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Transcription:

Enkan Brita Larsdotter ifran Mjelgen. Fodd i Raltlindorne är 1762 af ärliga och Christlige föräldrar, fadern Lars Hansson och modern Anna Matsdotter, genom hwilkas försorg hon befordrades till dopet och undervistes i Salighetsläran, ingick hon 1792 äktenskap med Olof Persson ifran Mjelgen, med hwilken hon haft 1 Son och 3 Dottrar. Sonen är fore sin moder hädangången till odödlighetens land, men Dottrarna efterleva, wällforsedde. Hon säges ha fört en god o rättskaffens wandel, samt ordentligt begått den H. Nattwarden, som skedde sista gången Pingstdagen förlidet år. Efter 14 dagars sjukdom af svullnad o andtappa afled hon den 1 i denna månad, 78 år gammal. Sist suckade hon: dödsens skarpa pilar — O Herre lindra väl m.m. samt dagen han är ju aldrig så lång vi måste ju aftenen vänta m m.

Translation:

The widow Brita Larsdotter from Mjelgen. Born in Rältlindorne in 1762 of honest and godfearing parents, father Lars Hansson and mother Anna Matsdotter, through their care she was christened, and learnt about the doctrine of salvation, and in 1792 she married Olof Persson from Mjelgen, with whom she has had 1 son and 3 daughters. The son is before his mother gone to the land of eternal life, but the daughters are alive, and well provided for. She is said to have had a good and righteous conduct, and orderly taken part in Holy Communion, which happened last on Pentecost Day the past year. After 14 days of illness of swelling and shortness of breath she passed away on the 1st of this month, age 78. At the last she sighed: Oh, the sharp arrows of death — Oh Lord[,] soothe me well, etc, the day he is never that long[,] we must wait for the evening, etc.