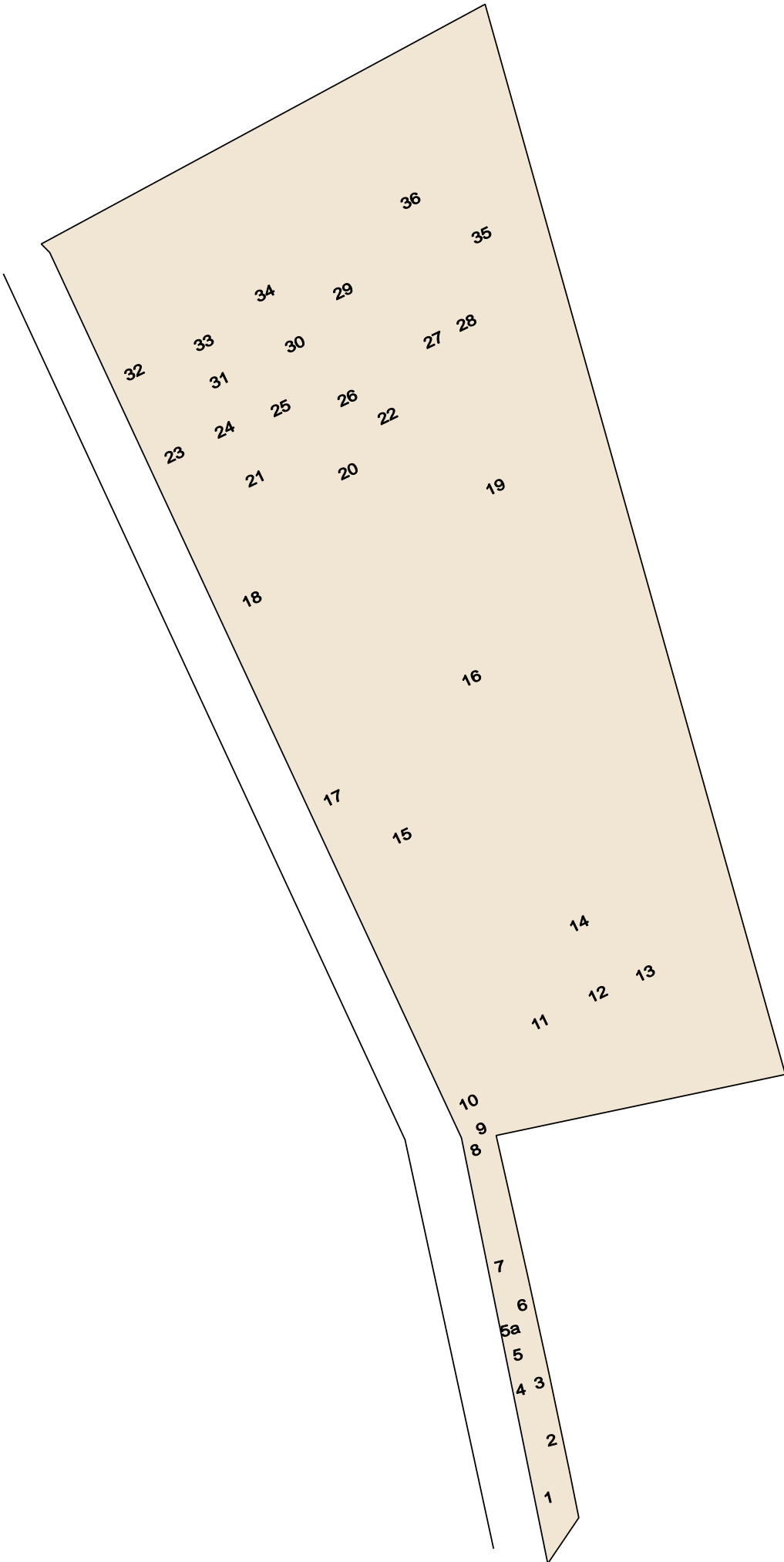


# St Lawrence Churchyard Monumental inscriptions - Area I



Main Gate

A General View of Area H



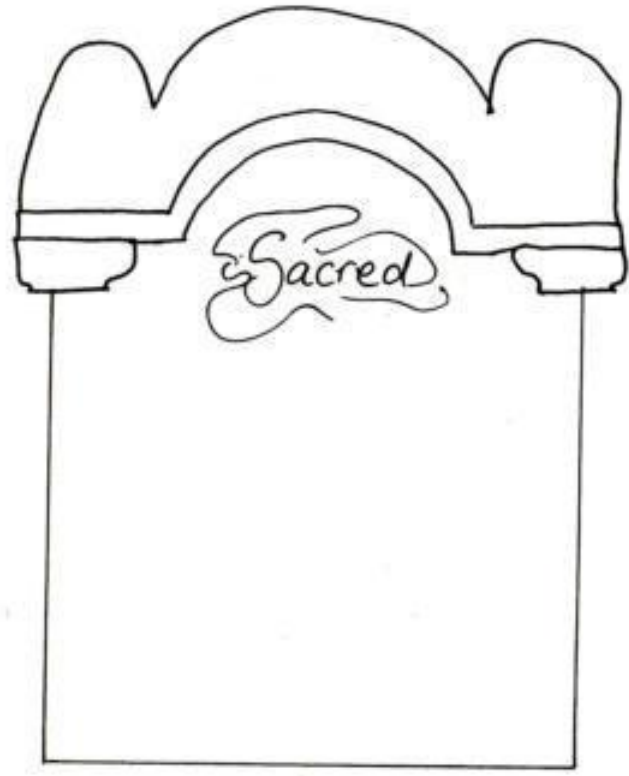
A General View of Area I



Sacred  
 In the Memorial  
 SARAH  
 Relict of MICHAEL BELCHER  
 who died May 28<sup>th</sup> 1866  
 Aged 68 years

