MONUMENT AND TRANSCRIPTION LIST:
LYDD CHURCH, 2009
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INTRODUCTION

Below is a list of monuments recorded during an evaluation study and survey of monuments in Lydd Church, 2009. Most entries include a brief summary of memorial type, a transcription and an accompanying photograph, along with surnames that occur in the inscriptions and a note relating to any interesting symbols or imagery.¹ Surnames, work and religious references can be further examined in the accompanying notes (see Appendices I, II and III).

Many of the transcriptions are followed by initials and numbers in brackets; these refer to the earlier notes or transcripts made by Leland L. Duncan, Thomas Cobb or Bryan Faussett, which are available to view on the KAS website.² Any differences between the antiquarian records and my own have been noted (Appendix IV). At times these may be minor: previous records were often abbreviated, or may have used a different case to that found on the actual monument. At other times these differences are more marked, particularly when a wrong date of death was originally recorded. As far as possible the following transcripts show what actually appears on the monuments – even when this may seem somewhat idiosyncratic.

For clarity, I have numbered each line of text, and used the conventions of manuscript recording to show the end and beginning of a line, as it appears on the monument i.e. /[2]/ or /[3]/. Gaps that occur in a memorial’s text are shown as follows: […]. My insertions are in brackets and underlined. Detailed records of the medieval and early modern brasses include the measurements of all surviving components: the slab, brass inlay, and indents.

Several monuments listed in the antiquarian records now appear to be lost. These have been noted in Appendix V. However, a more extensive investigation at Lydd church may reveal the whereabouts of some of these more elusive monuments, and as such this record is subject to revision. Several later monuments that are not documented in the antiquarian works have been included in Appendix VI, as well as those that were inadvertently missed in earlier records.

Finally, this study has culminated in a much fuller article, in which the background of the Godfrey family and their memorial art is established in relation to new studies of the economy and society of the towns of the Cinque Port confederation³. Furthermore, the Godfreys’ choice of commemoration is considered in the light of recent examinations of the dedicatory culture of death.

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³ Terreena Bellinger and Gillian Draper, “‘My boddye shall lye with my name Engraven on it’”: remembering the Godfrey family of Lydd, Kent in Martyn Waller, Elizabeth Edwards and Luke Barber (eds), Romney Marsh: persistence and change in a coastal lowland (Romney Marsh Research Trust, Sevenoaks, 2010).
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TOWER: north wall

1) Firefighters / Sgt Maj Chesterman
   Type: World War I wooden cross plus metal plaques; modern poppy display with handwritten card
   Surnames: N/A
   Symbols: Cross; poppies; invicta horse.


2) First World War
   Type: Tablet
   Surnames: Many, see below.
   Symbols: Cross

(LD: 530)

3) Second World War
Type: Brass inscription
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

4) **Submariners / A Balchin**

**Type:** World War I wooden cross with metal plaque [plus evidence that further small metal plaques are now missing]; modern poppy display with handwritten card

**Surnames:** N/A

**Symbols:** Cross; poppies; submarine


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5) **All Saint’s Floral Guild**

**Type:** Wooden board

**Surnames:** N/A

**Symbols:** N/A

6) Dr P.L. Huxley-Williams
Type: Brass inscriptions on two flowerstands (the other one can be found in the nave)
Surnames: Huxley-Williams
Symbols: N/A


7) Lydd’s common seal
Type: Round plaque reproduction of Lydd’s common seal, with commemorative date added
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: Lydd’s original common seal probably dates to the early fourteenth century. This exact copy shows to the dexter the church with pinnacled tower, spire, cross and pennon. A shield bears a cross ‘between four lions rampant’. To the sinister is a ship, on which a man blows a trumpet, whilst from the crow’s nest flies a pennon, identical to the one on the church.


8) Rectors of Lydd

**Type:** Wooden plaque

**Surnames:** Many

**Symbols:** N/A

West doors

9) Dennis Wintsch
Type: Brass inscription
Surnames: Wintsch, Tyrrell.
Symbols: N/A


10) Unidentified [?]
Type: Uncertain
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A
NORTH AISLE

11) Mary Murray
Type: Tablet
Surnames: Murray; Skinner; Hopkins.
Symbols: N/A

(LD: 513)

12) Hatchment

13) Unidentified
Type: Brass male effigy
Description: c.1590. Civilian. Male effigy 643 x 246 mm. Although it is now placed above a brass inscription for Laurence Stuppenye, this effigy was probably for an unidentified male, and is the likely partner for the unidentified female effigy, below.
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A
14) Laurence Stuppenye

Type: Brass inscription: now mounted on board
Description: 144 x 617 mm.
Surnames: Stuppenye
Symbols: N/A

(TC: 451; BF: 539)

15) John Godfrey

Type: Brass inscription: now mounted on board
Description: Inscription 250 x 362 mm.
Surnames: Godfrey
Symbols: N/A

16) **Robert Godfrey**

Type: Brass inscription: now mounted on board  
Description: Inscription 434 x 139 mm  
Surnames: Godfrey  
Symbols: N/A

(TC: 449; BF: 537)

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17) **Thomas Harte and Malyn, his wife**

Type: Brass effigies and inscription: now mounted on board  
Description: Civil dress. Male effigy [missing feet] 565 remains x 201 mm, female effigy 588 x 194 mm, inscription 129 x 637 mm.  
Surnames: Harte  
Symbols: N/A

Decessyd ye/ xx day of July in the yere of our lorde / [4] god M CCCCC lvij, whose soules our lorde receyue to his grete mcy

(TC: 461; BF: 549)

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18) **John Berry**

*Type:* Brass inscription: now mounted on board  
*Description:* 312 x 646 mm.  
*Surnames:* Berry  
*Symbols:* N/A


(TC: 473)

19) **Unidentified**

*Type:* Brass female effigy
Description: c. 1590. 638 x 195 mm. An unidentified female, probably partner of the male effigy, above.

Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

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20) Unidentified
Type: Tablet, almost effaced
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

21) Table of Benefactions
Type: Wooden plaque
Surnames: Hart, Godfrey, Barling, Murray, Kempe
Symbols: N/A

Women as sho / [13] –uld be inhabitants of Lydd, of the age of 60 years and up / [14] –wards, whose labours were done. / [15] Clement Barling of Ashford by his Will in 1668, devised out / [16] of lands and tenements in Dengemarsh, 10s in money to be / [17] given to 20 poor people above the age of 40 years, and 40s / [18] in Coarse Cloth: to be distributed by the Bailiff or Church / [19] Wardens and Overseers of the Poor, on the second Tuesday / [20] in November, in the Church, between the hours of 11 and 12 for / [21] the Clothes of 2 poor Widows and 4 poor Children at the dis / [22] cretion of the Bailiff, or the Church Wardens and Overseers of the / [23] Poor, provided that the Heirs and overseers of his lands shall / [24] have liberty to dispose of half the said Cloth, to such as afore / [25] –said, whom they should please to nominate. / [26] Mary Murray, of Lydd, by her Will dated 1829, gave £100, / [27] of bread, to be distributed by the Chamberlain, on Christmas / [28] Day, yearly before divine service in the morning: to such / [29] poor persons, as the Bailiff and Jurats shall appoint. / [30] For Kempe’s Charity, see the Extract of his will in the / [31] Parish Church Chest.

(LD: 519. Duncan notes this monument but does not include a transcription)

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22) **Children of Charles James and Eliza Burton**

*Type:* Tablet  
*Surnames:* Burton, Marshall  
*Symbols:* N/A

23) Ethel Maria Gill-Ballard
Type: Brass inscription
Surnames: Gill-Ballard
Symbols: N/A

[1] To the Glory of God. / [2] This window was restored by Ethel Maria Gill-Ballard, Christmas. 1892.
(LD: 521)

24) Eliza Burton
Type: Tablet
Surnames: Burton
Symbols: N/A

(LD: 522)
25) **Harold Finn**

**Type:** Mural tablet  
**Surnames:** Finn  
**Symbols:** N/A

(LD: 523a) (Duncan’s transcript covers up to line 9. Robert Bannerman Finn’s memorial inscription was engraved at a later date).

26) **Marian Isabel Russell**

**Type:** Brass inscription  
**Surnames:** Russell  
**Symbols:** N/A

(ND: 523)

27) Royal Tank Corp
Type: Wooden plaque
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A


NORTH CHAPEL

28) St John Ambulance
Type: Wooden plaque
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A


5 When this monument was first noted a transcription was not taken. Unfortunately, when I returned to get a full record the brass was inaccesible. A full transcript and better photograph will be added later. See also note 5.
29) **George Washford**

Type: Child’s picture, with brass plaque  
Surnames: Washford  
Symbols: N/A


30) **Kate Priddis**

Type: Plaque in wooden frame  
Surnames: Priddis, Bayley  
Symbols: N/A

31) Sir Walter de Menyl [?] [possibly Michael de Menyl?]

