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A biography of Wilford Woodruff Clark told through other people called "Springdale's Patriarch", written by John R. Clark.

When the Leaves had Turned to Red and Gold

Pamelia Clark (my Cousin)

Her dancing feet loved so much to step along

To the time of old-fashioned music.

She, as the bright-hued leaves in autumn,

Hurried to and fro;

And in the dance, as elsewhere,

First to one home of sorrow and distress.

The life and inspiration of the party.

Then on to another;

No one was friendless or alone

Ever with a smile, a basket of provisions,

When Pamelia arrived.

A bundle of much-needed clothing,

Or one of dainty white things.

How fitting her passing came when the dancing leaves

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In her home reigned order and refinement.

In life she loved best to do.

Like Abraham Lincoln, she, too,

And the colors which suited her so well:

Made sweet music. So typical of the things

"Knew not ingratitude."

Red for love, and Gold for true worth.

As a friend stood beside her bed a few days ago,

The words she spoke—as to everyone—were

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Hoff (whose mother was Sarah Dunn Thornton, sister of John Barker Dunn) via Owen Edward Clark,

—written by Pamelia's Dunn cousin, Enez Thornton

grandson of Walter E. Clark, 1964.

Not today alone but each time,

"I appreciate your coming,

And all you have done for me."