

Rev. J. Emery, Jr. +
A. A. Phelps, in reply.
June 6 & 14. 1842.

Dr. Emmons's Works.

Weymouth, June 6, 1842.

Rev. A. A. Phelps

Dear Brother,

With this note you will receive the works of Dr. Emmons in six volumes - a present from the young converts in my society - as a token of their gratitude for yr labours of love with us ~~and~~ in our recent revival. As I have conversed with you on this subject, it will not be necessary to write a letter. A set of the same works have been presented to me. It is truly pleasant to receive such tokens of gratitude from those with whom we have been laboring & praying in the solemn & interesting scenes of a revival. The Lord keep them unto the end, will be yr prayer as well as mine.

Truly yrs in the Gospel
Joshua Emery Jr.

Answer Copy

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Boston June 14, 1842.

Dear Brother Emery,

It gives me great pleasure to acknowledge the receipt, through you, a few days since, of a set of the works of Dr. Emmons, as a present from the young converts in your society. I can only assure you & them in return, that the present is very gratefully received, & will ~~be~~ be highly prized. It is extremely valuable in itself, but as a testimonial of the affection & confidence of those with whom I have been permitted to labor & pray in the interesting scenes of a revival here, & with whom, in the purer service of a common Lord, I hope to spend an eternity hereafter, it is doubly so. As such I shall always regard it with gratitude & pleasure, & shall cherish it as a choice memento of the week I was permitted to spend with you - a week, I doubt not, that we & they will always be able to look back to, as one of the bright spots in the period of our earthly existence. Heartily reciprocating the affection & confidence of which these works are an expression

I am,

Yours & theirs truly,

A. A. Phelps.