

[Brunson, Daniel]

DEATHS.

In Warren, Herkimer county, January 31, DANIEL BRUNSON, in the 74th year of his age. He was one of that little band who faced the dangers of war to achieve our country's independence. Br. B. was also an ardent and exemplary believer in the doctrine of a world's salvation—in which faith and its correspondent practice he lived, and, cheered by its consolations, he exchanged this life for a better.

His last request was, that he might have a Universalist preacher to deliver a funeral discourse, either on the day of interment, or immediately afterwards. But an ungrateful and bigoted son, a Methodist professor [someone who professed Methodism] in the absence of his more dutiful fellow-mourners, contrived to defeat his father's last request and dying expectations, by procuring a Partialist preacher, and burying the corpse the day after its decease! Comment is needless. From such a spirit—from such piety—from such filial love, "good Lord deliver us."

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