Type: Stone effigy
Surnames: de Menyl[?]
Symbols: N/A


(Compare TC: 455; BF: 544)

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32) Lydd and Dungeness Royal Naval Association

Type: Banner stand
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

33) Lydd Sunday School
Type: Embroidered hanging
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: Cross; daffodils


34) Thomas Edgar
Type: Tombstone
Surnames: Edgar, Hawk, Cook
Symbols: N/A

35) **Canon Percy Herbert Collins**

**Type:** Wall plaque  
**Surnames:** Collins  
**Symbols:** N/A  


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36) **Girl Guides**

**Type:** Inscription on banner stand  
**Surnames:** Finn, Balchin, Tart  
**Symbols:** N/A  

37) **Unidentified**
Type: Floor slab, effaced and mutilated
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

38) **Joane [Ioane] Bate**
Type: Floor
Surnames: Bate, Tookey, Wilcocke.
Symbols: Heraldry


(TC: 470)
39)  **Dame Dorothy Palmer**

**Type:** Engraved floor slab  
**Surnames:** Palmer, Scotts, Hernden, Sharpe  
**Symbols:** Heraldic devices, following Duncan’s recording: ‘There are also in white marble 3 several escutcheons viz (1) Baron and Feme, Herden and Scott being in the 1st an eagle displayed and in the 2nd a chevron charged with 3 Helmets. (2) A chevron between 3 Palmers’ scrips and Scott as before in the 2nd quarter. (3) In a Lozenge beneath the other coats being Scott as before. (This stone is now at the entrance to the chancel, it is partly illegible and the coats of arms wholly so).’

This memorial stone is in poor condition, with large tracts of the inscription illegible, therefore Thomas Cobb’s transcription is more reliable: ‘Here lieth the Bodie of Dame Dorothy PALMER of the ancient family of the SCOTTS of Hartfordshire, sometime wife and widow of Thomas HERNDEN one of the Majistrates of this Towne of Lydd and since died the 21st Julie Ano dni 1621. Wife and widdow of Sr. Henry Palmer, Knight, Controwler of this Maties. Navie. Under the former are inscribed these words: To whose Memory John SHARPE of the auncient Town of Rye in the Countie of Sussex, Gent. Nephew and Executor of the last will and Testament of the saied Dame Dorothy Palmer caused this membrance to be made.

There are also in white marble 3 several escutcheons viz (1) Baron and Feme, Herden and Scott being in the 1st an eagle displayed and in the 2nd a chevron charged with 3 Helmets. (2) A chevron between 3 Palmers’ scrips and Scott as before in the 2nd quarter. (3) In a Lozenge beneath the other coats being Scott as before.’

(TC: 452; BF: 540)
40) Thomas Bate

Type: Floor slab, brass effigy and inscription

Description: Civil dress. Male effigy 623 x 225 mm, inscription 211 x 606 mm, Purbeck slab 2200 x 865 mm.

Surnames: Bate

Symbols: N/A


(TC: 469)

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41) Richard Bate
Type: Engraved floor slab
Surnames: Bate, Isham, Wallis
Symbols: Heraldic shields. ‘On a Bl. Stone inlaid with White on wch. are These Coats. [3 shs. in line.I. Sa. a fess or betw. 3 dextr. hands arg. imp. Gu. a fess wavy, 3 piles wavy arg. in chief.]II. BATE as Before imp. Erm. a bend gu. III. BATE as Before imp. Or, a bend cotised sa]. The Bend shd. be charged with 3 Mullets of ye Field’ (BF: 550)


42) Thomas Bate
Type: Engraved floor slab
Surnames: Bate
Symbols: N/A
This slab is in poor condition, therefore it is more reliable to use Thomas Cobb’s transcript. (TC: 468)
43) **Thomas Godfrey and wife**

**Type:** Brass effigies with inscription

**Description:** Male effigy 1231 x 379 mm, female effigy 1191 x 453 mm, double canopy 2033 x c.1005 mm, inscription originally 83 x 875 mm, now 83 x 439 mm remains, upper dexter shield indent effaced, upper sinister shield indent c.145 x c.120 mm, lower dexter shield indent 145 x 120 mm, lower sinister shield indent 145 x 120 mm, Purbeck slab 2580 mm remains x 1125 mm remains.

**Style:** London D

**Surnames:** Godfrey

**Symbols:** N/A


Luckily the complete inscription is recorded in antiquarian records.

(TC: 464)
44) **John and Thomas Bate**

*Type:* Engraved Floor slab  
*Surnames:* Slab  
*Symbols:* Heraldic shields, with secondary engravings


(TC: 466)

45) **Peter and Jone Godfrey**

*Type:* Floor slab, brass effigies and inscription  
*Description:* Male effigy 504 x 171 mm, female effigy 484 x 157 mm, inscription 112 x 593 mm, inscription indent c.65 x c.380 mm, daughters indent c.160 x c.155 mm, sons indent c.160 x c.160 mm, Purbeck slab 1930 x 825 mm.  
*Surnames:* Godfrey  
*Symbols:* N/A

[1] Here lyeth buryed the Bodyes of Peter Godfrye and Jone his / [2] wyfe, which Peter Decessyd the x\th/ day of Marche in the yere of o\ur/ / [3] Lorde God MCCCCCLXVI: and the sayd Jone Decessyd / [4] in the yere of o\ur/ Lorde God MCCCCCLXVI: havyng by her . V. s [remainder now lost]‘.

(TC: 463)
46) **William Dallet**

Type: Floor slab and brass inscription  
Description: Inscription 146 x 646 mm, non Purbeck slab 1635 x 790 mm.  
Surnames: Dallet  
Symbols: N/A  

WHO DYED THE 28 OF IANVARY 1598 BEINGE THEN / [3] BAYLYE OF THIS  
TOWNE AND IN THE 40 YERE OF QVEENE / [4] ELIZABETH REIGNE & IN  
THREE DAVGHTERS.  
(TC: 460; BF: 551)

47) **Edward Master**

Type: Engraved floor slab  
Surnames: Master, Bate  
Symbols: Heraldry: ‘A Lion rampant guardant holding a Rose Branch in his  
paws and a mullet for difference, the Crest being a Snake with 2  
heads twisted in the Body into the figure of 8’ (TC: 471).
(TC: 471)

48) Elizabeth Plummer
Type: Engraved floor slab
Surnames: Plummer
Symbols: ‘At the top of the stone is this Coat of Arms: Two wings conjoined in 
lure, a chief ermine. Crest a lion’s head erased, holding a rose 
slipped in his mouth’ (TC: 487)

departed this life the / [8] 8TI/ Day of August 1705 Aged 29 Year / [9] And ye/: said 
Samuel died the 20 of / [10] October following, Aged 3 months. / [11] also Here lyeth 
1725 Aged / [14] 51 Years: Here lieth also Mary And / [15] Jane by his second Wife / 
[16] Here also lieth ye/ Body of Mary / [17] Second Wife of ye/ above Thomas / 
years. 
(TC: 487)
49) **John [Plu]mmer**

**Type:** Floor slab

**Surnames:** Plummer

**Symbols:** N/A


(LD: 529)

50) **Unidentified**

**Type:** Floor slab, effaced

**Surnames:** N/A

**Symbols:** N/A
51) [Robert Cokyram]
Type: Floor slab and brass effigy
Surnames: Cokyram
Description: c.1508. Male effigy 330 x 115 mm, inscription indent 55 x 495 mm, scroll indent 35 x 195 x 25 mm, non-Purbeck slab 1790 x 780 mm.
Style: London G.
Symbols: N/A
(TC: 462; BF: 552)

52) John Morgan
Type: Floor slab
Surnames: Morgan
Symbols: N/A

(TC: 488)
53) **Civilian**

**Type:** Floor slab and brass effigy

**Description:** c.1520. Male effigy 493 x 128 mm, female indent c.470 mm with no available width, inscription indent c.120 x c.565 mm, sons indent effaced, daughters indent efface, Purbeck slab 1490 mm remains x 965 mm remains.

