

Wm Broadbent's life, dictated Aug. 14. 1821.

Born Oct. 13. 1743. Longwood, Huddersf. P. Clothiers, inelig-
Another boy w. m. in school, his P. Methodist, he said: We sh-
love one day the when die, happy in heaven; how good it is
to see of God. Many others called some very the full app. care
life; strong call at Mellor in Chapel in ready P. alms: They would sweet
in honeyer that: What can this mean? I don't see much, refined
fe. comp. I said: O Lord let me know how sweet it is! I re-
member full well when I enjoyed something of it. Another visit
sp. of God talked w. P. about, Father said: One, good
and is going off his wits, pray they nothing talk. To him so
bring him off that nonsense, at 23 yrs old (learned Cloth-
making). Looked on as a solid still Lady: that, I was many
to go hand in hand to heaven, could 22 or 3 yrs, resolved
to be relig. together, married at 25 yrs, she 24. married 13 yrs
8 children (4 living) she read for childbed, but said: I shall die;
I am with a law. I don't see a P. (as had 2 or 3 yrs before
added Wm in Thighouse Huddersf. P. (min. P.) law. left me; I
directed her w. great freedom to mercy-seat, Mr Caldwell called,
ablest to her, she died. Before then, I once digged me for one hour
full portrait, asked for help, rose unspeakably refreshed,
deeply convicted of sin - much addicted to P. & harsh words,
fell ag. into this, then ready to despoil, almost tempted to put
end to my life. No spirit of P. could I? was wronged by the
ghost, ~~and was off with his death~~ ^{by 2 children & a man} prayed till exhausted: O Lord
Thy knowest the of heart, remove, destroy, if yet necessary, my
such virtue in blood, as spoken in Can. rev. G. let it wait.
upon all destroy, over law, as if stood before me. (But alas!
not been faithful to that. Wife rem. me: There is a way to
fall off.) I saw piece of side. Sam. Gadist. & I mark that day together
they asked him: Why he left P.? he came and his unfaithfulness.
salding, I was called to Inverness, but that I shd be much time
and we went to Thighouse preaching together; much blessed
to me. Our acquaint. very useful. 7 yrs a Widow by the day.

her Minister to be met in
ministry blessed for her departure. Her grandchildren
In that time joined to Bm, recd. Sept. 29. 1787, W.C. Aug. 30.
1788 at Fuln. Left with 7 small child^{en}, wrought hard, main-
tained them decently, baffled manifold temptat^{ns}, got thro' well,
that was God's doing. In a 2^d agn Oct. 26. 1789, she had one child,
it died; then she imp^{or} to return to Bm, who lived in Shool
wth 9 or 10 fork^s of 16 months, then to Fuln. bread-carrier
of Bm's Bakehouse. Once coming home fr. Oley in darkest
night, afraid, drawn into prayer: that he knew way th^o, knew
God my distress, that wd help me - in little wood n^o Horseforth, Lord
heard me, eard burden taken away, came home cheerful. Master
asked me: How so cheerful? must have drunk? I tho' it a great
deliver^{ce}. In 1812 dangerously ill. I felt I shall not live Oct.
over.