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**ANOTHER LILY GATHERED,**

BEING A NARRATIVE OF THE CONVERSION & DEATH OF JAMES LAING

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"My beloved is gone into his garden--to gather lilies."--Song vi. 2.

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One of the loveliest features in the character of this little boy, was his intense love to the souls of men. He often spoke with me on the folly of men living without Christ in the world. I shall never forget the compassionate glance of his clear blue eye, as he said, "What a pity it is that they do not a' come to Christ—they would be sic happy."\* He often reminded me of the verse, "Love is of God, and every one that loveth is born of God."†

One Sabbath evening I spoke to the scholars in the Sabbath School about him. When the school was over they all came in to his cottage to see him. The little throng stood silent round his bed while he spoke to them with great solemnity. "You all know what I was. I was no better than you; but the Holy Spirit opened my eyes, and I saw that I was on the very brink

\* What a pity it is that they would not all come to Christ, they would be so happy.

† 1 John iv. 7.