I am the resurrection and the Life

11<sup>th</sup> chap; ST JOHN 25<sup>th</sup> verse

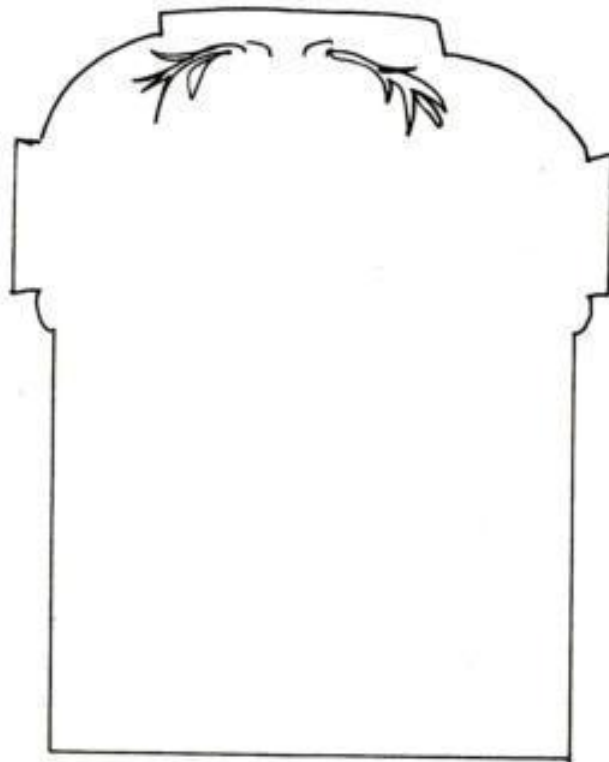


## Beneath

are interned the remains of the  
Late MICHAEL BELCHER  
the younger of Gnosall  
who departed this life  
April the 11<sup>th</sup> 1855  
Aged 36 years

ALSO MARY JANE his Wife  
who departed this life the 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of the same month  
Aged 46 years

Blessed are they that mourn  
For they shall be comforted



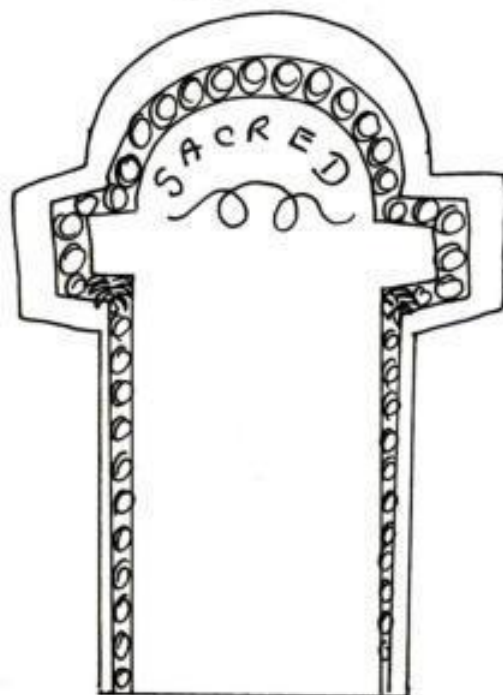
Sacred

In the Memory of  
EDWARD MACHIN  
Late of Cowley Cottage  
who died April 18<sup>th</sup> 1860  
Aged 70 years

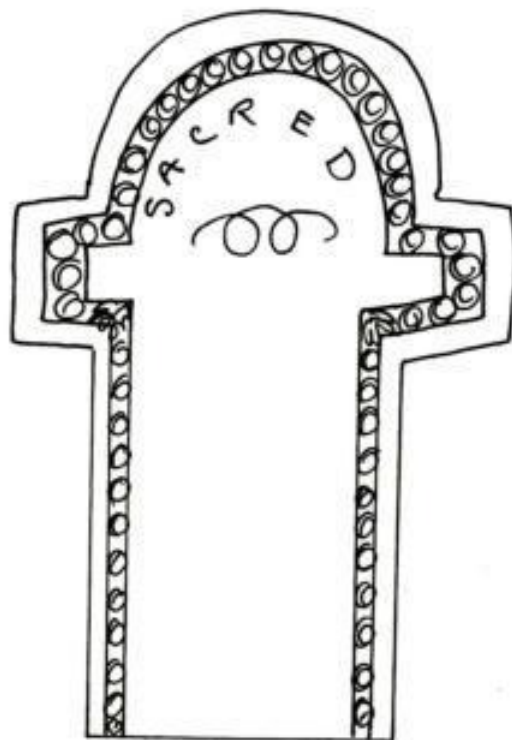
As he lived respected  
So he died Lamented

ALSO MARY ANN MACHIN  
Relict of the above  
who died August 28<sup>th</sup> 1862  
Aged 70 years

In hope of being united to him  
Again in a happy eternity



Sacred.  
To Memory of  
ELIZABETH BELCHER  
Late of Cowley Cottage  
daughter of  
MICHAEL and MARY BELCHER  
Born 15<sup>TH</sup> Dec 1797  
Died 14<sup>TH</sup> Jan 1889  
Aged 91 years.



