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I can't stop talking to thee - how is thy
precious baby? - the little dutch "patty
cake" girl! May I not see thee on thy
route to Baltimore? Didst enjoy thy
call on Anna with Alice? I know I
never write a letter without mentioning
her - (at least to thee) my last was full
almost of her - I think there never
was a minister, who waited more
faithfully on the Spirit, for the
subject matter of his sermons - than
she does for the subject to be brought
before her Bible class - and not
only for the subject but the illustrations
and whole treating of it - such close
exercise as that is wearing! and often
it does not come to her, till just before
it is necessary for her to be prepared
the class must be blessed under such
teaching - but she will be glad to rest,
and they will go right after Yearly
Meeting to their Country home - D.V.

When Sybil Jones was at our meeting
last she spoke of sudden death
& prophesied it! people thought
"it dismal talk" - some thought
it her habit! some thought it very
awful & solemn! to day the most
sudden death was announced to
us after meeting - of one who was
doubtless present three weeks ago -
Josiah Jones' wife fell from a barn
window or door, against some part
of which she was leaning - and
died after an hour's time - was not
that awful, Hannah? maybe she
had received some one of the gospel
messages sent here lately - her name
was Hart - she is Carrie Remington's aunt
I trust blessed results may follow
to the living from these warnings &
invitations -

I don't know we have a little Mother's
meeting which I hope will be blessed -
Nine women came last time to the
school room in Fisher's Hollow. Ellen
M & I have felt it not our work apart
ly, and have both been helped to comfort
read and pray for & with them - may
some one desolate, needy soul be healed!
They meet to see every 5th day afternoon
for a couple of hours on the contraband work
Fare thee well my well beloved - she knows
who I am! a lover!