**Surname:** N/A

**Symbols:** N/A

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54) **John Maplesden**

- **Type:** Floor stone
- **Surname:** Maplesden
- **Symbols:** N/A

 Ao/ DNI / [7] 1640 AGED 5 MONTHES

(TC: 482)

55) **Unidentified stone**

- **Type:** Floor slab: effaced
- **Surname:** N/A
- **Symbols:** N/A
56) **John Thomas**

**Type:** Floor slab and brass effigy  
**Description:** Effigy 453 x 139 mm, inscription 68 x 448 mm, scroll indent 215 x 135 x 25 mm, Purbeck slab 1590 remains x 720 mm  
**Style:** London D  
**Surnames:** Thomas  
**Symbols:** N/A

(TC: 483)

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57) **Unidentified stone**

**Type:** Floor slab  
**Surnames:** N/A  
**Symbols:** N/A
NAVE: VARIOUS LOCATIONS

58) Various
Type: Various prayer cushions, including those commemorating the armed forces or royalty
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: Various emblems, religious, military and royal

A small example is shown below

Parachute Regiment
Royal East Kent Regiment
Jubilee: 2002
War

59) Unidentified
Type: Various supporting stones, some with shields and initials
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: Heraldic shields; big fish eating small fish, with initials at the top (LD: 447)

Nave: centre aisle
60) **Thomas Hart**

Type: Chandelier  
Surnames: Hart  
Symbols:  

[1] IN COMMEMORATION of Mr THO HART A PIOUS BENEFACCTOR to this CHURCH and PARISH 1753

61) **All Saints, Lydd**

Type: Two identical processional crosses [?] attached to pew ends, comprising a wooden pole and brass cross, with inscriptions  
Surnames: N/A  
Symbols: Cross  

62) **Rev. F. Gell**

*Type:* Brass inscription on lectern  
*Surnames:* Gell  
*Symbols:*  


63) **A.J. McDowell**

*Type:* Brass inscription, on choir stall  
*Surnames:* A.J. McDowell  
*Symbols:* N/A  


64) **Friends of Lydd Church**

*Type:* Brass inscription, on choir stall
CHURCH

65) **Vera Jell**
Type: Engraved on wooden bookcase
Surnames: Jell
Symbols: N/A


66) **Mary Julia Denne**
Type: Brass inscription, on stall
Surnames: Denne
Symbols: N/A

[Maker’s name: COX & BUCKLEY LONDON]
67) Robert Alured Denne
Type: Brass inscription, on stall.
Surnames: Denne
Symbols: N/A

[1] TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF

68) Doris Kathleen Mittell
Type: Brass inscription on hymn board
Surnames: Mittell
Symbols: N/A


69) Clement Stuppeny
Type: Brass and altar tomb
Description: Male effigy 579 x 213 mm, inscription 435 x 524 mm, marble coverstone 2140 x 1010 mm.
Surnames: Stuppeny

(TC: 456; BF: 546)
Looking from the chancel into the north chapel: Clement Stuppeny’s altar tomb.

**CHANCEL**

70) **John Motesfont**

**Type:** Floor slab, effigial brass, foot and marginal inscription  
**Description:** Effigy 940 x 242 mm, inscription 103 x 490 mm, scroll originally 352 x 180 x 30 mm, now 350 x 180 x 30 mm, marginal inscription 1675 x 700 x 34 mm, dexter shield indent 150 x 120 mm, sinister shield indent 145 x 120 mm, upper dexter quadrilobe indent 95 x 95 mm, upper sinister quadrilobe indent 95 x 95 mm, lower dexter quadrilobe indent 95 x 95 mm, lower sinister indent 95 x 95 mm, Purbeck slab 1855 x 880 mm.

**Style:** London B.  
**Surnames:** Motesfont  
**Symbols:** N/A

**Prayer inscription:** Miserere mei Deus: scdm’ magna miam t[…]  
**Marginal inscription, north:** […] namqu’ domo: clauditur omnis homo. Regia mais[…] […] […]ra […]


71) Thomas Godfrey

Type: Floor slab
Surnames: Godfrey
Symbols: Heraldry. ‘In a field sable between a chevron 3 Pelicans Heads erased or and inscript’ (453). The pelican was regarded as an ancient type of Christ – an appropriate heraldic symbol to be placed in the chancel.

72) **Thomas Godfrey**

**Type:** mural bust  
**Surnames:** Godfrey  
**Symbols:** ‘Over this monument are his own and his three wives’ Coats of Arms (illegible now as in Hasted’s time)’ (453) – now restored.

(TC: 453; BF: 541)
73) Mary Godfrey

Type: Brass inscription and shield
Description: Inscription 210 x 473 mm, shield 214 x 194 mm, non-Purbeck slab 1855 x 810 mm.
Surnames: Godfrey, Partridge.


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74) John Fowle

Type: Floor slab
Surnames: Fowle
Symbols: ‘His arms are displayed on the Stone: A chevron, on a chief 3 mulletts. Crest an Eagles (?) head erased, ? ermine, transfixed by an arrow’ (486).

(TC: 486)

75) Unidentified floor slab
Type: Floor slab, with indents of priest, canopy, and inscription: nearly effaced
Surnames: N/A
Symbols: N/A

76) Effie Maude Prior
Type: Inscription on flowerstand
Surnames: Prior
Symbols: N/A

77) **William Prescott**

Type: Incriptions on candleholders  
Surnames: Prescott  
Symbols: N/A

OF DOVER AND FORMERLY OF LYDD / [4] WHO DIED 29 SEPTEMBER 1920

78) **Reverend William Philip Warburton**

Type: Mural tablet: found at entrance between chancel and south chapel  
Surnames: Warburton, Moore  
Symbols: N/A
WARBURTON M.A. / [3] LATE FELLOW OF JESUS COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE /
HE DIED JULY 7th 1821, AGED 59 YEARS / [9] AND WAS BURIED IN THIS
MEMORY IS ERECTED / [12] BY HIS WIDOW AND ONLY DAUGHTER
(LD: 527)

VESTRY / SOUTH AISLE

79) Hatchment

80) Katharine Denne

Type: Brass inscription
Surnames: Denne
Symbols: N/A

MDCCCLXVI. Aged LII. / [4] The Window above is dedicated to the Memory of
Katharine Denne, Widow of / [5] David Denne, by the Surviving Children. She died
September II Anno Domini / [6] MDCCCLIX. Aged XCII.
(LD: 506)
81) Anne Russell
Type: Mural monument
Surnames: Russell
Symbols: The sculpture shows the mother giving her child to the angels.

Infant to thine Arms / [3] ‘Twas Thine, with Patience meek to Heav’n resign’d / [4]
With Faith, that arm’d, and Hope, that cheer’d thy mind. / [5] Thy blooming Years to
Death’s ling’ring Stroke undaunted to Sustain, / [8] And less to feel thine own, than
sympathizing Love’s inquiring Eyes, / [11] Conceal the Tear, repress the strugg’ling
Sigh. / [12] And leave a bright Example, how to die / [13] ‘Tis mine to crown thy
Wish, reward thy Worth / [14] To wean each fond, each yearning Thought from Earth
/ [15] And give this much lov’d Object of thy Care, / [16] Thy Joys to perfect and thy
Heav’n to share. / [17] ANN RUSSELL / [18] WIFE OF HENRY RUSSELL
YEAR OF HER AGE / [21] AND HER ONLY CHILD HENRY ON THE / [22]
15\TH/. DAY OF JANUARY FOLLOWING IN THE / [23] 4\TH/ YEAR OF HIS
AGE

(LD: 508. N.B. Duncan does not include the verse in his transcript)

82) Lt.-Col. Tankred Tunstall Behrens
Type: Inscription on processional cross
Surnames: Behrens
Symbols: See footnote

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6 When this monument was first recorded a transcription was not taken. Unfortunately, when I returned to get a full record the brass was inaccessible. A full transcript and photograph will be added at a later date. The cross can just be seen in the left hand side of the photo for Katharine Denne, no. 80, above. See also note 4.
**NAVE: SOUTH AISLE**

83) **Henshaw Russell**

- **Type:** Mural tablet
- **Surnames:** Russell
- **Symbols:** Arms: (A chevron between 3 .... Crest, a demi Lion rampant’ (LD: 490).


84) **Sarah Finn**

- **Type:** Brass inscription
- **Surnames:** Finn
- **Symbols:** N/A

[1] In Memory of Sarah Finn. Widow of George Finn Esquire, Justice of the / [2] Peace of this Town, departed this life the 2nd March 1891. Aged 83 Years. (LD: 492)
85) Hatchment

86) George Finn
Type: Brass inscription
Surnames: Finn
Symbols: N/A


(LD: 493)

87) David Morrison
Type: Tablet
Surnames: Morrison
Symbols: N/A


(LD: 494)

88) Louisa Anne Denne
Type: Tablet
Surnames: Deene, Cobb
Symbols: N/A


(LD: 497)
89) **Robert Alured Denne**

**Type:** Brass inscription  
**Surnames:** Denne  
**Symbols:** N/A  


90) **David Denne**

**Type:** Brass inscription  
**Surnames:** Denne  
**Symbols:** Small red cross at the start of the inscription  


91) **Lambert Henry Denne**

**Type:** Brass inscription  
**Surnames:** Denne  
**Symbols:** N/A
92) **Neville Lancelot Collins**

Type: Brass inscription

Surnames: Collins

Symbols: The Royal Sussex Regiments’ motto? A cross is shown in the centre bottom of the brass. 4 modern poppies are placed in each corner. A wooden cross is placed at the base, in which a poppy is depicted, along with the words ‘In Remembrance’.