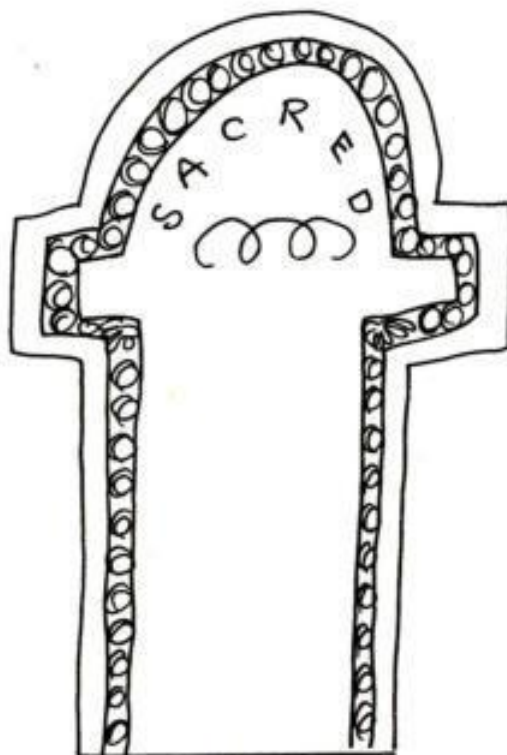
Sacred

To the Memory of  
JAMES BELCHER Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Late of Moreton who  
departed this Life

June 26<sup>TH</sup> 1856

Aged 21 years

In the midst of life we are in death.



Sacred

To the Memory of  
ELIZA, Wife of JOSEPH WHITTLE  
of THE RYE HILL

who departed this Life

March 27<sup>th</sup> 1859 Aged 31 years.

Also their two children

MARY ELIZABETH died Jan<sup>y</sup> 22<sup>d</sup> 1859

Aged 18 months

THOMAS died March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1859.

An Infant

Called to an early account

as you may,

So all be prepared to follow me.

UNEARTHED.



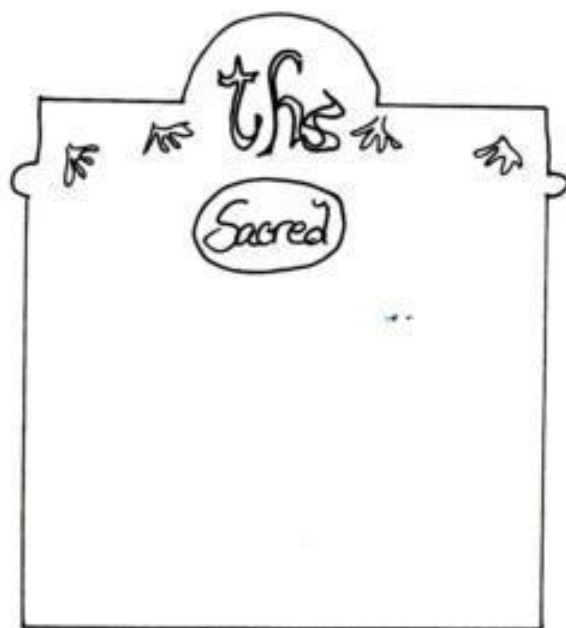
FLAT  
BROKEN  
HEADSTONE



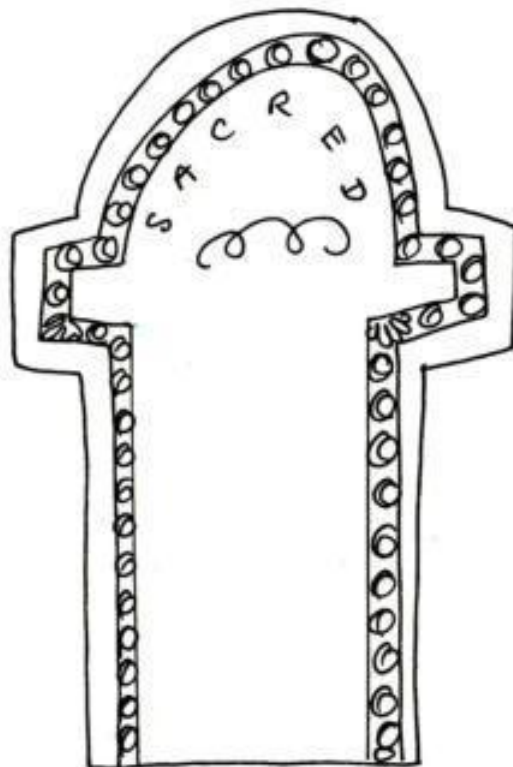
Sacred In the Memory of  
THOMAS BELCHER  
of the Manor House Grosall  
who departed this life  
on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October  
in the year of our Lord MDCCCXII  
Aged LVIII years

He was a kind Husband  
An affectionate Father  
And a faithful Friend

Also of MARY his Wife  
who died  
October 10<sup>th</sup> 1870  
Aged 76 years.



Sacred  
In the Memory of  
THOMAS BELCHER  
of the Manor House  
who departed this life  
December 3<sup>RD</sup> 1871  
Aged 42 years



In Affectionate Remembrance  
ALICE

the youngest and most beloved child of  
EZEKIEL and MARY BUTLER  
of Gnosall who departed this life

21<sup>st</sup> June 1871

Aged 14 years

She is not dead but sleepth  
A sleep how calm how blessed  
When Christ the spirit keepeth  
The wearied frame hath rest.

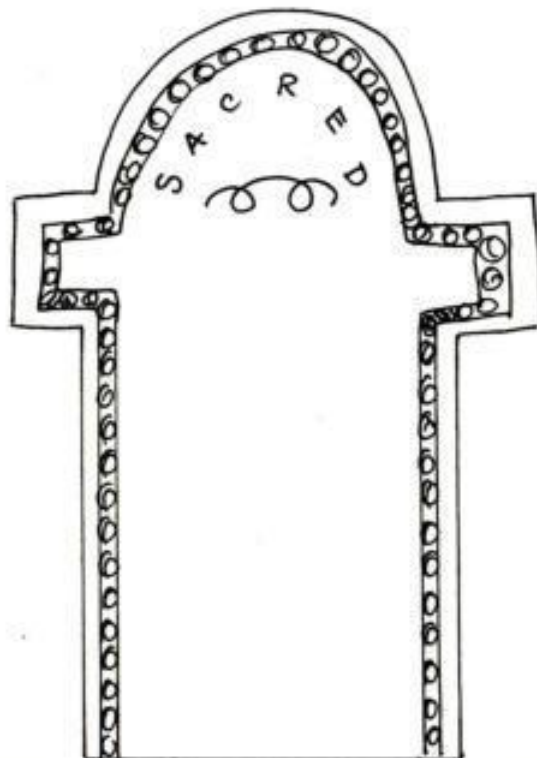


Sacred  
 In the Memory of  
 EZEKIEL BUTLER  
 who died  
 October 27<sup>th</sup> 1851  
 Aged 59 years

