

ST. MARY MAGDALENE LODERS



## INTRODUCTION

The village of Loders lies in the Asker Valley 2 miles N.E. of Bridport. The recorded history of the church begins when the Manor of Loders belonged to Richard de Redvers, Earl of Devon, and was given to the Norman Abbey of Montebourg in about the year 1107. The Priory of Loders was founded as a cell of the Abbey. The monks led a chequered existence on account of the frequent wars with France until Henry V finally suppressed all alien religious houses in 1414. The Priory then passed into the possession of St. Saviour and St. Bridget's Nunnery of Syon in Isleworth, Middlesex, until the Dissolution of the Monasteries in 1539. The church has been partly rebuilt and altered over the centuries, most recently in 1900.

The churchyard lies on 3 sides of the church and is approximately  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an acre in extent. Land was formerly reserved for Bothenhampton burials on the north side of the church until the disunion of the parishes in 1733. No traces of this graveyard remain; the land now forms part of the grounds of Loders Court.

## SURVEY OF THE CHURCHYARD

The survey was made by students from the Department of Technology, Weymouth College, under the direction of Mr. Drake, BTEC Course Coordinator, during the summer of 1991. Members of the Loders Local History Group have transcribed the monumental inscriptions on the tombstones over the winter 1991/92.

## THE RECORDING OF THE MEMORIALS

The churchyard falls into 4 sections, A, B, C, & D and every existing burial plot is numbered in each section as shown on the survey. The aim has been to transcribe all inscriptions in their entirety, but not to retain their original layout. The end of each line on the tombstone is indicated by a slash stroke, i.e. / In the case of a cross on steps double // denotes the position of an inscription.

Great care has been taken to copy accurately, but it has not been possible to decipher all the inscriptions with certainty. Where part is unreadable due to weathering or damage, it has been replaced by a series of dots.....; when a best guess has been possible this is followed by ?

The Parish Burial Registers exist from 1636, and all the inscriptions have been checked against the Registers and any inconsistencies noted.

An alphabetical index will be found at the end.

The following abbreviations have been used throughout:

H/S	Headstone
K/S	Kerbstone
F/S	Footstone
(E)	Direction tomb is facing
R.H.	Right Hand - facing the tomb
L.H.	Left Hand - facing the tomb
B.R.	Burial Register

While every effort has been made to record exactly, any errors should be reported to the Loders Local History Group.

The final check on the inscriptions was made on 30th April 1992, and all the memorials recorded were in place on that date.

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SECTION A

- A 1 H/S curved top, with carved laurel wreath and foliate border. Marble.  
(E) in ever / loving memory of / JESSE WALTER HANSFORD, / who fell asleep Decr. 10th, 1926. / aged 59 years. /  
Also his beloved wife / SARAH OSMOND, died Jany 2nd, 1955. / aged 87 years. / "Reunited."
- A 2 H/S pointed top with scroll decoration and IHS monogram. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / ALBERT JOB, / son of Job, and of the late / Elizabeth Hansford, / who fell asleep Jan. 28, 1913, / aged 29 years. / "Thy will be done."
- A 3 H/S with Gothic top and patterned edge - ivy leaf carved inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / ELIZA ADA, / the beloved wife of / George Hawker / who died Jan. 11th 1917, / aged 42 years. / "Peace, perfect peace". /  
Also of the above / GEORGE WILLIAM HAWKER, / who died Jan. 29th, 1920, / aged 53 years. / "At rest".
- A 4 H/S trefoil pointed top with eternal rose carved inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / JOHN HANSFORD / the beloved husband of / Susan Hansford / who departed this life August 8th 1901 / aged 78 years / "His end was peace" /  
Also of the above / SUSANNAH HONEYBUN TRAVERS / HANSFORD / who died February 25th 1916 / aged 93 years.
- A 5 H/S with Gothic top, and K/S (carved inset with flower and leaf design just visible). Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / SIDNEY, / son of / Job and Emily Hansford, / who died June 13th, 1914, / aged 35 years. / "Thy will be done." /  
Also of EDWIN ALFRED HANSFORD, / brother of the above / at rest May 4th 1917, / aged 48 years. /  
Also of FLORENCE, / wife of Edwin A. Hansford, / who passed away March 18th 1944, / aged 73 years.
- A 6 H/S trefoil pointed top with broken daffodil inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / ESTHER ELLEN / the beloved wife of / James G. Bartlett / who fell asleep Feby. 20th 1917. / aged 43 years. / "The Lord knoweth them that are his". 2 Tim 2.19. /  
Also / DANIEL ARCHIE ANTON HORN. / died May 11th 1953, aged 55 years.  
B.R. D.A.A. Horn not recorded.

