



Extracts from Stratford Tony Parish Register

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A copy of the Register of the Parish of Stratford Tony from April 29th the year of our Lord 1727 to {?} 25 1728.

I do hereby certify that an Affidavit of the persons above written being buried in Woollen only was in due time returned to me.

J.R. R.

1538 Registers were enjoined by Cromwell ye ?cogerent

1562: The Register of Weddings in ye old Book

1606: The Register Of Xnings

1562: The Register of Burials

The last baptism in ye old Register was December 18 1681 so yt for 19 years There is none remaining.

The old Register for Burials ends 1668

Douglas Cartillion seems to have been made Rector in May 1618.

Extracts from ye old & new registers relating to ye Rectors of ye parish

Douglas Cartillion was buried 1659

Hyde, Richd was Rector 1661

Francis Kettleby was Rector 1666

Edw Ward was Rector 1667

Wm Fawcener was buried Feb 4 1717/18

John Bampton, Rector died June 1 1751 = was founder of the celebrated Bampton Lecture in the University of Oxford

John Reeks, Rector buried July 2 1770

Charles Reeks, Rector buried July 30 1783

Thos. Brown, Rector died Sept 1787

Thos. Stockwell, Rector died buried 15 July 1825 aged 81

George Taunton, Rector died 16 Aug 1832, aged 48

Henry Shrubbs, Rector resigned 1847 Oct.

Geo. Davies Kent, Rector, instd Feb 1848, died 13 April 1877, aged 74

Matthew Plummer, Rector, instd 19 Sep 1877.

1751

John Bampton, M.A. Canon Residentiary of ye Cathedral Church of Sarum & Rector of this Parish died on Trinity Sunday Jun 2 1751. He was Rector of ye parish for 33 years

John Reeks B.D. & Fellow of Corpus Christi College in Oxford, was inducted into the Rectory of Stratford Toney Nov 9, 1751. Upon ye Presentation of ye said College: ist being ye first time of their presenting to it.

1760

Memorandum Mar 2 1760

At ye Funeral of Mrs Dorothea Hill, for ye sake of bringing ye Corpse as near as may be to ye Church: it being deposited in a Leaden Coffin. I gave permission to drive ye Coach & Horse thro' my Backside.

J. Reeks.

1767

Memorandum 28 March 1767. I gave leave (unasked) to ye undertaker, to carry ye Corpse of Mr Rowland Hill thro' ye Backside, for ye sake of coming as near to ye Church as possible, * because the road thro' ye Parish was not good.

J. Reeks.

1768

Samuel Frampton, Servant to Mary Selwood, as buried 25 July 1768.

He had gone out with a gun, to keep birds off ye corn, & lying down on ye grass with ye gun near him cock'd , drew it to him: by which means it went off & discharged ye shot into his body: he languished about 8 hours & then died.

1772

8 Oct 1772 Elizth. Reek, mother of J. & C. Reeks, Rectors in succession of this Parish was buried.

1790

Mrs Margaret Dench wife of Henry Dench of Cowsfield was buried 3 Nov 1790

Her maiden name was Hill.

Memorandum. For the convenience of bringing the copse to the church (being deposited in a leaden coffin), I gave permission to the undertaker to have the Horse and Coaches drawn through the Parsonage yard.

1794

10 March 1794 – Sarah. She co habited with a soldier of the 40th Regiment. Was taken ill on the road, & died at Fir-grove Farm.

1800

1 Oct 1800 - Alexander Redman was buried. Clerk to five successive Rectors of this Parish, Revd. Cannon Bampton, Dr. John Reeks, Revd Charles Reeks, Revd. T. Brown & Revd. T. Stockwell.

1812

For continuance see new Registers provided under an "Act for Regulating & Preserving Parish Registers" &c. (28 July 1812)

Source:

Parish Register 1682-1777

Parish Register 1780-1812