

IN LOVING

From The PRESTON GUARDIAN
APRIL 30th 1892

"Death of Chipping Octogenarian.
Bartholomew Marsden died at his residence, Park Stile, Bowland-With-Leagram, yesterday morning, at the advanced age of 80 years. About a week ago he was engaged in farm operations, and considering his age was in good health. Whilst milking a cow his stool slipped, and he fell to the ground in a rather awkward manner. Dr Patchett was called in, but the shock to the system was such as to cause the old man's death."

After the death of Bartholomew Marsden, his widow Isabella lived at Leagram Hall Farm, with her son Thomas. Isabella died there on June 20th 1894, just over 2 years after her husband. Both Bartholomew and Isabella Marsden were interred at St Mary's Chipping.

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In the Most Holy Name of Jesus
Pray for the Soul of

Bartholomew Marsden,
Who Died April 29th, 1892,
FORTIFIED WITH THE RITES OF HOLY CHURCH,
Aged 80 Years,
Interred at St. Mary's, Chipping, May 2nd,
On whose Soul Sweet Jesus have Mercy

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Prayer.

O GENTLEST HEART OF JESUS, ever present in the Blessed Sacrament, ever consumed with burning love for the poor captive souls in Purgatory, have mercy on the soul of Thy servant, Bartholomew bring him from the shadows of exile to the bright home of heaven, where, we trust, Thou and Thy Blessed Mother, have woven for him a crown of unfading bliss.—AMEN.

SWEET HEART OF JESUS, BE THOU MY LOVE!
100 days' Indulgence.

SWEET HEART OF MARY, BE MY SALVATION!
300 days' Indulgence.

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on him.
100 days' Indulgence.

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In the Most Holy Name of Jesus
Pray for the Soul of

ISABELLA,
Relict of Bartholomew Marsden,
Who died June 20th, 1894,
Fortified with the Rites of Holy Church
Aged 71 Years.
Interred at St. Mary's, Chipping, on the 23rd,
On whose soul sweet Jesus have mercy.

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Prayer.

O GENTLEST HEART OF JESUS, ever present in the Blessed Sacrament, ever consumed with burning love for the poor captive souls in Purgatory, have mercy on the soul of Thy servant, ISABELLA, bring her from the shadows of exile, to the bright home of heaven, where, we trust, Thou and Thy Blessed Mother, have woven for her a crown of unfading bliss.—AMEN.

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Typical examples of Memorial cards used in the Catholic Church, although supplied by H. Thomson, of Preston these cards were printed in France. The detail on the other side is different on both cards, though the prayers on this side are identical.



THE PASSING BELL

At St Bartholomew's Church in Chipping, a muffled bell used to be tolled to denote the death of a parishioner. The tenor bell was tolled for half an hour, and then the treble bell tolled once for every year of the deceased persons age. The ringing took place within a very short time of the death. This practice still persisted until after the Second World War, but has since been discontinued.