- A 7 Cremation square. Limestone  
 (E) In loving memory of / a dear mother / LILLIAN  
 FRANCES / TUCK / 5-10-1906 8-3-1979 /  
 A dear father / FRANK TUCK / 1-7-1918  
 15-12-1988  
 B.R. records Lillian interment of ashes 6 Aug. 1979  
 B.R. records Frank interment of ashes 4 Feb. 1989
- A 8 Cross on 2 steps on plinth, carved IHS inset. Marble  
 (E) In / loving memory / of / JOHN MOLYNEAUX SAMWAYS. /  
 born March 17th 1875 / died July 1st 1894. / "The  
 darkness is past and the true / light now shineth."  
 1. John 11.8. /  
 And of his father / GEORGE SAMWAYS, / born  
 October 31st 1848, / At rest December 8th 1915. /  
 (S) ANNIE ELIZABETH SMITH / died November 25th 1966 /  
 aged 87 years. /  
 (W) In loving memory of / MARY ANN BROWN CASTREE /  
 devoted wife of Harry Philip / and mother of Cecil /  
 at rest Dec. 26th 1957 aged 87. /  
 Also of CECIL GEORGE PHILIP CASTREE / dearly  
 beloved only son of above / at rest May 24th 1958 in  
 Tanganyika, aged 55.  
 (N) Also of / ANNA MARIA / dearly beloved wife of /  
 George Samways, / at rest Nov 14th 1928 / aged 77 years.  
 B.R. A.E. Smith not recorded.  
 B.R. M.A.B. Castree not recorded.  
 B.R. C.G.P. Castree not recorded. Died overseas.
- A 9 K/S with square corner posts. Granite.  
 (E) In loving memory of/  
 (S) ARTHUR WILLIAM CAUSEWAY BUDDEN, at rest 22nd  
 Dec. 1931, aged 74 years. /  
 (W) Also of his wife /  
 (N) MARY ANN, at rest 16th Dec. 1950, aged 84 years.
- A10 H/S round top on plinth. Limestone  
 (E) In / loving memory of / ALBERT EDWARD / MAY /  
 6th April 1977 / aged 70 years. / "Thy will be done."
- A11 Celtic cross on 2 steps on plinth with IHS inset  
 inscribed "Thy will be done". Limestone.  
 (E) In / loving memory of / FREDERICK JOHN GILL //  
 who passed away at Matraviers / Uploders, November  
 6th 1918, / aged 28 years. / "God takes our loved  
 ones from our homes / but never from our hearts". //  
 Also CAROLINE his wife / died Feb. 1st 1959  
 aged 70 / "Abide with me".  
 B.R. records Caroline's surname as Collier-Marsh  
 ? remarried.
- A12 Broken cross on 1 step and plinth. Marble.  
 (E) "Jesus called a little child" / OLIVE MARY /  
 dearly-loved child of / Wm. and Mabel Eveleigh, /  
 fell asleep Novr. 6th 1918 / aged 2 years 4 months.

- A13 Stone block on base. Limestone.  
 (E) In / loving memory / of / SIMEON & AUGUSTA  
 EVELEIGH  
 B.R. records Simeon as buried 5 Oct. 1916.  
 Augusta not traced. No date given
- A14 Broken cross on step on plinth. Limestone.  
 (E) In / loving memory / of / JOHN WILFRED //  
 son of JOHN and SARAH HALLETT / who died August  
 25th 1898. / aged 3 years and 10 months / "Suffer  
 little children to come unto me".
- A15 Plain cross on 2 steps and base. ?Limestone.  
 (E) "Thy will be done" // In loving memory / of /  
 ALFRED SAMWAYS / who entered into rest / April 11th  
 1920 / aged 54 years /  
 (S) Also of MARY / beloved wife of / ALFRED SAMWAYS /  
 who died June 16th 1943 / aged 75 years.  
 (W) Also of ETHEL / eldest daughter of / ALFRED and  
 MARY SAMWAYS / died 18.3.84 / aged 93 /  
 (N) Also in / remembrance of / his eldest son /  
 ALFRED OSCAR SAMWAYS / who was killed in action on  
 the Somme / October 5th 1916 aged 24 years / "Life's  
 duty nobly done".  
 B.R. Ethel not recorded  
 B.R. A.O. Samways not recorded.
- A16 H/S Gothic, eternal rose carved inset. Marble.  
 (E) In / loving memory / of / my beloved husband /  
 RICHARD WAYGOOD MEECH / at rest november 22nd 1901, /  
 aged 54 years. / - "Tis hard to part with those we  
 love, / though parting days will come; / yet let us  
 hope to meet above, / for this is not our home". /  
 Also in loving memory of EMILY JANE MEECH. /  
 the beloved wife of the above / who died May 23rd  
 1926, / aged 73 years. / "Reunited".
- A17 H/S Trefoil pointed top with clasped hands carved  
 inset and floral supports. Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory / of / SARAH ANN HANSFORD, / the  
 beloved wife of JOHN HANSFORD / at rest July 21st  
 1903. / aged 64 years / "Gone but not forgotten".  
 Also of the above / JOHN HANSFORD / who died  
 December 24th 1910, / aged 65 years, / "At rest".
- A18 H/S Trefoil pointed top with carved eternal rose  
 inset. Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory / of / ELIZABETH, / the beloved  
 wife of / JOB HANSFORD / who fell asleep Jan 8th,  
 1910 / aged 61 years, /  
 Also of JOHN ROBERT, son of the above, who died  
 Oct. 6th 1910 / aged 34 years. / "Their end was  
 peace". /  
 Also of the above / JOB HANSFORD / at rest  
 February 22nd 1922 / aged 71 years. /  
 Also of HARRIET / widow of the above JOHN ROBERT  
 HANSFORD / passed away June 27th 1930. / aged 55 years.



