

[Stetson, Ezra]

DEATHS.

At his residence, in Springfield, Otsego county, June 2d, Mr. EZRA STETSON, aged 71 years. He was one of the oldest Universalists in the country, having professed that doctrine for more than 35 years. He was also ardently attached to the society of Free-Masons, and was desirous that a Universalist clergyman who was a mason, should deliver the discourse at his funeral. In this his prayer was answered, and the sermon preached by Rev. S. [Seth] Jones of Ellisburg. Mr. Stetson lived a worthy professor [i.e. one who professed], and died in full faith of the salvation of all men [sic].

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