Praise wrote on stone is vainly spent  
 A man's own deeds are his best monument

Also of MARY his Wife  
 who died  
 February 23<sup>rd</sup> 1862  
 Aged 65 years

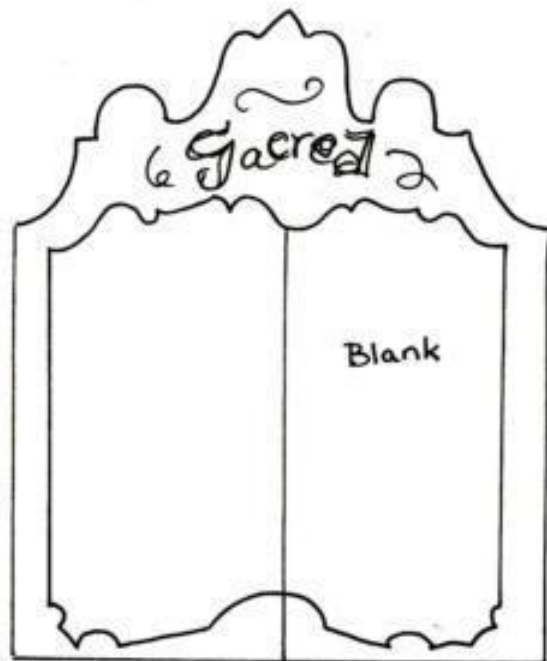
Blessed are the dead which  
 die in the Lord



Sacred  
To the Memory of  
THOMAS WHITTINGHAM  
Late of Gnosall  
who died  
Feb<sup>y</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 1836  
Aged 39 years

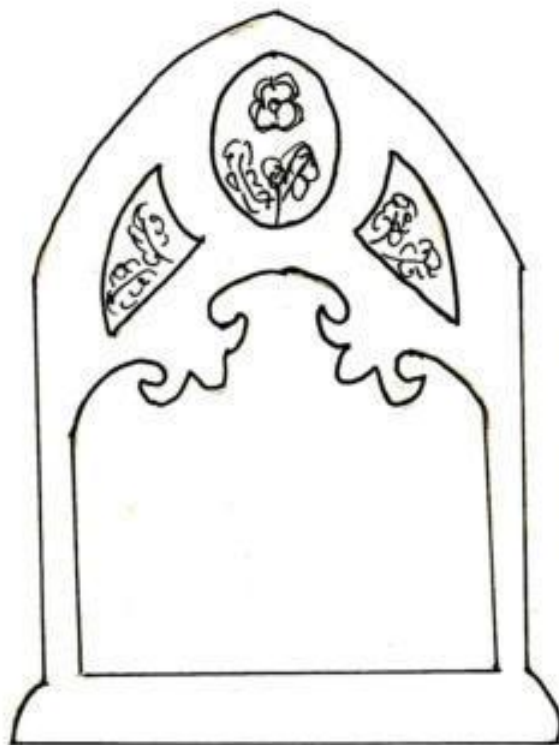
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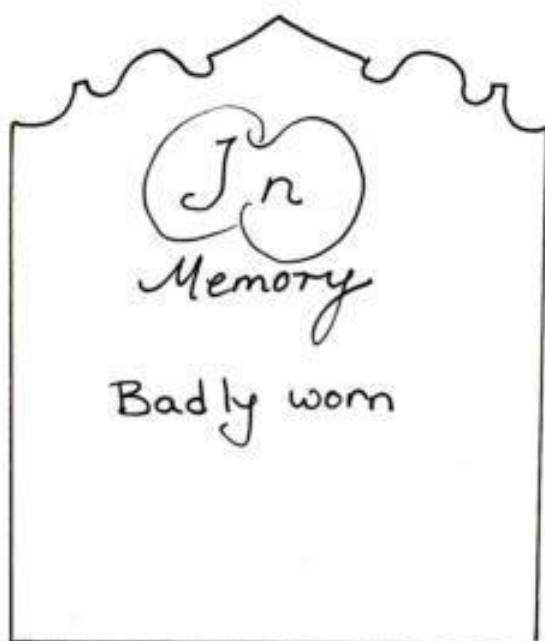
A Loving friend a Husband dear  
A tender Father Lieth here.



In  
Loving Memory  
of  
GEORGE FOWELL  
who departed this life  
January 29<sup>th</sup> 1890  
Aged 25 years

My race is run my part is o'er  
I'm from affliction free  
My Loving friends and Kindred dear  
Prepare to follow me

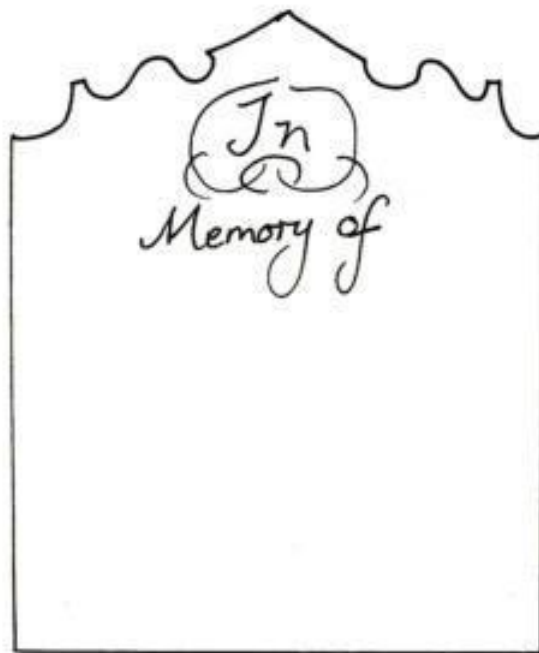




In  
Memory of  
WILLIAM KEBLE  
of Budmore Lane who  
died January 1<sup>st</sup> 1877  
Aged 86 years

