

## Duns Tew

### *Monumental Inscriptions from Duns Tew Churchyard*

Taken down 7/Sep/2007 by R Kirby

#### **James Castle**

Tombstone on the right side of the path behind the yew trees

In Loving Memory  
of  
James Castle  
who died  
December 14<sup>th</sup> 1884  
Aged 66 Years  
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For upwards of 50 years  
Clerk of this parish  
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It is the blood that maketh an  
atonement for the soul Lev[unreadable ref]

From Lev 17:11 'For the life of the flesh is in the blood: and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls: for it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul.' KJV

#### **Mary Jane Castle**

1<sup>st</sup> of a pair of Tombstone next to James Castle above & in same style

In Loving Memory  
Of  
Mary Jane  
the beloved wife of  
Benjamin James Castle  
And Daughter of  
James & Hannah Davis  
who died October 30<sup>th</sup> 1892  
Aged 37 Years  
Resting in Hope

#### **James Davis**

2<sup>nd</sup> of a pair of Tombstone next to James Castle above & in same style

In Loving Memory of  
James Davis  
Who died March 17<sup>th</sup> 1899  
Aged 67 Years  
Also of  
Hannah  
his beloved wife

Who died April 17<sup>th</sup> 1899  
Aged 68 Years  
Resting in hope

## **William Hatten**

In third tier on the right of the path as facing the church

Sacred to the memory of William Hatten  
who departed this life  
January 7<sup>th</sup> 1837  
Aged 21 Years  
Also of Ann his sister  
Born March 8<sup>th</sup>: 1834  
Died Jan: 13<sup>th</sup>:1836

## **Edward Hatten**

In third tier on the right of the path as facing the church

Memory of  
Edward Hatten  
Who died Oct.1.1835  
Aged 88 Years  
[Also] of  
Mary his wife  
who died Nov.7.18[5]6

## **Anonymous Hatten**

In third tier on the right of the path as facing the church

In Memory ...  
...Hatten  
Who died Jun 1 17.....  
Aged 61 Years

## ***Selected details from Plot Index that was available in the church***

This seemed to combine tomb details with details from the parish registers  
Transcribed by R Kirby

### **Plot 102**

Hatten John Died 18/6/1803  
bur 21/Jun 1803 Aged 53  
Also Hatten Sarah Died 15/May/1804  
Aged 59

### **Plot 103**

Hatten William Died 21/Sep/1849  
Aged 56  
Buried 25/Sep/1849

**Plot 104**

Hatten William Died 1 Jan 1788  
Aged 56  
Buried 7 Jan 1788  
Also Hatten Mary 3 Oct 1781  
Aged 61  
Buried 7 Oct 1781

**Plot 105**

Hatten Edward  
Died ? Oct 1835  
Aged 88  
Bur 7/10/1835  
Also  
Mary died 7/11/1850?  
Aged 85?

**Plot 38**

Gillam Charles  
Died 15.7.1850  
Aged 76  
Buried 7.7.1850  
[suggest dates have been transposed]

**Plot 39**

Gillam Ann  
Died 1825  
Aged 47?  
Buried 3.4.1825

**Plot 40**

Gillam William Died 2.6.1829  
Aged 74  
Bur 6.6.1829  
also Mary Died 28.10.1828  
Aged 78  
Wife bur 4.11.1828

**Plot 41**

Cooling Anne Died 5.2.1850  
Aged 71  
Bur 2.9.1850  
Wife of James  
Daughter of William & Mary Gillam

**Plot 42**

Gillam John d. 24.5.1899  
Aged 77

b.27.5.1899  
also wife Mary d. 19.6.1913  
Aged 88  
b 23.6.1913

### **Plot 108**

Castle Mary Jane  
Died 30.10.1892  
Aged 37  
Bur 3.11.1892  
Wife of Benjamin James Castle and Daughter  
of James & Hannah Davis

### **Plot 107**

Davis James died 17.3.1900  
Aged 67  
bur 21.3.1900

### **Plot 109**

Castle James  
Died 14.12.1881  
Aged 66  
Clerk of this parish for 50? Years

### **Plot 122**

Hatten William  
Died 7.1.1857  
Age 24  
Bur 12.1.1857  
Also  
Hatten Ann 8.3.1854-15.1.1856 sister

### **Plot 134**

Castle Eliz died 25.10.1789  
Aged 25?  
Wife of John also J. N. and M.