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Guide to the

**Lucy Barton manuscript material**

1849

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## Summary

**Creator:** Barton, Lucy, 1808?-1898

**Title:** Lucy Barton manuscript material

**Date:** 1849

**Size:** 2 items

**Abstract:** Lucy Barton, daughter of the minor English Quaker poet Bernard Barton. She was co-author with her father of the poems in *The Reliquary* (1836), and wrote several books on Christian themes throughout her life, including: *Bible letters for children*, *The Natural history of the holy land and other places mentioned in the Bible*, *The oratory; or, The testimony of Scripture on the subject of prayer*, and *The Gospel history of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ*. (Library catalogers often confuse her with Lucy Barton, b. 1891, American costume designer.). To Messrs. Hall & Co. : 2 autograph letters signed ; 29 Mar 1849 (MISC 3454) and 20 Sep 1849 (MISC 3455), regarding the publication of *Selections from the poems and letters of Bernard Barton*, which she edited. Both letters are on mourning stationery -- Bernard Barton had died in February.

**Access:** Restricted access.

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## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Authors, English -- 19th century -- Correspondence

### **Titles**

Barton, Lucy : manuscript material

### **Names**

Barton, Lucy, 1808?-1898

Barton, Bernard, 1784-1849

Hall, Virtue, and Co.