

[Kidder, Sarah A.]

Deaths.

In Alexander, Genesee Co., N.Y., Nov. 21st, 1856, Miss SARAH A. KIDDER, aged 25 years. The death of this young lady has left a saddened household of parents [Hiram and Cynthia], of a brother, a sister [Celinda], and of friends. She was modest and retiring in her manners, earnestly devout and religious in her feelings, and in faith a Universalist. She was amiable in her disposition, and with a firm and unfailing trust in Heaven, she moved about like an angel of mercy, the light and joy of the domestic circle. She loved home and its duties better than the vanities of youth. But the destroyer at last triumphed over the suffering "earthly tabernacle," and introduced her freed spirit into that "building of God, that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens," there to mingle in the society of loved ones of earth who had gone before. May this reflection comfort the hearts of those who have been afflicted by this dispensation of divine Providence.—Her funeral was attended at the Universalist church in Alexander, on the 24th, where a large concourse of friends and neighbors assembled to mingle their sympathies with the afflicted. May God bless them all. Services by the writer.

W. [Rev. William] B. Cook

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