I

I know that my Redeemer liveth





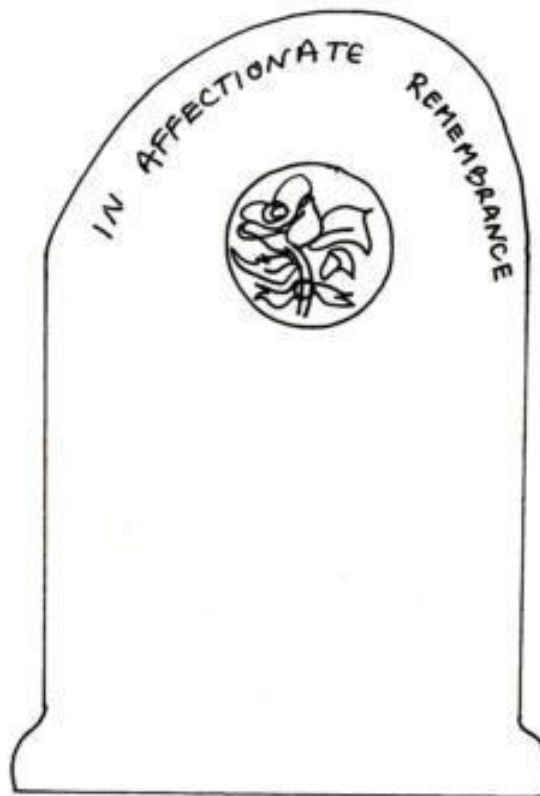
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In Affectionate Remembrance of  
EMMA BEARDMORE  
(of Grosall Heath)  
who departed this life November 11<sup>th</sup> 1892  
Aged 55 years

I

Weep not she is not dead, but sleepeth

ST. LUKE 8<sup>th</sup> chapter 52<sup>nd</sup> verse



## Sacred

I

In the Memory of  
ANN. Widow of the late  
DANIEL PICKERING of Wolverhampton  
and daughter of the late RICHARD  
UNDERWOOD of Acton Trussell  
who departed this life at the  
Residence of her Son in law.  
MR JAMES BURLEY of Coton, Gnosall  
on the 16<sup>TH</sup> June 1864  
in the 79<sup>TH</sup> year of her Age



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I know that my Redeemer Liveth

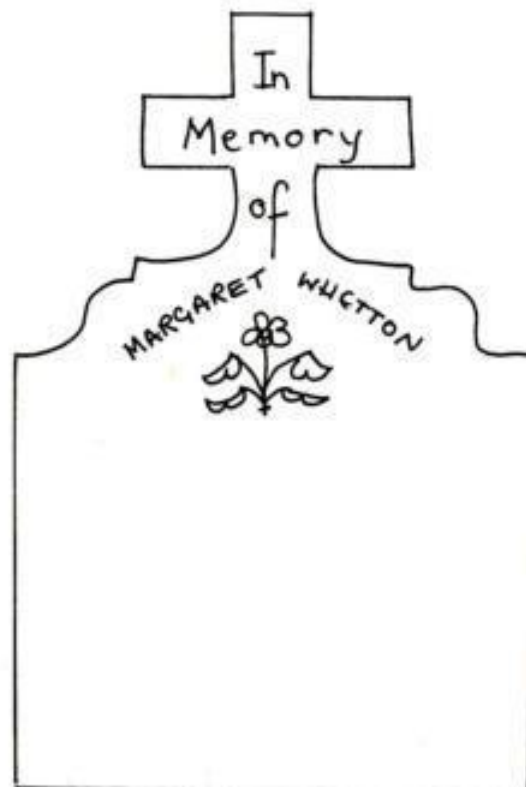
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MARGARET  
the beloved Wife of  
EDWIN ROBERTS  
of Newport  
died 29<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> 1864  
Aged 23 years

EDWIN  
ROBERTS  
died  
March 16<sup>th</sup> 1878  
Aged 41 years



In  
Memory  
of  
MARGARET WHETTON  
who died June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1884  
Aged 84 years



In  
 Loving Memory of  
 JOB PEARCE  
 of Castle Street Stafford  
 Born July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1833  
 Died May 30<sup>th</sup> 1900

Weep not for me. I am free from pain  
 My earthly troubles are o'er  
 I hope to meet you all again  
 On that bright and happy shore



In Loving Memory of  
SARAH

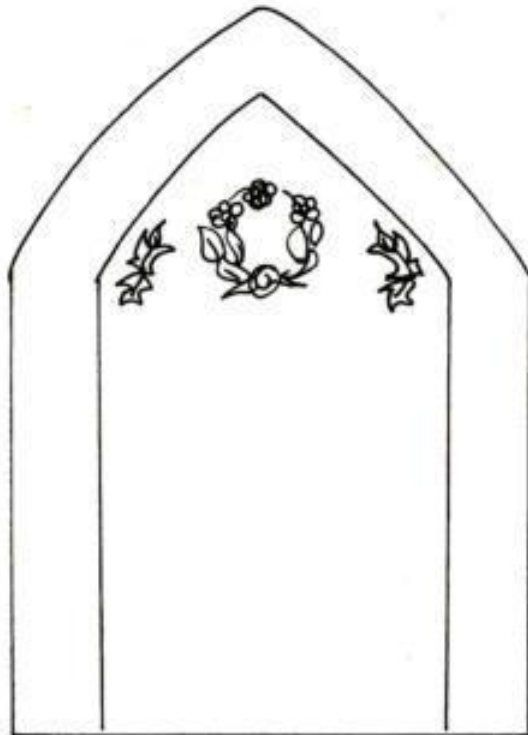
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Widow of LITTLETON BRADBURY  
who died Oct<sup>er</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> 1888  
Aged 69 years

Also

ELIZABETH Daughter of the above  
who died Dec<sup>er</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 1891  
Aged 46 years

Thv Lord's will be done.



