

[Borden, Jane M.]

Death of Mrs. Borden

With grief we learn of the death of Mrs. Jane M., wife of Rev. Thomas Borden, pastor of the Universalist Society in Hudson, N.Y. She died on the 9th instant, in Hudson, happy in the faith of a world's salvation, leaving two children [Gertrude, b. Jan 1852, and George, b. Oct 1853], besides her husband and many devoted friends to mourn her loss.

Her funeral was attended on the 11th inst., in the Universalist church in Hudson, and an appropriate discourse delivered by Rev. W. W. Dean, of Boston. The occasion was a deeply affecting one, attracting the attention and calling forth warm expressions of sympathy, not only from those connected with our own Society, but from the clergy and laity of all denominations. Her remains were taken to Berlin, Ct., for interment.

Christian Ambassador, Auburn NY, Sat. 23 Apr 1859

Mrs. Borden
[abridged]

We announced last week the death of Mrs. Borden, wife of Rev. T. Borden, pastor of the Universalist Society in Hudson, N.Y. In the *Hudson Daily Star* we find the following just tribute to the character and worth of one who won the regard of all who formed her acquaintance:—

A few days since appeared in our city papers a brief notice of the death of Mrs. J. M. Borden, wife the Rev. Thomas Borden, Pastor of the Universalist Church and Society of this city. You will allow me to make a few remarks in regard to the subject of this notice.

Mrs. Borden was not only young, beautiful, gifted, refined, pure in heart, but she was also a wife and mother. She was beloved by all who knew her. In the death of Mrs. B., a husband has to lament the loss of an amiable and loved companion, two young children the tender care of an affectionate mother, and society one of its brightest ornaments. By precept and also by example she contributed largely to the advancement of her Divine Master's kingdom, and the happiness of those with whom she associated. The time is far distant when her Christian virtues will be forgotten, or the record of her kindness and affection be obliterated from the memory of those who enjoyed her acquaintance.

Her funeral took place from the Universalist Church, and was attended by a very large concourse of citizens, of all denominations, who seemed anxious to pay the last token of respect to one who had died young and full of Christian hope.

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