- A19 H/S Trefoil pointed top with carved clasped hands inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / ELIZABETH CURTIS, / the beloved wife of GEORGE CURTIS / who died January 2nd 1905, / aged 68 years. / "Come unto me all ye that are weary / and I will give you rest". /  
and of the above GEORGE CURTIS / who died October 10th 1919 / aged 83 years. / "Thy will be done".
- A20 H/S Gothic top with carved eternal rose inset. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / EMILY ELIZABETH, / beloved wife of / GEORGE E. RICHARDS, / who fell asleep May 18th 1910, / aged 31 years. / "He giveth his beloved sleep".
- A21 H/S Gothic with carved floral inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / BESSIE ROSA / the beloved wife of / SIDNEY HANSFORD. / who died Jan. 23rd, 1919. / aged 45 years. / "At rest". /  
Also in loving memory of the above / SIDNEY HANSFORD. / who died August 23rd, 1930. / aged 51 years. / "Reunited". / "The voyage of life's at an end. / The mortal affliction is past. The age that in heaven they spend / for ever and ever shall last".
- A22 H/S scroll on square top on base. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory of / GEORGE CRABB, / who died Jan. 1st, 1903, / aged 50 years. /  
Also of ELLEN, his wife, who died Dec. 2nd, 1931, / aged 90 years. / "Peace, perfect peace".
- A23 Cremation square.  
(N) In loving / memory of / WILLIAM RUDD / 1955 - 1988 / dear eldest son / of / MICHAEL & / MAUREEN, / Corfe Farm  
B.R. Interment of ashes not recorded
- A24 Cremation square.  
(N) DORIS RUDD / 1903 - 1981 / wife of / THOMAS RUDD / 1900 - 1970  
B.R. records interment of ashes 27 Nov. 1981.
- A25 Cremation square  
(N) In / loving memory / of / EDWARD JOHN / CHURCH / 1896 - 1982  
B.R. records interment of ashes 11 Feb. 1982
- A26 Cremation square  
(N) JOHN ALAN / PEPPERELL / 21.5.39. - 22.7.90.  
B.R. Interment of ashes not recorded.
- A27 H/S Gothic with carved cross inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory / of / THOMAS LOVELL, / who died Jan. 6th 1909, / aged 72 years. / "Be ye ready also for the Son of / Man cometh at an hour when ye think not". Luke 12.40. /  
Also of HARRIET, his wife / died July 12th, 1918, / aged 85.

- A28 H/S Gothic with ivy leaf frieze. Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory / of / SIDNEY RICHARD TRAVERS, /  
 who fell asleep in Jesus / April 19th 1908, / aged  
 26 years. / "His end was peace". /  
 Also of DAVID TRAVERS, / his father / died March  
 17, 1920, / aged 82. /  
 And of ANN TRAVERS, / wife of DAVID TRAVERS, /  
 died Oct. 21, 1918, / aged 82
- A29 K/S. Rough granite.  
 (E) In loving memory of / HENRY GEORGE FOOKS / at  
 rest March 5th 1918 aged 64 years. /  
 Also of KATIE FOOKS, his wife / at rest May  
 25th, 1929, aged 76 years. / "Until the day breaks".  
 B.R. 76 years. Top of number missing on stone.
- A30 Plain cross on 3 steps and base. Marble.  
 (E) In loving/memory of / my dear husband / GEORGE  
 HOLDEN / who died Sept. 22nd, 1923, / aged 79 years /  
 "Nothing in my hand I bring / Simply to thy cross I  
 cling". /  
 Also of ELIZABETH, his beloved wife / died Oct.  
 26th, 1935, aged 84. / "Safe home with Christ".
- A31 Plain cross on 3 steps. Marble.  
 (E) "Thy will be done". / In / loving memory of /  
 JAMES READ / at rest Sept. 5th 1940 aged 80 /  
 Also of CHARLOTTE his wife / April 14th 1944  
 aged 84 /  
 And their children / LIZZIE, July 2nd 1917 aged  
 23. /  
 JACK, killed in action in France, March 21st  
 1918 aged 18.  
 B.R. records Charlotte buried in new cemetery  
 B.R. Jack, kia in France not recorded.
- A32 H/S curved top with carved eternal rose inset.  
 Limestone.  
 (E) In / loving memory of / a devoted wife and mother /  
 ADA LOUISA OSBORNE / died 2nd May 1966 / aged 66. /  
 And of / FRANK / a devoted husband and father /  
 passed away 26th Jan. 1990 / aged 92.
- A33 Cremation square.  
 (N) DAVID E.B./TRAVERS / 1900 - 1980 /  
 EDITH M. / TRAVERS / 1901 - 1986  
 B.R. records Edith interment of ashes 24 May 1986  
 B.R. David not recorded
- A34 H/S scroll on square top and carved eternal rose.  
 Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory of / RHODA / the beloved  
 daughter of / JESSE and SARAH HANSFORD / who died  
 Dec. 16th 1927. / aged 41. / "Rest in the Lord". /  
 Also of ELSIE MINNIE, her sister, / who died  
 Oct. 3rd, 1939, / aged 44. / "Her end was peace".



- A35 Plain cross on 3 steps on plinth on base + K/S.  
Marble  
(E) In / loving memory of / EDWARD, / the beloved son of EDWIN E. and AGNES RANDALL, / who died 19th September, 1915, / aged 23 years. / "At rest".  
(N) Also / his brother / GEORGE EDWIN / RANDALL / who died 4th Nov. 1973 / aged 79 years. /  
And his wife / FLORENCE ISABEL / RANDALL / who died 2nd September 1983 / aged 86 years.
- A36 H/S curved decorated top with carved IHS and broken daffodil inset.  
(E) In / loving memory of / HERBERT WILFRED HANSFORD, / at rest July 31st, 1921, / aged 32 years / "Thy will be done".
- A37 H/S scroll on square top on plinth with rose and lily carved inset. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory of / JOB HANSFORD, / died March 20 1931, / aged 83. /  
Also of / EMILY, / wife of the above / died July 30 1931, / aged 85 / "At rest".
- A38 H/S Gothic top with IHS inset. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / my dear husband / JOHN DAY CHARD, / who died April 1st 1913. / aged 76 years. / "Thy will be done". /  
Also of MARY ELLEN, / wife of the above, who died March 14th 1916, / aged 77 years. / "Resting".
- A39 H/S Norman round top. Marble.  
(E) In / memory of / ELLEN CRABB, / born Dec. 22nd 1859. / died March 15th 1915. /  
Also of JOSEPH ABSALOM CRABB. / husband of the above / born Jan. 23rd, 1859 / died May 12th, 1919.
- A40 Celtic cross on 3 steps. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory of / JAMES READER // the beloved husband of / ELIZABETH ANNE READER, / who fell asleep Thursday / March 25th 1920, aged 61 years. / "Peace, perfect peace". //
- Also of the above / ELIZABETH ANNE READER / at rest November 3rd, 1931, aged 74 years. //
- (N) Also their / great nephew // DEREK LEE BARNES, / beloved husband of / THERESA, / died 15th December 1961, / aged 30 years. // "Good was their heart and in friendship sound, / patient in pain and loved by all around. / Their pains are o'er - their griefs forever done, / a life of everlasting joy they've now begun".
- A41 H/S with decorated Celtic cross and lily design. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / WALTER BISHOP, / at rest Jany. 15th 1908, / aged 56 years. / "Father, in thy gracious keeping / leave we now our dear one sleeping". /  
Also of MARY, / beloved wife of the above, / at rest Dec. 13th, 1941, / aged 83 years. / "Rest in peace".