(LD: 524)

93) **Michael Russell**

Type: Tablet

Surnames: Russell

Symbols: N/A

1856 / [12] AGED 19.\footnote{Caution should be noted if using this transcription: its position and condition makes it difficult 
to gauge whether the ‘5’s are in fact ‘3’s.}

(ND: 501)

(LD: 528)
Children namely, ELIZABETH, KATHARINE, / [9] DAVID, CECILIA, MARY JULIA, and THOMAS
(LD: 504)

98) **Edward William Lummis**

*Type:* Brass inscription  
*Surnames:* Lummis  
*Symbols:* N/A


99) **Arthur Octavius Hardy**

*Type:* Brass inscription  
*Surnames:* Hardy  
*Symbols:* N/A

100) **Edward William Denne**

**Type:** Stepped brass cross above inscription  
**Surnames:** Denne  
**Symbols:** Small red cross at the beginning of inscription

(LD: 505)

101) **Catherine S. Edwards**

**Type:** Inscription on altar  
**Surnames:** Edwards  
**Symbols:** ?

102) **Tom Prior**

**Type:** Brass inscription on flowerstand  
**Surname:** Prior  
**Symbols:** N/A

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8 It was not possible to obtain a photograph of this memorial. It is hoped that this will be achieved at a later date.

103) Cath and Buller Turner
Type: 2 identical candlesticks, with inscription
Surnames: Turner
Symbols: N/A

[1] IN MEMORY OF CATH & BULLER TURNER

104) Thomas White
Type: Brass inscription on chair
Surnames: White
Symbols: N/A
IN MEMORY OF / WILLIAM THOMAS WHITE J.P. / CHURCHWARDEN ALL SAINTS, LYDD / 1909-1944 / AND OF HIS SON HENRY. / KILLED IN ACTION IN LIBYA / JAN 23RD/ 1942
APPENDIX I

SURNAME LIST

INTRODUCTION
This list aims to bring together the many ‘characters’ who appear on the monuments at Lydd church. A monument can often celebrate the living as much as the dead. The micro-family trees that can be reconstructed from such material allows us insights into the nature of family commemoration, and family relationships. Because the same person may be named on more than one monument I have tried to include dates of death and their position in the family where it is stated in the inscription. Of course, if an accurate and extensive family tree is required then wills and other family documents can normally reveal much more than monuments, but the approach here taken brings the immediate concerns of the commemorated or, perhaps, the commemorator, to the fore.9

The earlier monuments appear to focus on the ‘naming’ of the dead, rather than naming of an extended family: the memorials of John Motesfont (1420), John Thomas (1429) and Thomas Godfrey (1430) mention only the deceased (indeed, Godfrey’s monument fails to mention his dead wife’s name – whose effigy stands so serenely by his side). Peter Godfrey’s brass of 1566 names his wife, Joan, and records their children, but fails to mention their names (brasses depicting their children have since been lost). The later monuments increasingly make use of extended family members: fathers-in-law, nephews, nieces, etc. However, much variance occurs and many monuments from the early modern to Victorian era, and beyond, continue to record only the deceased’s details, perhaps including only their immediate kin. It should be noted that some of these commemorative objects are not linked to the dead at all (in particular, see George Washford’s brass).

The numbers in brackets refer the reader to the transcription and monument list, where a full transcription and description of the monument can be found. Please be aware that not all of Lydd church’s surviving monuments include surnames; for this reason gaps will appear in the numbered sequence below.

TOWER

[mon. 1]
Sgt Maj Chesterman

[mon. 2]
Adams, P.W.
Adams, R.M.
Ashmore, E.T.
Balcombe, F.J.
Balchin, H.G.
Bass, C.W.
Bean, C. G
Burchill, T.
Blacklocks, A.

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9 See my ‘Godfrey Family Tree’ reconstruction, in which wills have been linked to surviving monuments at Lydd church.
Bradbury, R.G.W.
Browne, A.V.
Carpenter, R.H.V
Chasmar, H.T
Chesterman, W.C.
Collick, J.
Collins, N.L.
Dalton, A.F.
Drummond, A.
Dunk, P.W.
Frampton, C.W.
Fuller, H.W.
Godfrey, J.D.
Godfrey, N.
Hambrook, C.A.
Hands, G.
Hassall, J.W.
Jackson, E.
James, A.M.
Jones, L.
Kennett, G.
Kent, J.G.W.
Laing, D.
Locke, G.
Lording, H.H.
Martin, H.D.
Miller, J.R.
Mills, T.
Munds, A.E.
Noakes, J.H.
Oiller, W.R.
Paine, A.
Paine, F.
Paine, W.G.
Priddis, W.J.
Raine, J.
Ramsden, A.
Read, F.J.
Saxon, T.
Sheppard, H.J.
Sills, C.G.
Spanner, C.E.A.
Spicer, A.L.
Southerden, F.
Steward, F.J.
Terry, F.
Turk, J.
Turner, R.H.
Waddell, W.G.
Wellsted, W.A.
Williams, A.C.
Williams, C.F.
Williams, C.L.
Williams, F.E.
Wood, C.E.
Wood, D.
Wood, W.J.

[mon. 4]
Balchin, A

[mon. 6]
Huxley-Williams, Dr P.L.

[mon. 8]
Aisgill, Joshua
Bargrave, Isaac
Bean, Charles
Britton, William
Burton, Charles James
Carter, George
Chidgey, Geoffrey Peter
Collins, Percy Herbert
Colnett, Richard
Colonna, Prosper
Dale, Frederick Spencer
Field, Theophilus
Finch, Gilbert Angus
Gerard, Henry
Gervas, Hugh
Gylet or Gylosh, William
Hardy, Arthur Octavius
Hardy, Stephen
Hardyman, John
Hebbenge, William
Hemmyngs, […]
Hewes, John
Hill, Robert
Horne, William
Houghton, Henry de
Huddesford, John
Jones, […]
Joppa, Henry Bishop of
Ligham, Peter
Love, William
Martyn, Richard
Megre, John le
Mottesfont, John
North, Brownlow
Oxenford, John
Portland, William
Potter, John
Sherborne, Richard
Silverton, John
Soreven, George
Startin, Geoffrey
Thornedon, Richard
Thyxstyll, John
Tenison, Edward
Townsend, Roger
Warburton, William Philip
Watkins, Wilfrid E.
Webbes, Christopher
Wells, Thomas
Wilmshurst, Julius John
Wilsford, Edward
Winchelse, Peter de
Wolsey, Thomas

[mon. 9]
Wintsch: Dennis (husband)
Wintsch: Margaret (wife)

NAVE: NORTH AISLE

[mon. 11]
Murray, Mary (d.1829) (daughter)
Skinner, Mark (father)
Skinner, Mary (mother)
Hopkins, Benjamin, esq. (Mary’s 1st husband)
Hopkins, Edward, Right Hon. (Mary’s father-in-law)
Murray, Thomas (d.1816) (Mary’s 2nd husband)
Murray, John (Mary’s father-in-law)

[mon. 14]
Stuppenye, Laurence (d. 1613) (son)
Stuppenye, Clement (father)

[mon. 15]
Godfrey, John (d. 1612) (son)
Godfrey, Thomas (father)

[mon. 16]
Godfrey, Robert (d. 1616) (son)
Godfrey, Richard (father)

[mon. 17]
Harte, Thomas (d. 1557) (husband)
Harte, Malyn (wife)
[mon. 18]
Berry, John (1597)

[mon. 21]
Barling, Clement
Godfrey, Thomas
Hart, Thomas,
Kempe, […]
Murray, Mary

[mon. 22]
Burton, Charles James (father)
Burton, Charles James (d. 1827) (son)
Burton, Charles Richard (d. 1853) (son)
Burton, Edmund Francis (d. […] (son)
Burton, Eliza (mother)
Burton, Eliza (d. 1856) (daughter, and wife to Edward Marshall, below)
Burton, Eliza Mary (d. 1892) (daughter)
Burton, William Boteler (d. 1825) (son)
Marshall, Edward (husband of Eliza Burton, above)

[mon. 23]
Gill-Ballard, Ethel Maria

[mon. 24]
Burton, Edmund Francis (d. […] (brother? See mon. 22)
Burton, Eliza (d. 1856) (wife)
Burton, Eliza Mary (d. 1892) (sister? See mon. 22)
Marshall, Edward (husband)

[mon. 25]
Finn, Harold (d. 1921) (father)
Finn, Edwin (grandfather)
Finn, Robert Bannerman (d. 1945) (son)

[mon. 26]
Russell, Marian Isabel (d. 1872) (wife)
Russell, D.W (husband)

NORTH CHAPEL

[mon. 29]
Washford, George

[mon. 30]
Priddis, Kate (d. 1954)
Bayley family
Menyl, Sir Walter de [?] (or Menil according to Cobb, Merril according to Faussett).

