

of the heaviest, but we are poor short sighted  
mortals and know not what is best. we ought  
to submit and trust to him who ruleth in wis-  
dom and mercy - present my affectionate remem-  
brance to the young Ladies in which my children  
write Emerson will be gratified at seeing Miss  
Mary wh. you mentioned would be drawn and  
let me again assure you my Dear Mrs Felg-  
-mon that the kindness my son has received from  
yourself and family will ever be deeply engraven  
on the heart of his afflicted Mother I must con-  
clude as I am called to Emerson. You have ever

With sincere Respect and Esteem  
yrs Very sincerely -  
Mary Elrickson -

Letter  
Mrs M. S. C. Richardson  
May 1837 -