- A42 Open book with base and supporting block. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / DOROTHY IDA / BISHOP, /  
died / 12th July, 1952, / aged 58 years. / "Blessed  
are the / pure in heart". /  
Also of / HAROLD WALTER / BISHOP, / born 4th  
March, 1894, / died / 6th Nov. 1976.  
B.R. Harold Walter not recorded.  
This memorial is placed on grave no A41
- A43 H/S Gothic top with carved IHS inset. Marble.  
(E) IHS / In ever loving memory / of / WILLIAM  
BROWN, / born 26th January 1849, / at rest 2nd  
December, 1915. / "The spirit shall return unto God  
who gave it". /  
Also of STANLEY, / only son of the above, / who  
was killed in action / at the Dardanelles, Augst.  
21st 1915, / aged 27 years. /  
Also of JULIA, / wife of the above / WILLIAM  
BROWN / at rest July 19th, 1936.  
B.R. Stanley not recorded
- A44 H/S Ogee top on plinth. Polished granite.  
(E) In / loving memory of / CHARLES FREDERICK /  
SPILLMAN / died 18th Feb. 1973, aged 76. /  
Also his loving wife, / ROSE LILY / died 6th  
Aug. 1979, aged 83. / "Reunited".
- A45 H/S Gothic top with carved scroll and floral deco-  
ration. Purbeck stone.  
(E) "At rest" // In loving memory of / my dear  
husband / DAVID TRAVERS CRABB, / who died Nov. 10,  
1900, / aged 31 years. / "Thy will be done". /  
Also of LUCY JANE, wife of the above / at rest  
Oct. 6, 1946. / aged 74 years.  
B.R. Lucy Jane Crabb not recorded.  
B.R. Lucy Jane Read recorded 9.10.46. ?Remarried.
- A46 H/S Gothic top with decorated cross inset. Marble.  
(E) In/affectionate remembrance of / CHARLOTTE  
ELLEN, / the beloved wife of JOHN CLARK / who died  
Oct. 19, 1908 / aged 69 years. / "Thy will be done".  
Also of / JOHN CLARK, / the husband of the  
above / died March 13, 1924. / aged 83 years. /  
"Peace, perfect peace".
- A47 F/S square top. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / JOHN, / dearly beloved  
husband of / ESTHER CLARK, / who died Sept. 1931,  
aged 55 / "Fond memory clings".
- A48 H/S trefoil pointed top with carved inset of ivy  
leaves. Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / my dear husband / THOMAS  
KNIGHT BUDDEN, / who entered into rest / Feb. 4th  
1905, aged 47 years. / "For ever with the Lord".

- A49 H/S Gothic top with carved eternal rose inset.  
Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory of / JOHN MARSH, / who died  
February 13th 1904, aged 93 years. /  
Also of JANE MARSH, his wife, / who died August  
7th 1895, / aged 69 years. / "Father grant thy weary  
ones rest for evermore".  
B.R. records Jane age 64
- A50 Celtic cross on plinth with carved floral inset.  
Marble.  
(E) In loving memory of / JOHN, / the beloved child  
of THOMAS & GRACE HYDE, / who fell asleep / Nov.  
17th, 1923, / aged 2½ years. / "Suffer little children  
to come unto me".  
(N) In / loving / memory of / THOMAS HYDE / 1889 - 1959.  
(S) and / also / GRACE A.M. / HYDE / 9th Feb. 1984 /  
aged 94 years.
- A51 H/S trefoil top. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / JOHN SAUNDERS, / who  
died at Up Loders / October 18th 1907; / aged 54  
years. / "In the midst of life we are in death". /  
Also of ELLEN, / his beloved wife. / who died  
July 12th 1923; / aged 74 years. / "They shall be  
mine, sayeth the Lord of Hosts. / In that day when I  
make up my jewels".
- A52 H/S trefoil pointed top with carved eternal rose  
inset. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / LEVI SAMWAYS. / who  
departed this life November 13th 1897 / aged 69  
years. / "Thy will be done".  
Also of MARY ANN GALE SAMWAYS, / wife of the  
above / born November 19th 1828, / died February  
16th 1905.
- A53 2 H/S - 1) Gothic, 2) Norman, round with K/S.  
Polished granite.  
(E) (1) In loving memory of / ELLA, / the beloved  
wife of / ERNEST R. MARSH, / who died April 23rd, 1913,  
aged 23 years. / "Thy will be done".  
(2) In / loving memory of / EDWIN E. RANDALL, / who  
died January 19th, 1931, / aged 77 years. / "At rest".  
Also of / AGNES RANDALL, / wife of the above. /  
who died December 20th, 1933, / aged 71 years. /  
"They rest from their labours".
- A54 Maltese cross on boulder base. Rough granite.  
(E) In loving memory of / ELI RUSSELL / who died Feb.  
11th 1912 / aged 63 / "Rest in peace" /  
Also of his son / WILFRED GORDON RUSSELL / who  
gave his life in the great war / May 15th 1915 /  
aged 22 / "I know that my Redeemer liveth".  
B.R. William Gordon not recorded. Kia