Cook, Captain (d. 1778)
Edgar, Thomas (d. 1801)
Hawk, Admiral

Collins, Percy Herbert

Balchin, Hylda
Finn, Ellen
Tart, May

NAVE: CENTRAL AISLE

Bate, Anne
Bate, Joane (d. 1652) (wife of Thomas Bate, daughter of Edward Wilcocke)
Bate, Joane (daughter)
Bate, John (son)
Bate, Katherine (daughter)
Bate, Sibbill (daughter)
Bate, Thomas (husband)
Bate, Thomas (son 1)
Bate, Thomas (son 2)
Tookey, Joane (nee Bate, above?)
Willcocke, Edward (father to Joane Bate, above)

Hernden, Thomas (1st husband)
Palmer (nee Scotts), Dame Dorothy (d. 1621) (wife)
Palmer, Sir Henry (2nd husband)
Sharpe, John (nephew)

Bate, Thomas (d. 157-)

Bate, Alice (senior)
Bate, Anne (daughter)
Bate (nee Wallis), Ellen (Richard’s 2nd wife)
Bate, James (senior)
Bate, James (son)
Bate, John (son)
Bate, Richard (d. 1656) (husband)
Bate, Richard (son)
Bate, Samuel (son)
Bate, Stephen (son)
Bate (nee Isham), Susan (Richard’s 1st wife)
Isham, George (Richard’s 1st father-in-law)
Wallis, John (Richard’s 2nd father-in-law)

[mon. 42]
Bate, Thomas

[mon. 43]
Godfrey, Thomas [and wife] (d. 1430)

[mon. 44]
Bate, John (d. 1642) (father)
Bate, Thomas (d. 1657) (son)
Bate, Thomas (senior)
Bate, Katherine (daughter)
Bate, Anne (daughter)

[mon. 45]
Godfrey, Peter (d. 1566) (husband)
Godfrey, Jone (d. 1556) (wife)

[mon. 46]
Dallet, William (1598)

[mon. 47]
Bate, Thomas
Master, Edward (1674) (son)
Master, Edward (husband)
Master (nee Bate), Kath (wife, daughter of Thomas, above)

(mon. 48)
Plummer, Elizabeth (d. 1705) (wife)
Plummer, Thomas (d. 1725) (husband)
Plummer, Thomas (son)
Plummer, John (son)
Plummer, Samuel (son)
Plummer, Joane (daughter)
Plummer, Elizabeth (daughter)
Plummer, Mary (daughter)
Plummer, Jane (daughter)
Plummer, Mary (2nd wife)

[mon. 49]
Plummer, John [father] (d. 177-)
Plummer, Sarah [mother] (d. 1776)
Plummer, Thomas [son]
Plummer, Jane [daughter]
Cokyram, Robert

Morgan, John (d. 172-)

Maplesden, John (d. 1640) (son)
Maplesden, Mary (mother)
Maplesden, Peter (father)

Thomas, John (d. 1429)

NAVE: VARIOUS LOCATIONS

Hart, Thomas (1753d.?)

Gell, F.

McDowell, A.J.

Jell, Vera

Denne, Mary Julia (d. 1897)

Denne, Robert Alured (d.1887)

Mittell, Doris Kathleen (d. 1980)

CHANCEL

Stuppeny, Clement (d. 1608)

Motesfont, John, (d. 1420)

Godfrey, Thomas (1623) (son)
Godfrey, Peter (father)
Godfrey, Thomas (1623) (father)
Godfrey, Peter (son)
Godfrey, Thomas (son)
Godfrey, Richard (son)
Godfrey, Mary (daughter)
Godfrey, Sarah (daughter-in-law)

Godfrey (nee Partridge), Mary (d. 1580) (wife)
Godfrey, Thomas (husband)
Godfrey, Peter (son)
Partridge, Thomas (Mary’s father)

Fowle, John (1727) (husband)
Fowle, Mary (1706) (wife)
Fowle, Mary (daughter)
Fowle, John (son)
Fowle, James (son)

Prior, Effie Maude (d. 1979)

Prescott, William (d. 1920)

Warburton, Rev. William Philip (d. 1821)
Moore, John (Archbishop of Canterbury)

VESTRY/ SOUTH AISLE

Denne, David (husband)
Denne, Katharine (d. 1859) (wife)
Denne, Katharine (d. 1846) (daughter)

Russell, Anne (d. 1780) (wife)
Russell, Henry (husband)
Russell, Henry (d. 1780/81?) (son)

SOUTH AISLE

Russell, Henshaw (d. 1817)
[mon. 84]
Finn, Sarah (d. 1891) (wife)
Finn, George (husband)

[mon. 86]
Finn, George (d. 1868)
Finn, Sarah (wife)

[mon. 87]
Morrison, David (d. 1852) (husband)
Morrison, Mary (d. 1870) (wife)

[mon. 88]
Cobb, Thomas (father of Louisa, below)
Denne, David (husband)
Denne (nee Cobb), Louisa Anne (d. 1846) (wife)

[mon. 89]
Denne, Robert Alured (d. 1887)

[mon. 90]
Denne, David (d. 1861)

[mon. 91]
Denne, Lambert Henry (d. 1898)

[mon. 92]
Collins, Neville Lancelot (d. 1916)

[mon. 93]
Russell, Henry (d. 1835) (son)
Russell, Michael (d. 1840) (father)
Russell, Julia (d. 1856) (daughter)

[mon. 94]
Russell, Henshaw (husband)
Russell (nee Skinner), Hester (d. 1837) (wife)
Russell, Hester (d. 1818) (daughter)
Russell, Mary (d. 1818) (daughter)
Skinner, Grace (mother of Hester)
Skinner, John (father of Hester)

[mon. 95]
Dale, Arthur Christopher (d. 1918) (son)
Dale, Benjamin (d. 1904) (son)
Dale, Frederick Spencer (d. 1900) (husband)
Dale, Lydia Elizabeth (1917) (wife)

[mon. 97]
Cobb, Robert (father-in-law)
Denne, Cecilia (daughter)
Denne, David (d. 1819) (husband)
Denne, David (son)
Denne, Elizabeth (daughter)
Denne (nee Cobb), Katharine (wife)
Denne, Katherine (daughter)
Denne, Mary Julia (daughter)
Denne, Thomas (son)

[mon. 98]
Lummis, Edward William (d. 1937)

[mon. 99]
Hardy, Arthur Octavius

[mon. 100]
Denne, David (father)
Denne, Edward William (d. 1873) (son)

SOUTH CHAPEL

[mon. 101]
Edwards, Catherine S.

[mon. 102]
Prior, Tom (d. 1979)

[mon. 103]
Turner, Buller
Turner, Cath

[mon. 104]
White, Henry (d. 1942) (son)
White, Thomas (d. 1944) (father)
APPENDIX II
OCCUPATIONS

This list introduces some of the occupations which Lydd’s citizens have held over the last six hundred years, beginning with John Motesfont as the vicar of Lydd in 1420, and ending with occupations more specifically linked to the twentieth century. It is not surprising that many of the monuments mention work that is related to civic responsibilities such as bailiff or jurat. These men were at the apex of Lydd’s society; as such they could afford durable monuments. Apart from David Deene (d. 1861), the other bailiffs, as well as jurats, whose monuments survive date exclusively from the sixteenth and seventeenth century. Could this suggest a decline in the reputation and standing afforded to this role? Indeed, Deene’s remarkable length of service as bailiff – 23 times in total – probably merited its mention on his monument.

Whilst the Submariners’ Association’s commemoration may reflect Lydd’s specifically coastal location, other monuments reflect how occupations can be forced by world events. In particular, the First World War memorial makes sober reading, in which several young men from one family are noted as killed.

Unsurprisingly, this analysis highlights the male-gendered orientation of work, particularly in the earlier memorials. The place of work in women’s lives is not particularly documented on the monuments found in Lydd church, although their inscriptions do record women’s lives centred on household management: childcare, good housekeeping, and their social and familial connections. Furthermore the women who are commemorated on the Girl Guide’s banner stand have been included below. However, it must be noted that the majority of the monuments at Lydd do not make any mention of male or female occupations outside of the family sphere. The bracketed numbers refer the reader to the memorial’s position in the Monument and Transcription List.

AMBULANCE

BAILIFF
[41] Richard Bate (six times) (1656)
[44] John Bate (d. 1642)
[18] John Berry (five times) (d. 1597)
[46] William Dallet (d. 1598)
[90] David Deene (23 times) (d. 1861)
[17] Thomas Harte (d. 1557)
[14] Laurence Stuppenye (d. 1613)
[69] Clement Stuppeny (seven times) (d. 1608)

BARONS

CAPTAIN OF THE EAST KENT AND CINQUE PORTS YEOMANRY
[90] David Denne (d. 1861)

CAPTAIN OF THE HORSE
[71] Thomas Godfrey (more than forty years) (d. 1623)
CLERK
[74] John Fowle (town clerk to Lydd, for 39 years; clerk to ‘the Lords of Romney Marsh’, for 21 years) (d. 1727)

DEPUTY LIEUTENANT
[90] David Denne (d.1861)

JURAT
[40] Thomas Bate (d.157-)
[44] John Bate (d. 1642)
[18] John Berry (more than forty years) (d. 1597)
[47] Edward Master (for New Romney) (d. 1674)
[14] Laurence Stuppenye (d. 1613)
[69] Clement Stuppeny (d. 1608)

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
[90] David Denne (d.1861)
[86] George Finn (d. 1868)
[25] Harold Finn (d. 1921)
[25] Edwin Finn
[83] Henshaw Russell (d. 1817)

FIREFIGHTERS

GIRL GUIDES
[36] Ellen Finn: Guide Captain, Friend’s Secretary
Hylda Balchin: Brown Owl, Friend’s Secretary
May Tart: Guide Lieutenant, Friend’s Secretary

MAGISTRATE
[39] Thomas Hernden (Date of death not mentioned. He is recorded on his wife’s monument – the memorial for Dame Dorothy Palmer. Her date of death is noted as 1621, by which time she was already widowed.)

