



*Plate 7. Ice crystals on a window in southwestern Virginia. As can be seen by comparing this photograph with Plate 8, there is a remarkable similarity in the appearance – especially the luster and water-clear quality – of ice crystals and colorless quartz crystals. (Photograph by J. W. Murray)*



*Plate 8. Colorless quartz crystals from the Jeffrey Stone Quarry, Arkansas – NMNH #R12804. (Photograph by Chip Clark, courtesy of Smithsonian Institution)*