

Dep^d Jan^y 2^d 1764

Hannah Ellingworth's journey of life

our dear Sister Hannah Ellingworth was born at Whitby
 October 27th. 1721. her maiden Name was Overend, She was
 Married with the present widower Joshua Ellingworth at Bradford
 In March 1749. She had in her Marriage 1. Son & 2. daughters
 The Son about 8. Year old She left behind, the 2. daughters went
 before her to our gracious S^{dr} as Infants, She was brought up
 a Presbyterian & became concerned about her Salvation Soon
 after her Marriage. In the Year 1752. her Heart was laid pressing
 hold of by our Saviour's Grace thro' Dr. Fenicks preaching
 here, in Yorkshire, Since that Time She adhered to the
 Brethren, & was according to her Earnest desire Received
 in to the Breⁿs Society at Horton, in the Year 1753, which
 proved a great Blessing to her heart, our dear S^{dr} brought
 her more & more upon her heart & shewed her her
 deep Corruption & depravity, on which account She
 was deeply concerned, & Spoke often with many Tears
 to her Labourers about it, She met with hard Trials in
 her Familie which She bore with ~~uncommon~~ uncommon
 patience & Resignation to our dear S^{dr},
 on January the 1. 1761. her longing wish for deliverance
 was granted her, & She was Received in to the Cong^{re}
 for which Grace her Heart was truly thankful
 She was of late Years often troubled with a Lameness
 in her Limbs which prevented her from Enjoying
 the Cong^{re} meetings, Sister Hauptmann who of late
 has often Spoke with her, about her Heart, found her
 as a poor Sinner closely attached to our dear S^{dr}'s wounded
 person, a few weeks before her departure She told her, that
 She felt & believed that She would not be long here but should
 go to our dear S^{dr}, & kept an openhearted Band with her,

Concerning her whole course, to all appearance she did not seem such a near candidate for entering in to Healths happy bounds, for she looked very well, at Christmas Eve she felt her time approaching, & begged of her Husband if she should go home that he would let her be buried at Fullerton which to him seemed far off, & he would not promise her at that time, he agreed however afterwards to her Request, upon her repeating it, the day after she got a high fever, which had such an effect on her Head, that she for got every thing and did not even know her Husband & child, & what yet more was quite surprising to all, her soul lived & was sensible of the Redemption in His precious Blood of that she would sing of her self in the most beautiful connection & would join with others & if some time a word would fail her, she would stop, & say, how is that, & as soon as it was deciphered were Thy Blood sweat dear Sadr rain on me like water, & - I am poor but Blood has warmed my poor heart & I am charmed, struck and overcome for ever with the wounds of my dear Sadr. and thus she continued till January 23. In the morning when she had lain still for a good while she fell softly asleep in Jesus arms In the 43th Year of her dying life, her Corpse & Look serene and fair, witnessed that she was a believer. She was much beloved & Respected by all her neighbours who lamented the Loss of her, our dear Lords loving Kindness was justly Manifest, that He took her to him self, for she was in dangerous & critical Circumstances