In  
Sacred  
Memory of  
JOHN SLACK

who . . . . .

Also of MARTHA SLACK  
Wife of the above who died August 28<sup>th</sup> 1875  
Aged 58 years



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In Affectionate Remembrance  
of

JOB PIERCE  
of Befcote

who died October.. 1873

Aged 73 years

ALso of MARY Relict of  
the late JOB PIERCE

.....  
who died December 1. 1875

Aged 76 years





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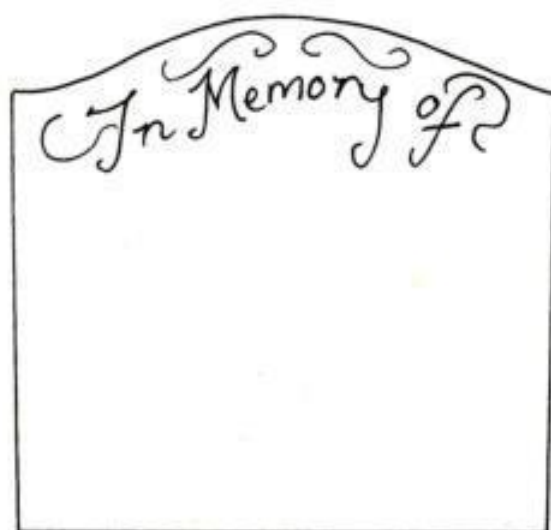
JOHN Son of  
JOHN and  
MARTHA SLACK  
of Wotton  
died April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1875  
Aged 19 years



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In Memory of  
JOB PEARCE . Late of Befcote  
who died October 25<sup>th</sup> 1828  
Aged 66 years



In Memory of  
JANE PEARCE Relict of  
the late JOB PEARCE Late of  
Beffcote, who departed this Life  
July the 9<sup>th</sup> 1843  
Aged 82 years

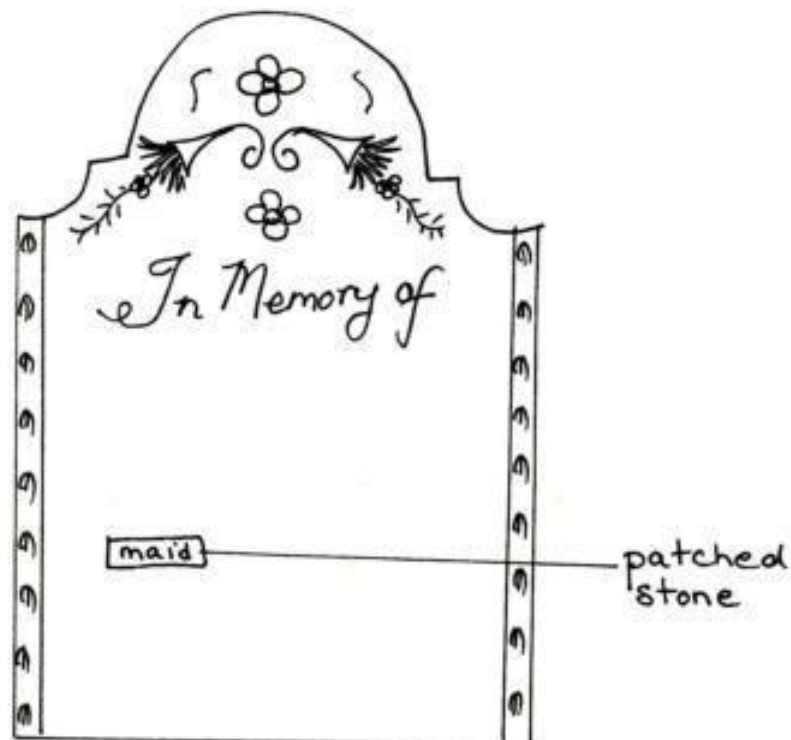
Blessed are the dead  
That die in the Lord



In Memory of  
 MARY ANN late Daughter  
 of JOB and MARY PEARCE of  
 Befcote, died January 1.<sup>TH</sup> 1849  
 Aged 7 years

The maid is not dead but sleepeth

MATT. eh. 1x 24



In Memory of  
MARY

..... of and beloved Wife of  
WILLIAM CANNELL Wolverhampton  
who died October 27<sup>th</sup> 1877  
Aged .. years

We cannot know who next will fall  
Beneath the chastening rod  
One must be first but let us all  
Prepare to meet our God

Also Lies below

WILLIAM CANNELL

who died July 23<sup>rd</sup> 1896 Aged 57

SARAH Wife of .....  
died January 30<sup>th</sup> 1811 to 1872

... .. Loving .....