MAYOR
[25] Edwin Finn (Date of death not mentioned. He was noted as already dead on his son’s monuments – the memorial for Harold Finn, who died in 1921.)
[47] Edward Master (d.1674)

MILITARY and NAVAL
Adams, P.W.
Adams, R.M.
Ashmore, E.T.
Balcombe, F.J.
Balchin, H.G.
Bass, C.W.
Bean, C. G
Burchill, T.
Blacklocks, A.
Bradbury, R.G.W.
Browne, A.V.
Carpenter, R.H.V
Chasmar, H.T
Chesterman, W.C.
Collick, J.
Collins, N.L.
Dalton, A.F.
Drummond, A.
Dunk, P.W.
Frampton, C.W.
Fuller, H.W.
Godfrey, J.D.
Godfrey, N.
Hambrook, C.A.
Hands, G.
Hassall, J.W.
Jackson, E.
James, A.M.
Jones, L.
Kennett, G.
Kent, J.G.W.
Laing, D.
Locke, G.
Lording, H.H.
Martin, H.D.
Miller, J.R.
Mills, T.
Munds, A.E.
Noakes, J. H.
Oiller, W.R.
Paine, A.
Paine, F.
Paine, W.G.
Priddis, W.J.
Raine, J.
Ramsden, A.
Read, F.J.
Saxon, T.
Sheppard, H.J.
Sills, C.G.
Spanner, C.E.A.
Spicer, A.L.
Southerden, F.
Steward, F.J.
Terry, F.
Turk, J.
Turner, R.H.
Waddell, W.G.
Wellsted, W.A.
Williams, A.C.
Williams, C.F.
Williams, C.L.
Williams, F.E.
Wood, C.E.
Wood, D.
Wood, W.J.

[32] Lydd and Dungeness Royal Naval Association
[27] Royal Tank Corp
[22] Gen. Edmund Francis Burton
[92] Neville Lancelot Collins (d. 1916)
[34] Thomas Edgar, with Admiral Hawk and Captain Cook
[25] Lieut. Colonel Harold Finn (d. 1921)
[25] Pilot Officer Robert Bannerman Finn (d. 1945)
[93] Henry Russell (ensign)

**RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS**

[8] List of the rectors of Lydd: see monument no. 8 for full list
[24] Charles James Burton (Vicar of Lydd)
[88] Rev. Thomas Cobb (rector and patron of Ightham, vicar of Sittingbourne, and prebendary of Chichester)
[35] Canon Percy Herbert Collins (Rector of Lydd, 1910 to 1941) (Date of death not mentioned)
[95] Frederick Spencer Dale (Rector of Lydd, 1887 to 1900) (d. 1900)
[62] Rev. F. Gell
[99] Arthur Octavius Hardy (rector of Lydd)
[98] Edward William Lummis (assistant parish priest)
[70] John Motesfont (Vicar of Lydd) (d. 1420)
[41] John Wallis (minister of Ashford) (Date of death not mentioned. He was noted on Richard Bate’s monument, who died in 1656)

**STUDENT**


**SUBMARINERS**


*Abbreviations*

C.A centre aisle
commem. commemoration
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APPENDIX III

RELIGIOUS REFERENCES OR SYMBOLS

Below is a list of some of the religious references or symbols that can be found on the monuments in Lydd church. Some of these occur in the monument’s design i.e. a cross, whilst other monuments include religious verses. Inscriptions on candlesticks have not been included at this time, even though they have symbolic connotations. References to religious professions are not included here: please refer instead to Occupations Mentioned on Monuments, Appendix II. The bracketed numbers refer the reader to the memorial’s position in the Monument and Transcription List.

[2] ‘TO THE PRAISE OF GOD’ (1914-18)
[3] ‘GRANT UNTO THEM ETERNAL REST / AND LET LIGHT PERPETUAL / SHINE UPON THEM’ (1914-1918)
[4] Symbol of the cross (1914-18)
[17] ‘whose soules our/lorde receyue to his great m|er/cy’ (1557)
[23] ‘To the Glory of God’ (1892)
[27] ‘The ROYAL TANKS CORPS / REGULARLY WORSHIPPED HERE’ (1923-1938)
[33] Sunday school
[40] ‘And yet thoruge fayth in Chryste by deathe eternall lyfe we fynde […] my soule it ys wyth Chryst’ (157-)
[47] ‘HERE IS LAID TO rest in Expecta[…] / Of A Iofull Resurrection / THROVGH CHRIST’ (1674)
[56] ‘ciu aie ppiciet deus Amen’ (1429)
[58] Some of the prayer cushions have religious imagery (all twentieth century?)
[61] Symbol of the cross (1904)
[66] ‘TO.THE.GLORY.OF.GOD’ (1897)
[67] ‘TO.THE.GLORY.OF.GOD’ (1887)
[69] ‘IN HOLY WRIT THE PILGRIMAGE OF MAN’ (1608)
[70] ‘Miserere mei Deus’ (1420)
[80] ‘To the Honour and Glory of God’ (1859)
[81] Sculpture show the mother giving her child to the angels (1780)
[82] Processional cross
[83] ‘If we believe that Jesus died and rose again even so / them also which sleep in JESUS will GOD bring with him’ (1817)
[88] ‘AND I HEARD A VOICE FROM HEAVEN SAYING UNTO ME, WRITE, BLESSED ARE THE DEAD WHICH DIE IN THE LORD FROM HENCEFORTH: / YEA, SAITH THE SPIRIT, THAT THEY MAY REST FROM THEIR LABOURS; AND THEIR WORKS DO FOLLOW THEM.’ (1846)
[89] ‘TO.THE.GLORY.OF.GOD’ (1887)
[90] ‘To the Glory of God’ (1861)
[92] ‘TO THE GLORY GOD […] HIS SOUL TO GOD / HIS LIFE FOR KING AND COUNTRY’
[95] ‘TO THE GLORY OF GOD […] “So He bringeth them unto their desired haven” […] “The beloved of the Lord shall dwell in safety by Him”’
[100] Beneath a stepped brass cross: ‘TO.THE.GLORY.OF.GOD […]’
‘THY.WILL.BE DONE. Matt.VI.Chap.10.ver’
APPENDIX IV

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE MONUMENTAL TRANSCRIPTIONS

Below is a list of some of the differences noticed between the records of Thomas Cobb, Leland L. Duncan and Bryan Faussett, and the transcriptions taken for this study (2009). Some of these differences are minor. In particular the earlier records often expand or contract a word, or use another case i.e. all mixed case instead of upper case. Sometimes the differences are more pronounced, especially when a name or date of death has been entered incorrectly. This is not a comprehensive list, as many of the monuments record similar discrepancies; instead it aims to highlight the different practices that have occurred and decisions that have been made during the recording and editorial process.

The numbers in brackets refer the reader to the monument’s position in the Monument and Transcription List. The numbers in ellipses refer the reader to the position of the monument in the works of Thomas Cobb, Leland L. Duncan and Bryan Faussett.

[2] WWII (530)
   • [Ant.] ‘J.R.Millar’ [TB] ‘J.R.Miller’

   • [Ant.] uses abb. and expands where the orig. does not

[14] Laurence Stuppeny (451/ 539)
   • [Ant.] uses MC, the orig. all in UC
   • [Ant.] ‘of Lydd’ [TB] ‘OF THIS TOWNE’
   • [Ant.] small changes in punc., spellings and word order
   • [Ant.] deliberate archaisms: ‘ye’ should read ‘the’ (539)

   • [Ant.] uses MC, the orig. all in UC
   • [Ant.] ’and’ [TB] ‘&’
   • [Ant.] ‘John the fvrth son’ [TB] ‘John Godfrey the fvrth son’
   • [Ant.] records the Latin inscrip. and the now-lost stone

   • [Ant.] uses MC, the orig. all in UC
   • [Ant.] ‘1616’ is inserted after ‘Octo’, and before Latin verse [TB] ‘1616’ is at the end of the text (537)

[17] Thomas and Malyn Harte (461 / 549)
   • [Ant.] small dif. in spellings and word order

[18] John Berry (473)
Table of Benefactions (519)
- [Ant.] mention, but do not transcribe this monument. It is very high and impossible to read without binoculars

Children of Charles James and Eliza Barton (520)
- [Ant.] ‘Charles who’ [TB] ‘CHARLES JAMES’
- [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all UC

Eliza Burton (522)
- [Ant.] ‘7th year’ [TB] ‘SEVENTY FIFTH’
- [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all UC

Harold Finn (523a)
- [Ant.] inscription finishes after Edwin Finn [TB] later inscription added for Robert Bannerman Finn

Richard Bate (459 / 550)
- [Ant.] uses some LC when it is mixed
- [Ant.] changes punc.