SECTION B

- B 1 H/S centre round top with ogee shoulders. Limestone.  
(E) Sacred / to the memory of / ANN / wife of Thomas  
Thorner / who died September 1 1851 / aged 51 years /  
Also of the above / THOMAS THORNER / who died  
November 16th 1870 / aged 72 years /  
Also of GEORGE THORNER / who died October 18th  
1878 / aged 41 years.  
B.R. records George aged 54 years.
- B 2 H/S modified celtic cross, with carved lilies. Marble.  
(a) (E) In / loving memory / of / RHODA, daughter of /  
George and Annie Maria Samways / born January 31st  
1882 / died October 8th 1884 / "Suffer little  
children to come unto / me, and forbid them not,  
for of such is / the kingdom of God" /  
AMY EDITH EVANS / at rest January 16th 1967,  
aged 83.  
CONSTANCE RHODA MAY / SAMWAYS / at rest April  
4th 1976, aged 89.
- B 2 Cremation square in front of B2.  
(b) GEORGE SAMWAY / SMITH / 9.3. 1908 - 30.9.1986  
B.R. Rhoda not recorded.  
records Amy cremated.  
records Constance interment of ashes.
- B 3 H/S double, with round top and carved floral  
decoration. Limestone.  
(E)L/H Sacred / to / the memory of / WILLIAM BROWN /  
who departed this life / December the 31st 1835 / aged  
58 years / "Now my dear wife, my life is past / your  
love for me so long did last, / but now for me no  
sorrow take, / but love your children for my sake" /  
Also of ANN relict of / the above Will<sup>m</sup> Brown/  
who died April 17th 1855 / aged 77 years / "Beloved  
are they that / die in the Lord".  
(E)R/H Also / of / MARY ANN/ daughter of / Will<sup>m</sup> &  
Ann Brown / who died Oct<sup>r</sup> 22nd 1804 / aged 1 year /  
Also of / MALACHI their son / who died Dec<sup>r</sup> 24th  
1814 / aged 7 years /  
Also of JAMES, & ROBERT, / their children / who  
died in their infancy.  
B.R. records Mary Ann Brown<sup>E</sup> and  
Malachi Brown<sup>E</sup>.
- B 4 H/S Celtic cross, with "Thy will be done" inscribed.  
Limestone.  
(E) In / loving memory of / MALACHI BROWN, / born  
April 11th 1821 / died August 8th 1884 /  
Also of his three sons, / GEORGE, GEORGE and  
FRANCIS JOHN / who died in their infancy.
- B 5 H/S gothic, with "IHS" insert. Limestone.  
(E) Sacred / to the memory of / SARAH SYMONDS / who  
departed this life / Feb 29th 1874 aged 83 years /  
"Be thou faithful unto death and I / will give thee  
a crown of life".

- B 6 H/S centre round, square corners carved with scroll and drapery. Limestone.  
(E) In memory of / ROBERT GALE / who died Sept 1st 1848 aged 46 years / "The grass withereth, the flower fadeth but the / word of our God shall stand for ever" /  
Also of SARAH, wife of the above / who died Oct. 1st 1870 aged 68 years /  
and of MARY ANNA their daughter / who died Sept 15th 1842 in her 6th year.  
B.R. Sarah not recorded.
- B 7 H/S ogee top on plinth and base. Polished marble.  
(E) In / loving memory of / KATHLEEN GLADYS PITCHER / died 10th August 1953 / aged 63 years /  
And of / THOMAS PITCHER / died 24th April 1969 / aged 83 years.  
B.R. records Kathleen interment of ashes.
- B 8 H/S ogee top on plinth and base. Granite.  
(E) In / loving memory of / GEORGE WILFRED JOHN / CRABB / at rest 24th Nov. 1978 / aged 78 years. /  
Also / FLORA HETTY CRABB / died 3rd January 1986 / aged 86 years.
- B 9 H/S square top with chequered corners on base, with scrolls and flowers at each side. Granite.  
(E) In loving memory of / FRANCES LOUISA, / the dearly beloved wife of / Arthur J. Crabb, / at rest Oct. 11th, 1933, / aged 62 years. / R.I.P. /  
Also of the above, / ARTHUR J. CRABB, / at rest Nov. 12th 1943, / aged 79 years. / "Reunited". /  
Also their youngest daughter / IVY FRANCES CRABB. / At rest April 8th 1959. / Aged 53 years.
- B10 Table Tomb, listed Grade II Monument. Limestone.  
Top(W end) Underneath / is deposited the ?remains of ANN, wife of Thomas Marsh / who died June 16th 1817 aged ?69(?89) years /  
Top(E end) And underneath / are ~~hid~~ the remains of / JANE wife of Robert Marsh / who died April 10 1822 / aged ?.. years /  
and of ROBERT MARSH who died ?.....  
North side(L panel)  
Their children / MAUD buried / June 20th 1703 /  
JOAN buried / July 3rd 1707 /  
John son of the said / John Marsh dedica / tes this monument.  
North side(R panel)  
"As you are / now so once was / I as I Ham now / so must you be / then you must dye / and follow me".  
East side  
Here lyeth the / Body of JOHN MARSH / who died October / the 25th in 1747 / aged 72  
South side(L panel)  
To the / memory of JOHN / MARSH buried / July 21 and / MAUD his wife / buried September / the 27 1708