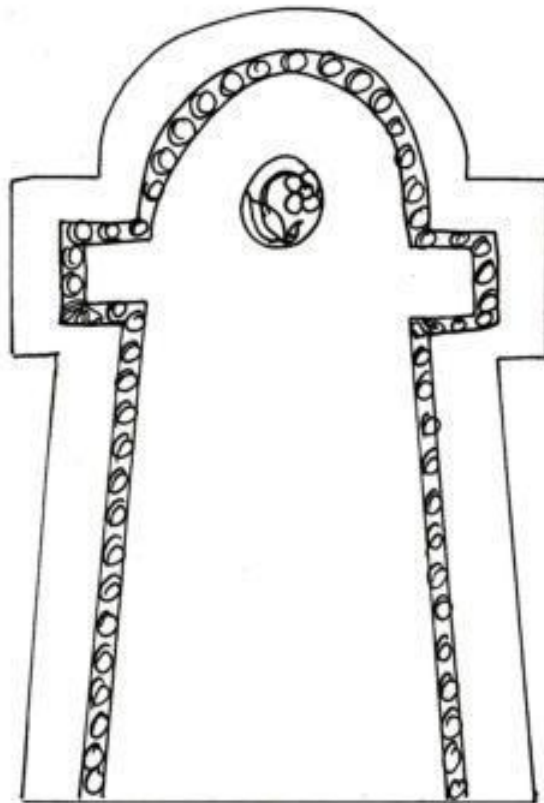


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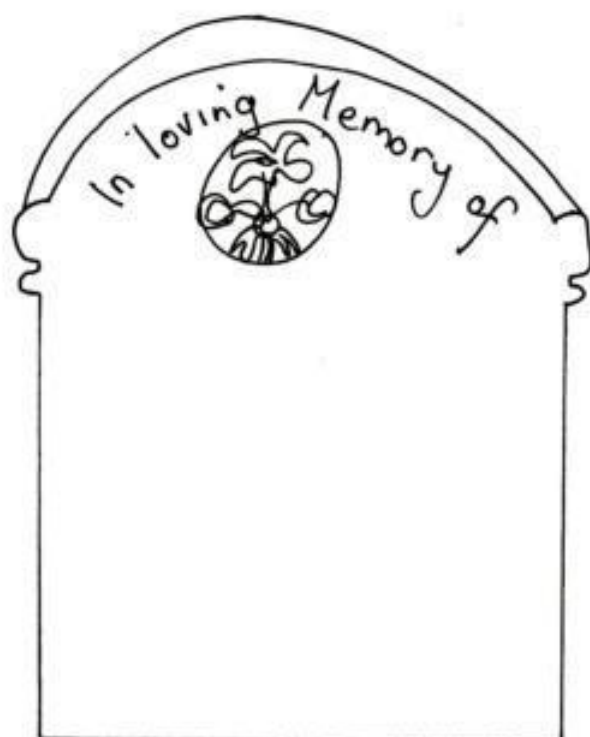
In Loving Memory of  
JOHN CRUMP  
of Befcote  
who died June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1891  
Aged 56 years

Weep not my Wife nor Children dear  
I am not dead but sleeping here  
When Jesus Christ does for us call  
I hope in heaven to meet you all



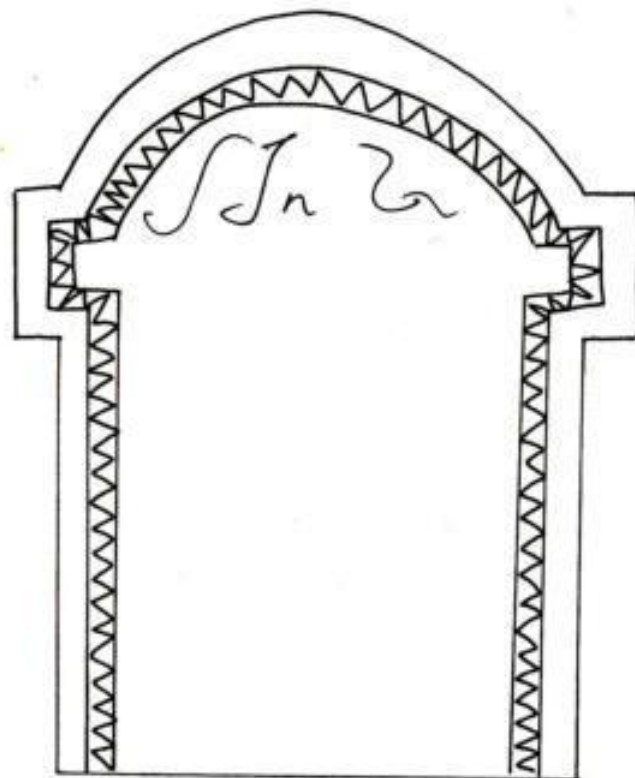
HARRY CRUMP  
Eldest Son of JOHN and HARRIETT CRUMP  
of Befcote  
who died July 25<sup>th</sup> 1890  
Aged 25 years

Forbear dear friends to mourn and weep  
Whilst sweetly in the dust I sleep  
This toilsome world I've left behind  
A Glorious Crown I hope to find



In Memory of  
CATHERINE ANNE  
Wife of  
WILLIAM MASEFIELD  
who died Sep 24<sup>TH</sup> 1874  
Aged 32 years

Also  
WILLIAM MASEFIELD  
Husband of the above  
who died October 23<sup>TH</sup> 1883  
Aged 50 years







In Loving Memory of  
 MARY Wife of ROBERT PEARCE  
 of Wolverhampton  
 who died April 11<sup>TH</sup> 1884  
 Aged 42 years

Also

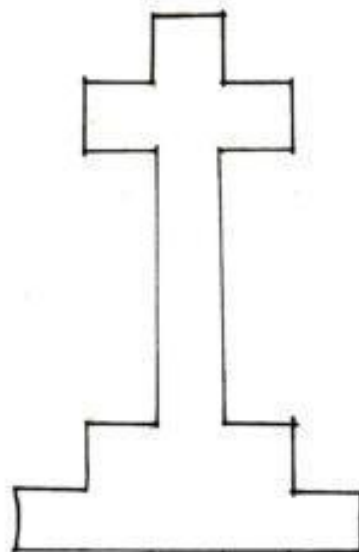
ALICE MADELINE their dearly loved Daughter  
 who died July 13<sup>TH</sup> 1898  
 Aged 14 years