Peter and Jone Godfrey (463)
- [Ant.] ‘MCCCCCLVI’ (1556) [TB] ‘MCCCCCLXVI’ (1566)

William Dallet (460 / 551)
- [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all UC
- [Ant.] word order changed (460)
- [Ant.] ‘ye’ (551) [TB] ‘the’

John Plummer (529)
- [Ant.] notes most of the inscrip. [TB] it is now very difficult to read

Robert Cokyram (462 / 552)
- [Ant.] notes inscrip. [TB] now lost

John Morgan (488)
- [Ant.] ‘1728’ [TB] ‘172-’
- [Ant.] uses UC for surname, orig. uses MC

John Thomas (483)
- [Ant.] ‘MCCCCCXXXIX’ [TB] ‘MCCCCXXXIX’
- [Ant.] noted mouth inscrip., now lost

Clement Stuppeny (456 / 546)
- [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all in UC
- [Ant.] ‘1608’ [TB] ‘ONE THOVSAAND SIXE HUNDRED AND EIGHT’
[71]  Thomas Godfrey (453 / 541)
    •  [Ant.] ‘Marriage’ [TB] ‘MARRIADGE’

[73]  Mary Godfrey (454 / 543)
    •  [Ant.] changes word order
    •  [Ant.] ‘he’ [TB] ‘she’

[74]  John Fowle (486)
    •  [Ant.] ‘whom he left’ [TB] ‘whom he he [sic] left’

[80]  Katharine Denne (506)
    •  [Ant.] uses abb., orig. does not
    •  [Ant.] does not use Roman numerals, orig. does.

[81]  Anne Russell (508)
    •  [Ant.] omits sixteen lines of verse

[83]  Henshaw Russell (490)
    •  [Ant.] omits religious verse
    •  [Ant.] ‘the 6th year’ [TB] ‘the 60th/ year’

[87]  David Morrison (494)
    •  [Ant.] ‘the some’ [TB] ‘the sum’
    •  [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all in UC

[88]  Louisa Anne Denne (497)
    •  [Ant.] omits religious verse
    •  [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all in UC

[89]  Robert Alured Denne (498)
    •  [Ant.] omits ‘Alured’
    •  [Ant.] omits period stops between each word
    •  [Ant.] uses MC, orig. all in UC

[95]  Frederick Spencer Dale (528)
    •  [Ant.] omits religious verses

[100] Edward William Deene (505)
    •  [Ant.] ‘1875’ [TB] ‘1873’

Abbreviations

abb. abbreviations
[Ant.] Antiquarian record/s
inscrip. inscription
LC lower case
MC mixed case
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Lydd’s monuments were transcribed, in part, by the Reverend Thomas Cobb, curate of Lydd, about 1730, and by the antiquarian the Reverend Bryan Faussett in 1756. In the 1920s Leland L. Duncan incorporated Cobb’s original record of the inscriptions inside the church with his own notes: this was made into an updated and expanded edition which also covered the monuments in the churchyard. These records have been made available online; Bryan Faussett’s notes have recently been included on the same site.

Some of these monuments were almost effaced at their time of recording and are now presumably at best nothing more than worn floor stones. Many more have probably been removed during repaving schemes. Surviving floor slabs show evidence of this work, during which time stones have been cut to size. In particular, see John Thomas’ brass and stone below the step leading into the nave (west end) (mon. 56). This stone shows obvious signs of reduction. Furthermore, some monuments were damaged or destroyed during the war, most notably the three lancet windows commissioned by the Bates Association of America in 1924 (529a). Other monuments may still survive, but have as yet eluded detection in this initial study. Further study and access may well prove fruitful.

Below is a list of those monuments that I have not been able to locate during my research. These records have been drawn directly from the Kent Archaeological Society website (see footnote 1). My own observations have been italicised.

-NORTH PORCH-

446  ‘In the North Porch of the church about the middle is a stone which shows that there lies the Body of Henry POT TEN, Jurate of Lydd, who left by his wife, Sarah, one daughter, Elizabeth, and by his wife Margaret 3 sons: Henry, John and Luke. He died May the 7th 1647 aged 56. N.B. – The Inscription on this stone is now (viz 1730) almost entirely worn out. (Note: It has now disappeared, together with the Porch itself).’

-NORTH CHANCEL-

The record states that between nos. 454 and 455 there ‘are more monuments in the same Isle [north chancel] which have no Inscriptions but only crosses on them.’ These no longer exist.

455 & 544  Inscription for Sir Walter Menil. Whilst the stone effigy remains, an earlier inscription is now lost: an ‘inscript on a Table hung over his Head in modern letters viz: Here lyeth berrid ye Bodye of Walter Menil, Knight, Lord of the Manor of Jaques Court in Lyd and one of ye defenders of ye Holy Land and lived in ye VIII year of Edward ye 3rd as appeareth by ancient Record, 1333.

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10 http://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/Research/Libr/Mls/MlsLydd/MlsLydd.htm.
11 For example, it may be possible to verify Thomas Oyler’s description of the inscriptions found on the church bells: Lydd and its Church, Ashford, 1895, p. 8.
T.G. (Hasted records this and adds "I have not found any mention of his elsewhere") In the Subsidy Roll of a 20th given to Edw III in 1327 (P.R.O./) the name of Walter Meynyll appears. Most authorities however consider this Tomb to be of earlier date. Michael de Menyl was bailiff of the Manor of Aldington, 1273-4.

‘Over ye Effigies of Sr. Walter MERRIL wch. is on ye Wall, hangs a Table with The following Inscription in Modern Characters. Here lieth Buried the Body of Walter MERRIL Knight, Lord of The Mannor of Jaque’s Court in Lydd; and one that vow’d the defending of ye Holy Land, and liv’d in ye VIII Year of EDWARD THE 3D as appeareth by ancient Records. 1333. T.G. WW.’ (544)

A new inscription has been added (see my Monument and Transcription List).

**SOUTH CHANCEL**

457 & 547 ‘Between this Tomb and the South wall lieth Clement ye son of Richard STUPPENY who died October ye 6, Anno Domi 1591’ (457).
‘Between this Tomb and ye South Wall – lyes, Clement the Son of Richard STUPPENYE who died Oct. ye 6th 1591.’ (544)

458 & 548 ‘On the other side is a stone viz: The Armes of Hugh BERESFORD, Gent., who departed this life the twentie ninth Day of December in the yeare of our Lord Anno Dom: 1645 being of the age of thirty fower years. The Arms are quarterly viz: in the 1st A Bear rampant and chained (but he stands the wrong way) the 2nd Barry bendy, the 3rd as the 2nd and the 4th a chevron between 3 pheons. (This is now under the Organ).’ (458) ‘On a Flat Stone – with these Arms. ¼ly: 1). Arg. a bear rt. sa. chained & collared or. 2). 3 bends. 3). 2 bends. 4). a chevn. betw. 3 pheons. (all no tinctures). The Arms of Hugh HERESFORD Gent, who departed this Life the Twentie Ninth Day of December, in ye Year of Our Lord, Anno. Dom. 1645 being of the Age of Thirty fower Years.’

**CENTRE AISLE**

465. ‘Beneath this is a stone with a coat of arms viz: Baron and femme Bates as before with a crescent for difference and Maplisden being a cross forme in 3 points and fitchee in the 4th and a stag’s head for the crest: inscript Sacred to the Memory of Katherine the daughter of Peter MAPLISDEN, Gent., Jurate of Lid, wife of John Bate Gent., Jurate also, who had issue 2 sons and 2 daughters by her. At the age of 31 years, she died and was buried Feb. 2 1638.’

Vixi vivit adhuc potior pars quando resurgat corpus, jam Foetum pulvere, tempus erit.

**SOUTH AISLE**

467 ‘In the South Ally at the upper end is a stone, this inscription in brass: Here lieth burried the Body of John BATE one of the sonnes of Thomas Bate of
Lide wch. said John died ye XXth of Maye and in ye 30th yere of his age 1600’.

**MIDDLE OF CHURCH AND NAVE**

472 ‘About the middle of the church betwixt the North and South doors is a small figure almost worn out, but it appears by the Brass Inscription something like this: Of your charity pray for the Soul of Thomas atte BREGE who died on the Feast of St. Leonard the Confessor November 6, 1442 and did make the Roof of this Church so far as forty five coplings goeth which did cost him forty five marks. (This was only partially deciphered by Mr. Cobb and the reading here given is as amended in Cox’s Magna Britannica p. 1191).’

474 ‘By the South side of this is a stone worn rought and the Inscription almost gone, with the Coat of Arms: (Inscript) that there lies John BERRY Esq., who by God’s Providence lived in this Town of Lydd many years and performed all offices of Magistacy, was 26 years Captain of ye Trained Band, was born in the year of our Lord 1572. He had 7 children 4 Sons and 3 Daughters. He attained ye full age of 65 and peaceably concluded this life ye 7 of June 1637. (Mem: Plummer’s after this).’