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- B10 Continued  
South side(R panel)  
 As also / of their childr / en ROBERT  
 And / KATHARIN buried / July the 15  
 And ELIZ / ABETH buried Sep / tember the 6 1708.  
 B.R. Jane not recorded 1822, but as 1827, aged 73.  
 Elizabeth not recorded 1708.
- B11 H/S remains, and flat stone, remains also. ?double  
 grave. No inscription decipherable.
- B12 H/S curved top. Limestone.  
 (E) MARJORIE GRACE HOLBORN / SCOTT / Born / 18th  
 Oct: / 1893 / Died / 3rd Oct: / 1949 / Beloved wife  
 of /  
 DONALD CHARLES SCOTT / Born / 9th Dec: / 1888 /  
 Died / 10th Sept: / 1970.
- B13 H/S gothic top. Limestone.  
 (E) In / memory of / MARY ANN RONALDS / Born at  
 Bridport / ?31st May 1782 / married at Bradpole /  
 19th October 1801 / died at Loders / 22nd November  
 1867 / "Her end was peace," /  
 Also of HARRIET GERRARD, / Daughter of the above,  
 who died April 5th 1890, / aged 82 years. / "Jesus  
 wept".
- B14 H/S, with decorative cross and "IHS" in cross centre.  
 Limestone.  
 (E) In loving memory / of / HENRY HILE, / who died  
 December 2nd 1882 / aged 52 years. /  
 Also of ELIZABETH, his beloved wife / who died  
 March 16th 1907 / aged 79 years. / "I sought the  
 Lord and he heard me, and / delivered me from all  
 my fears" Ps xxxiv. 4, /  
 Also of SARAH JOAN, their daughter / the  
 beloved wife of John Gale / who died July 31st 1912 /  
 aged 51 years / "Peace perfect peace".
- B15 H/S, trefoil pointed top, with inset floral and  
 leaf spray design. Limestone.  
 (E) OLIVE M. GILL, / died April 26. 1902 / aged 76  
 years. /  
 RICHARD GILL, / died August 25. 1910. / aged  
 48 years. /  
 WILLIAM B. GILL, / died March 26. 1895. / aged  
 87 years.  
 B.R. Olive not recorded.  
 William not recorded.
- B16 H/S centre round top with square corners, drape  
 design with "IHS" within cross below. Limestone.  
 (E) Sacred to the memory of / GEORGE CHARD, / who  
 died August 5th 1861. / aged 74 years. /  
 SARAH wife of George Chard, / who died June  
 19th 1850 / aged 62 years. /  
 SOLOMAN, son of George & Sarah Chard, / who  
 died FebY 8th 1827, aged 6 months. /

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Also of ELIZA their daughter / who died Dec<sup>r</sup>  
2nd 1844 aged 15 years /  
Also of CHARLES their son / who died Oct<sup>r</sup> 24th  
1845 aged 26 years /  
And of BENJAMIN their son, / who died August  
4th 1846, / aged 25 years /  
And of SOLOMON another son / who died July 18th  
1849 aged 17 years

## B17 H/S with curved top. Limestone.

(E) In memory / of / SARAH BLAKE GERRARD / wife of  
John Gerrard who died / July 24th 1853 aged 78  
years. /

Also of the above JOHN GERRARD, / who died  
Feb<sup>y</sup> 13th 1860, / aged 85 years. /  
ANN, daughter of / John & Sarah Gerrard, / who  
died Dec<sup>r</sup> 25th 1807, aged 3 years. /  
Also, of MARY, their daughter / who died March  
31st 1814, aged 3 years. /  
Also of MARY, their daughter / who died May  
31st 1821, aged 12 /  
Also of ALEXANDER, their son / who died April  
8th 1822, aged 6 /  
Also of ELIZABETH their daughter wife of /  
John Frampton / who died 27th July 1838 aged 41. /  
Also of two children who died in infancy.  
B.R. John 1860 not recorded.

B18 (a) Double H/S curved top, and  
(b) Double H/S curved and decorated top, with cherub.  
All within K/S with iron railings. Limestone.(E)(a) Left side

In / memory of / MARY wife of / John Gerrard / who  
departed this life / Dec<sup>r</sup> 19th 1807 aged 55 years /  
Also of the said / JOHN GERRARD / who departed  
this life / July 12th 1813 aged 78 years /  
Also of ELIZABETH / their daughter / who died  
in infancy /  
Also of WILLIAM / their son / who died Jan<sup>y</sup> 5  
1843 / aged 55 years /

(a) Right side

Sacred / to the memory of / MARY, wife of / Henry  
Gerrard / who died June 27th 1852 / aged 69 years /  
Also of the above / HENRY GERRARD / who died  
June 28th 1854 / aged 75 years / "To teach us to  
number our / days that we may apply our / hearts  
unto wisdom" /

Also of / HENRY GERRARD / died June 3rd 1884 /  
aged 69 years, /

Also of SUSAN his wife / died Oct. 22 1902 /  
aged 76 years. / "Peace, perfect peace" /

(b) Left side

In memory of MR. HENRY GERRARD who / departed this /  
life January 8th / 1784 aged / 76 years /

(b) Right side

In memory of / ANN, wife of / the said / Mr. Hen  
Gerrard / who departed / this life / October 11th  
1796. / aged 82 /

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B18 Continued(b) Across bottom of both inscriptions

"Dear friends forbear to mourn and weep / wile in  
the dust we be asleep / and left a toilsome world  
behind / a crown of glory for to find"

B.R. Anne Gerrard recorded 1796.

Mary Gerrard (d. 19 Dec 1807) not recorded

Elizabeth (d. in infancy) not recorded.

B19 Fragment in ground.  
No inscription

B20 Fragment in ground. Alongside B19. Impossible to  
say if these are two graves or one double.  
No inscription

B21 H/S pointed top with carved decoration top and sides.  
(E) In / loving memory of / MARY GRINTER / wife of  
Matthew Grinter / died Nov 10th, 1881, / aged 29  
years. / "The peace of God which passeth / all  
understanding."

B22 Cremation square. In front of B23. Marble.  
In loving memory / of / HERBERT WILLIAM / BARTLETT /  
"At rest" 13. May 1973 /  
Also / MONICA LOUISE / BARTLETT / "At rest"  
13 April 1988  
B.R. Herbert not recorded, interment of ashes.

