

[Farnsworth, David]

DEATHS.

In Boston, Erie county, August 28th, DAVID FARNSWORTH, aged 38 years. Funeral discourse by Elder Fuller, Close Communion Baptist, of Eden.—*Br. Farnsworth died a Universalist.* This remark is made here, solely because it is *reported* that he renounced Universalism just before his death, which report, I am authorized to say, is totally false. From respect to the feelings of his aged parents, he consented that a Partialist might be invited to preach the funeral discourse.

May the parents, and all the connexions, especially the widow of the deceased, be comforted with that consolation which the preacher proffered not, even the comforting and sustaining power of that faith which is "the substance of things hoped for."

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