475 ‘Beneath this is a stone with a brass figure of a man (there was a woman too but is now lost) and under them these words in Brass viz:

To pass by Death is common unto all
But so to dye as he may live againe
In greater Joy, thys onely doth befall
To those whome Faith doth lead with Xt. to reigne.

Ralf WILCOCKES and Sybill his Wiffe Ano Dni 1555’.

476. ‘There is a little stone at the north west corner of the former (Inscript) Under there lyeth buried John BERRY ye son of John Berrey of Lydd who died ye 26 of January 1595 or 93.’

**NEAR TWO LOWEST PILLARS OF CHURCH ON NORTH SIDE**

477. ‘A little farther near the two lowest Pillars of the Church on the North side is a stone (Inscript) Here lieth buried the Body of William WILCOCKE late Jurat three tymes Baylie on this Towne of Lidd, who died the 23 daye of Januari 1626 aged 63 yeares. And there is another Inscription on the same stone below the former shewing that there lieth buried the Body of Wilcocke KNIGHT of Lidd, Gent., who died December the 9th 1670 aged 44 years.’

478. ‘On the North side of the last mentioned stone is another with the Inscription almost gone but seems to signifie notwithstanding that there Lies Joane BATE daughter of William WILCOCKE of Lydd, Jurate, and wife of Thomas Bate eldest son of Thomas Bate of Lydd, Jurate, who died the 30th day of May 1622 in the 28th year of her age and hath left a daughter called Joane (or daughters)’.
The next stone on the North between the two lowest Pillars shows that there
Lieth buried the Body of Susan late wife of William WILLCOCKE who died
the 29 day of June 1626 aged 53 and daughter of John BATEMAN Jurate'.

Near hereunto, between the two lowest Pillars of the North and South side
and the Belfry lye these persons following viz: Under a large blew stone
somewhat rough and the Inscription much worn out lies Stephen BROWN,
Jurate of this Corporation who deceas’d Feb. ye 8th Ano 1634 of his age 48.

O casu celeri feroque raptum!
At O! in Tempore viventis Avi
Injuste sibi persolvit Justa.

Quanto injustius unicam virilis
Spem Stirpes Stephanum prius perisse
Et solam Mariam super fuisse.'

On the North side of the said Stephen Brown is a small stone inscribed: Here
lyeth the Body of Stephen BROWNE the only son and Heire of Stephen
Browne of Lydd, jurate, who departed this life the 5th day of Novemb. 1629
being of the age of ten yeares. Amoris Ergo.'

On the South side of Stephen Brown the elder is a very large blew stone
inscript: Here lieth the Body of Margaret wife of Stephen BROWN one of ye
Jurates of this Town, departed this Life ye 5th of March Ao. Dni. 1641 aged 46
yeares. To whose memory Mrs. Mary MAPLISDEN, daughter and Heire unto
ye said Stephen and Margaret hath caused this stone to bee made. (This stone
is on the North side before the step into the Tower. It is now practically
illegible but part can be read with the help of the above).

At the South side of this last mention’d stone just between the southerm Pillar
and Belfry is a stone shewing: Here resteth the Body of Mary CURTEIS
(Daughter and Heire of Stephen BROWN lately Jurate of this Towne of Lydd
and wife to Norton Curteis of ye Towne of Lyd) Departed this Life ye 15th of
January 1647 and in ye 24 yeare of her Life. (This is still in the same place,
on the South side before the step into the Tower, No. 483 lies to the North of it).

This may be the effaced stone slab that resides to the left of John Thomas’
brass.

In the Belfry is a stone with this Inscript: Here lieth buryed ye Body of Mr.
John BANNEWELL he departed this wife the 8th day of November 1724. One
of the Jurats of this Town thirty years and once chosen Bailif. Aged 84 years
in 1724. He left issue surviving one son and three daughters viz: James,
Elizabeth, Mary and Elizabeth. (The Belfry has been newly paved since this
date and the stone is no longer visible).

SOUTH AISLE
‘(Window). Erected by his comrades in affectionate remembrance of Courtney KENNY Lieut. R. Art. Who d. at Lydd on 7 June 1894.’

‘(Three light window over South Door). In memory of Mary FINN who d. 1883 aged 80.’

‘A large blue slate slab but with no inscription.’

It is possible that this slab still survives, yet it is impossible to identify it conclusively.

‘(Mural Tablet). Sacred to the memory of the Rev. Thomas COBB M.A., Son of Robert and Catherine Cobb of New Romney who after a long life devoted to the faithful performance of the Pastoral Duties and the practice of every virtue that could adorn it first as Curate of this Parish and after wards as Rector of the united parishes of Upper Hardres and Stelling in this County d.t.l. August 25, 1794 in the 92nd year of his age. Also of Hester, Daughter of John and Elizabeth SKINNER of Lydd who d. April 8, 1800 in the 93rd year of her age. Their surviving issue Robert Cobb Esq., of this Town and Catharine, Relict of William BYTHESEA of Greenwich Esq., in affectionate Reverence to their Parents caused this Monument to be erected.’

‘(Mural). Sacred to the Memory of Robert COBB Esq., late of this Parish and son of the above named Thomas and Hester Cobb who died 20 May 1807 aged 64, leaving a widow, four sons and one daughter. Also to the memory of Amey Cobb widow of the above mentioned Robert Cobb who d. 12 April 1822 aged 80.’

‘(Mural). Sacred to the memory of Mary wife of Christopher WILSON, Purser, R.N. and dau: of William and Ann ALLEN of this Town who died Sept. 4, 1829 aged 39 years. She was interred in the burial ground of St. James, Tottenham Court Road, London. Also a son who died April 1823 aged one year. She left surviving one son and one daughter.’

‘IN THE QUIRE’

‘(East window of five lights). The two Northern lights: To the Honour and Glory of God and in memory of Edwin FINN, 34 years Chief Magistrate of this Borough and 45 years Churchwarden. Born 1835. Died 1917.’

‘The two Southern lights: To the Honour and Glory of God and in memory of Thomas FINN of Westbroke House, Many years a Jurat and Bailiff of the Ancient Corporation of this Town. Born 1813. Died 1881.’

‘The three lancets on S. Side of the Quire): To the Honour and Glory of God These windows are dedicated by parishioners and Friends in memory of the Rev. Frederick Spencer DALE, Vicar of Lydd 1887 to 1900 A.D.’

‘Three lancet windows on South Side of the Choir inscribed: These windows are the gift of the Bates Association of America in honour of their ancestors at
Lydd, 1924.’

544 See 455, above.

545 ‘Here are Some other Flat Stones with Crosses on them, not legible.’

547 See 457, above.

548 See 458, above.
APPENDIX VI
MONUMENTS NOT INCLUDED IN ANTIQUARIAN RECORDS

When Leland L. Duncan’s edition of monumental inscriptions was published in the 1920s several monuments were not included in his notes. It is impossible to say why these monuments, dating from the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, were omitted from his records. Perhaps their date of production meant they were not of interest to him, or maybe they were hidden from view during his time at Lydd. Indeed, monuments can move from week to week, and even those memorials that are fitted to a wall or floor can be easily covered and missed. Other monuments obviously post-date Duncan’s work. Below is a list of those monuments not recording by Duncan, Cobb or Faussett. The bracketed numbers refer the reader to the memorial’s position in the Monument and Transcription List.

[3] Second World War
[4] Submariners / A. Balchin
[5] Floral Guild
[7] Lydd’s common seal
[8] Rectors of Lydd
[9] Dennis Wintsch
[10] Unidentified
[13] Unidentified
[19] Unidentified
[20] Unidentified
[27] Unidentified
[28] St John Ambulance
[29] George Washford
[30] Kate Priddis
[32] Lydd and Dungeness Royal Naval Association
[33] Lydd Sunday School
[34] Thomas Edgar
[35] Percy Herbert Collins
[36] Girl Guides: Ellen Finn, Hylda Balchin, May Tart,
[37] Unidentified
[50] Unidentified
[53] Civilian, unidentified
[55] Unidentified
[57] Unidentified
[58] Prayer cushions: various
[60] Thomas Hart
[61] Processional crosses

An example of this occurred with the brass of John Thomas (1429). I had made several visits to the church, and could not understand why the memorial was so difficult to find: I discovered it had been covered by a portable wheelchair ramp.
[62] Rev. F. Gell
[63] A.J. McDowell
[64] Friends of Lydd Church
[65] Vera Jell
[66] Mary Julia Denne
[67] Robert Alured Denne
[68] Doris Kathleen Mittell
[75] Unidentified
[76] Effie Maude Prior
[77] William Prescott
[82] Lt.-Col. Tankred Tunstill Behrens
[98] Edward William Lummis
[99] Arthur Octavius Hardy
[101] Catherine S. Edwards
[102] Tom Prior
[103] Cath and Buller Turner
[104] Thomas White