

Obituary.

Died of consumption at Saxis, Va., February 16th, 1897, Mrs. Elizabeth Corbin, aged about 77 years. Over forty years ago she gave her heart to God and joined the M. E. Church, South, and from that time onward she kept her face Zionward. She was faithful in the discharge of every duty, and in all the relations of life she exemplified in her daily walk the beautiful character of a true christian. She was a good neighbor, a true and faithful friend, an affectionate wife, a devoted and loving mother. She was confined to her bed about seven weeks prior to her death, during which time many christian friends called to see her, and to all of them she gave the most positive assurance of her acceptance with God. She loved to speak of the future glory to which she was bound, and tell her friends of the glorious foretastes of heaven which she already felt in her soul. And thus in the triumphs of faith she departed this life, leaving behind her two brothers and three sons to mourn over their sad bereavement. Her funeral took place in the Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. M. L. Williams, February 18th, 1897. Followed by weeping friends and relatives, her last remains were borne to the cemetery and consigned to the earth, there to await the resurrection morn.

“Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep,
From which none ever wake to weep,
—A calm and undisturbed repose,
Unbroken by the last of foes.”

M. L. W.