition that it should be used for a Universalist church and for no other use. This church edifice, twenty-eight by thirty-eight feet, was erected in 1840, at a cost of \$3,000. It has never been remodeled, or had other than ordinary repairs.

Frederick W. Beers, *History of Herkimer County, NY*  
(New York: 1879) p. 135

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