

" To My Dear wife this volume  
 is affectionately presented,  
 by him who is desirous of ap-  
 preciating her worth in the  
 various social, domestic, and  
 religious duties, incumbent  
 upon a wife and mother.  
 May the sentiments contain-  
 ed in the volume enter man-  
 fully into the every day life of  
 the young and married; may his  
 blessing whom to know is life  
 and Peace crown their earthly  
 career, but finally when the  
 lamp of life begins to wane and  
 decay, may the light of the Gospel  
 shine brighter and brighter into  
 their immortal souls, peaceful  
 and well acceptable to God  
 through faith in their Redeemer.  
 Wm. B. Chadwick  
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