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WADDINGTON - John Horsey Waddington (1783-1863) married Charlotte's younger sister, Emma Philippa GROVE in 1805. They had seven children together before Emma tragically died in 1819. Charlotte displays not only a duty, but an obvious affection, toward her dead sister's children and, indeed perhaps, for "Waddington" himself.

The Waddington family can be traced back to Suffolk, to Bury St Edmunds and then beyond to Doddington, near Ely. John's father, George, of Bury St Edmunds, married Caroline HORSEY in 1781. When George died, Caroline married the Revd. Samuel KILDERBEE.

Following Emma's death, John did not re-marry. Of Little Park, near Gosport, later of Clay Hall, Hertfordshire and then Langrish House in Hampshire, John Waddington lies buried with members of his family at East Meon.

Other names associated with Waddington are: MILNE, BEAUCHAMP, ROUS and RADCLIFFE.

John's daughter Emma Waddington (1806-1880) and her half-aunt, Georgiana Kilderbee, were pioneering botanists.