

[Hughes, Dorothy Wilmarth]

DEATHS.

In Albany, on the 24th of March, DOROTHY, wife of John M. Hughes, Esq., and daughter of Ezra Wilmarth, aged 48 years. Her remains were conveyed to Victor for interment, where her funeral was attended on the 28th, by a large concourse of weeping relatives and sympathizing friends. Mrs. Hughes has been for many years a believer in the doctrine of the restitution. Influenced by the sublime truths of the Gospel, she has ever proved herself a humble disciple of him who "went up and down in the earth doing good." The doctrine she so worthily adorned during life, was her comfort and solace in the season of sorrow, in the hour of sickness and upon the bed of death. Sustained by its influence she endured the pangs of a most painful disease with surprising fortitude. Retaining her senses to the last, conscious that the hour of her departure was at hand, her dying thoughts were devoted to the welfare of those who in life had shared in her affections, and with a perfect resignation to the will of the Lord she fell asleep. In her death, her aged father, her bereaved husband, her adopted child and numerous relatives have indeed experienced an irreparable loss. But it is not her relatives alone who have cause for sorrow.—There is a large vacancy in the denomination to which she belonged—in the church of which she was a member—in the friendly circle where she moved, and in the city where she dwelt. The poverty stricken have lost a benefactor and the world a bright example of all that is excellent and kind. To the relatives of the deceased the writer would tender his heart-felt sympathy, with the humble prayer that God would enable us at all times to bow in resignation to the dispensations of his providence, and in all our trials to exclaim, "It is the Lord, let him do as to him seemeth good."

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