B23 H/S, plain cross on 3 steps and base. Marble.  
(E) In / loving memory / of / FREDERICK JOHN  
BARTLETT / beloved husband of / Adelaide L. Bartlett /  
who died April 2nd 1928, aged 67 years /  
Also of ADELAIDE LOUISA, his wife / passed  
peacefully away, November 4th 1950 / aged 83 years /  
Also of / FREDERICK J. BARTLETT / their son /  
killed in action in France / February 21st 1918  
aged 20 years  
B.R. Frederick not recorded.

B24 H/S, plain cross on 3 steps and base. Marble.  
(E) "Thy will be done" / In / loving memory / of /  
WILFRED JOHN / eldest son of / John and Martha Crabb /  
at rest Sept. 4th 1928, aged 28 years

B25 H/S centre round top with scotia corners and carved  
tree inset. Limestone.  
(E) Sacred / to the memory of / THOMAS KNIGHT, /  
who died August 12th 1868 aged 78 years /  
Also CATHERINE KNIGHT his wife / who died May  
19th 1875 aged 83 years. / "Having had a desire to  
depart / and to be with Christ / which is far better". /  
Also of four children and two grandchildren.

- B26 Table Tomb, listed Grade II Monument. Limestone.  
 (E) In memory of / MARY / wife of/Hugh Hansford / who departed this life / July 15th 1819 / aged 80 years /  
 Also of the above / HUGH HANSFORD / who departed this life / August 29th 1828 / aged 77 years.  
 (N) Sacred to the memory / of EDWARD HANSFORD / who rest in hope of a joyfull resurrection, / he departed this life 31 May 1778 aged 74 /  
 Also of ANN, wife of the said Edwd Hansford / who departed this life May the 14th 1781, aged 75. /  
 (W) Underneath / are deposited the / mortal remains of / CATHERINE, / daughter of / Jas & Phebe Mawson / Hansford / who died triumphing / in the faith of her / Redeemer, / August 8th 1836 / aged 21 years /  
 (S) In memory of JOHN the son of / James and Phebe Mawson Hansford / who departed this life July the 1st 1814 aged 1 year /  
 Also of PHEBE MAWSON HANSFORD / who departed this life Jan<sup>y</sup> 12th 1823 aged 43 / "Weep not for me ?dont tho..... the ....." /  
 Also (of) JAMES, the beloved husband of the above named / Phebe Mawson Hansford / who departed this life June the 10th 1837 aged 55 years / He was an affectionate father /  
 and .....who had / been humbly .....  
Top  
 Underneath / .....  
 PHOEBE..... wife of George Seymour Miller / and daughter of / James and Phoebe ?Mawson Hansford / aged ?22 years / "Lord.....  
 B.R. Records Hugh aged 72.
- B27 Table Tomb, listed Grade II Monument. Limestone.  
 (S) In memory of / MARGARET wife of / Henry Hansford / who departed this / life the ?8: of March / ?17.6 aged 83 years / (continued below).\*\*  
 (N) Four lines of words, all undecipherable.
- B28 Table Tomb, listed Grade II Monument. Limestone.  
 (E) Underneath / are interred the remains of / JOHN GIBBS. / who departed this life / June the 24th 1812 / aged 63 years /  
 (S) In memory of JOHN GIBBS & ELIZA his wife / and four (? altered from THREE) ?of their children who died in infancy / He died April 11th 1776 aged 57 / she died April the 2nd 1765 aged 34. / ? Four line inscription not decipherable /  
 (W) Also of / ELIZABETH HOPKINS / Daughter of / John and Elizabeth Gibbs / who died Sept: 11th, 1825, / aged 66 years / "Fled unto Christ / and obtain mercy"  
 (N) In memory of ANNA GIBBS, who departed / this life January 28th 1765 aged 81. /  
 And of RICHARD READ who departed / this life June 3rd 1767 aged 79.
- B27 \*\*.... Also of ?her husband HENRY HANSFORD / who departed this life / ..<sup>rd</sup> ?July .....

- B29 H/S Norman round top, and K/S. Granite.  
 (E) In / loving memory of / FRANCES JESSIE, the beloved wife of / Robert Knight, / at rest July 2nd, 1931, / aged 60 years. /  
 Also of the above / ROBERT KNIGHT, / who passed away Oct. 10th, 1939, / aged 71 years.
- B30 H/S plain cross on 3 steps. Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory of / HARRY / the beloved husband of / Mary A. Legg. / who passed peacefully away / July 15th, 1927, aged 59 years. /  
 Also of the above / MARY ANN LEGG / at rest Sep. 25th 1933, / aged 66 years.  
 B.R. Records Harry aged 58.
- B31 H/S gothic top with carved floral inset. Marble.  
 (E) In loving memory / of / my dear husband / JOHN BAGG, / who died January 26th 1922 / aged 78 years. /  
 "Peace, perfect peace." /  
 Also of SARAH TURNER BAGG, / wife of the above / died March 20th 1926, aged 78. / At rest.
- B32 H/S, cross on 3 steps with ivy decoration. Marble.  
 (E) "Peace perfect peace" / In / loving memory / of / CHARLES HINKS / died April 15th 1892 / aged 47 /  
 Also of ELIZABETH ANN, his wife / died Feb. 10th, 1928, / aged 87 /  
 (S) Also of their / daughters / BESSIE / died Feb. 1st 1895, / aged 19 /  
 And MARY ANN, / died Dec. 5th 1919 / aged 45. /  
 (N) Also of their son / CHARLES / died April 22nd 1880. / aged 1 year /  
 Also their daughter EMMA / died June 15th 1953.
- B33 Cremation square.  
 + / SAMUEL / 6th VISCOUNT HOOD / 1910-1981.  
 B.R. Records interment of Ashes 17 Oct. 1981.
- B34 Table Tomb, listed Grade II Monument.  
 (W) Here lieth the body / of / ROBERT TRAVERS / who died Jan<sup>y</sup> 18th 1663 /  
 Also of / MATTHEW TRAVERS, / who died Feb<sup>y</sup> 10th 1709 /  
 And of / ROBERT TRAVERS, / who died March the 28th / 1709 /  
 (N) To the memory of / MATTHEW TRAVERS, Gent. / who died the 3rd of July, 1731, aged 42 years, /  
 And of FRANCES his wife / who died the 2nd of January, 1752 aged 65 years. /  
 Underneath lieth the body of WILLIAM TRAVERS, Gent, / son of the above Matthew and Frances Travers, / who died the 25th of June, 1792, aged 79 years /  
 (S) Underneath / lieth the body of / SARAH, wife of William Travers, Gent, / who died the 4th of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1767, aged 47 years. /  
 Also of / WILLIAM TRAVERS, surgeon, /  
 And MATTHEW TRAVERS, Attorney at law, / both sons of William and Sarah. / W<sup>m</sup> died Nov. 15, 1768, aged 22 years: Matt<sup>w</sup>, Sept. 17th, 1770, aged 25 /