Also

ROBERT PEARCE  
 Born March 13<sup>TH</sup> 1843 Died June 18<sup>TH</sup> 1911

Also

GEORGE HAROLD and FRANCIS GERALD  
 Twin Sons of ROBERT and MARY PEARCE  
 Born Aug<sup>st</sup> 30<sup>TH</sup> Died Sep<sup>br</sup> 6<sup>TH</sup> and 7<sup>TH</sup> 1881



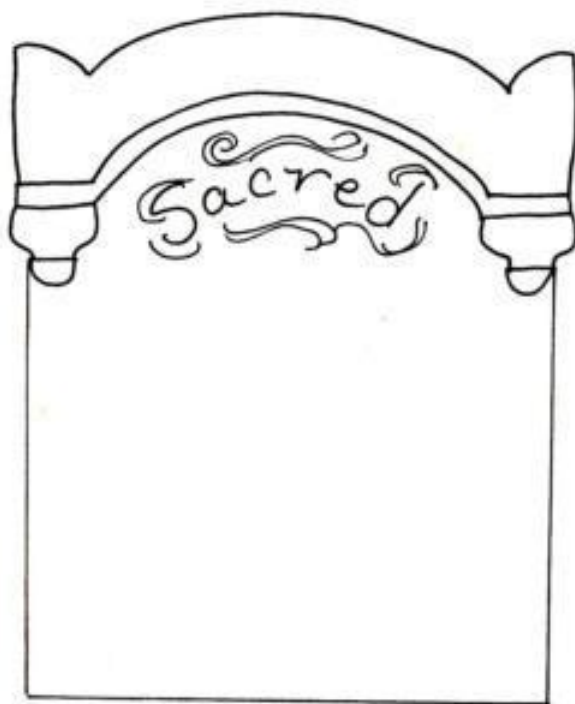
A Tomb that has been smashed.

The Widow of the Late A. WALKER  
the Local Undertaker informed us  
that it was the BELCHER family  
The Last internment was an urn  
of ashes in the early 1930's

Sacred

To the Memory of the late  
JOHN TURNER of Belfcote  
who died March 25<sup>TH</sup> 1843  
Aged 53 years

Also EMMA his daughter  
who died January 10<sup>TH</sup> 1844  
Aged 13 years



In Memory of  
JOHN TURNER late of Beffcote  
who departed this life  
The 15<sup>th</sup> January 1824  
Aged 65 years

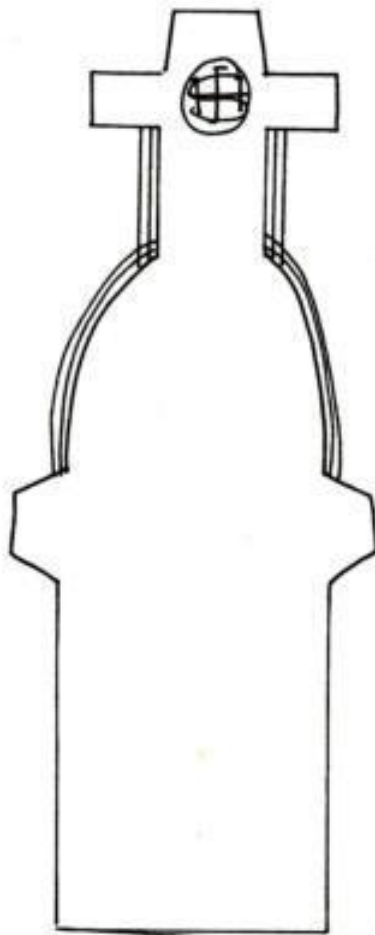
Also of ELIZABETH Wife  
of the late JOHN TURNER  
who died August the 4<sup>th</sup> 1840  
Aged 81 years





In Memory of  
..... MILLER  
of Newport  
who died ..... 1873 Aged 31 years

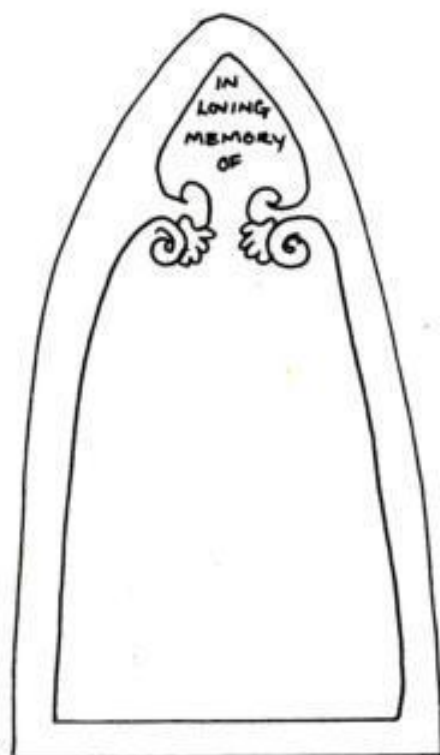
After enduring suffering, her end  
was Peace.



In Loving Memory of  
JAMES RICHARDS of Radmore Lane  
who departed this Life 24<sup>th</sup> of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1870  
in his 84 year

Also of  
MARY RICHARDS Wife of the above  
who departed this Life 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1880  
in her 83<sup>rd</sup> year

Blessed are the dead which die in the  
Lord. Even so saith the spirit for they  
Rest from their Labours.



In Affectionate  
Remembrance of

GEORGE .....LL  
(of .....  
who departed this Life  
December 30<sup>th</sup> 1881  
Aged 17 years

The Lord givith  
And the Lord taketh away  
Blessed be the Name of  
The Lord

