

## ALTIE ELIZABETH CHIPMAN

Altie Elizabeth Chipman was born Sept. 16, 1841 in Avon, Oakland Co., Mich., and resided in the house where she was born up to the time of her death, July 8, 1895, in the 54<sup>th</sup> year of her age. At an early age she showed a great fondness for reading and eagerly perused all books that came her way, especially works of fiction and poetry; but poetry was her especial delight. Her first contribution to the press was at the age of eleven years, and published in the Michigan Farmer. Her later contributions were mostly for the Pontiac Gezette and occasionally for the Michigan Christian Advocate, the Detroit Tribune and Zion's Herald, of Boston. In early life she united with the Methodist Episcopal Church and was a working member of that church up to her last illness, which begun about seven years ago and although during the last three years her mind was clouded in temporal affairs, the spiritual light seemed as bright as when in the full enjoyment of all her faculties.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for the assistance rendered and the kind sympathy shown to us on occasion of the death of our sister.

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