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(E) Also of / RICHARD, / son of Will<sup>m</sup> & Sarah Travers, (late Major in the / Dorset Yeomanry Cavalry) / raised in the / memorable year 1793 / who died July 28th 1813, / aged 64 years.

B.R. Robert Travers (d. 18 Jan 1663) recorded as TREFES.

Robert Travers (d. 28 Mar 1709) not recorded.

Matthew Travers (d. 10 Jan 1731) recorded as Matthews Travers.

Frances Travers (d. 2. Jan 1752) not recorded.

## B35 Cremation square. No names inscribed but correspondence verifies it is for

EVELYN SARAH GALER, died 24th Nov. 1975, aged 61,

Also of WILLIAM NAUNTON GALER, died 22nd May 1962, aged 80.

"God has given us / memory that we / may have roses / in December. " Anon.

B.R. Records Evelyn, cremation.

Records William, cremation.

## B36 Cremation square. Marble.

DENIS SEWARD / LASKEY / 1916-1987 /

B.R. Records interment of ashes, 20 Oct. 1987.

## B37 H/S gothic top. Marble.

(E) In / loving memory / of / EMILY RICHARDS / wife of / J.A. Richards, / fell asleep March 1 1929 / aged 80 years. "Peace perfect peace" /

Also of J.A. RICHARDS, / husband of the above / who died November 7 1931, / aged 80 years. / "At rest".

## B38 H/S gothic top with foliage inset. Granite(rough).

(E) In / loving memory of / ERNEST LEVI RICHARDS / who died September 7th 1889. / aged 13 years /

Also of / SIDNEY J. RICHARDS, / who died December 19th 1880, / aged 10 weeks. "Not gone from memory nor from love, / but to our Father's home above."

## B39 Cross on 2 steps with K/S. Granite.

(E) In loving memory of / HELENA BLANCHE / daughter of / Arthur Bertram and / Mary Josephine Hutton, / died 5th May, 1928, aged 26 years. / "(T)he fruit of the Spirit is Love, / Joy, long suffering". Gal. v, 22.

## B40 H/S surmounted by celtic cross on plinth, standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South.

Sacred / to the memory of / JOHN OSMOND HANSFORD FRY / Born February ?6 1864 / Died July 1 1867.



- B41 H/S (?rounded part missing) standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South. Sacred to the memory of / ELIZABETH ye wife / of William Gill who / departed this life 21 Jan. / 1774 aged 73 years. /  
And of MATTEW their / son who died 31 October / 1760 aged 20 years.  
B.R. Mary (not Elizabeth) recorded 23 Jan 1774.  
Records Matthew 28 Oct 1759.
- B42 H/S, plain cross on sloping shoulders, standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South. Limestone.  
In / memory of / JOHN CRABB / who died / January 7th 1875 aged 27 years.
- B43 H/S, surmounted by cross inset in roundel, with "IHS" surrounded by "Thy will O Lord be done", standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South.  
In affectionate remembrance of / JESSE THOMAS / the beloved son of Thomas & Jane Gale / (of Uploders) / who died ?.. May 1958 aged ?.. years / "(The Lord gave) and the Lord (hath taken away)"  
Also of THOMAS VALLENS GALE / Born March 16th 1813 / died April 5 1884 /  
And JANE GALE his wife / fell asleep March 31st 1908 / aged 86 years / "Peace perfect peace" /  
Also GEORGE VERRIER Grandson /  
And JOHN VERRIER / son in law of the above / "Christ has fathered home his own".  
B.R. Records Jesse died as infant 30th May 1858.
- B44 H/S, curved top, standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South. Limestone. Sacred / to the memory of / WILLIAM CRABB / who died February 7th 1884: / aged 66 years. / "My soul waitth for the Lord / more than they that watch for 7 the morning". Psalm cxxx. 6 /  
Also of ELLEN his wife / who died March 28th 1883: / aged 63 years. / "Nothing in my hand I bring / simply to thy cross I cling." /  
Also of MALACHI their son / who died April 20th 1864: / aged 15 years. / "The days of his youth hast thou / shortened." Psalm lxxxix. 45.
- B45 H/S with curved top, standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South. Beneath lie the remains / of / JOHN GILL / of this parish / who died October 12th 1829 / aged 88 years / Having been upwards of 50 years Hawker / and faithful servant to the late / Esqr Travers / of Uploders / Mr. James ?Bandinell in / respect to his memory / put up this stone.
- B46 H/S, centre round with square corners, standing against churchyard North wall (position of grave unknown) facing South. Limestone.  
Heare lieth / the body of / JOAN MO(?RS)E / wife of Richar / d Mo(?...) / the ?.....  
B.R. Records 5 Feb 1695/6 Joan Morse (wife of Richard).  
Records 8 Mar 1701 Richard Mores of Uploders.