

# St. James Church, North Wraxall Wall Memorials

Cope	Jonathan	To the Memory
		Of the Revd. JONATHAN COPE
		Late of Christ Church College, Oxford
		Only Son
		Of Sir Jonathan Cope, Bar <sup>t</sup> .
		Of Brewern, Oxfordshire
		And of Annabella his Wife, the last
		Descendant of the Honorable
8		And Ancient Family
		He died March 10 <sup>th</sup> 1814
		At the early age of Thirty four.
		Leaving to those
		Who placed all their hopes
		Of earthly Happinenefs on most
		Dutiful and Affectionate Son
		No other Support
		Under their heavy lofs
		Than that which they derive from
		Resignation to the Will of God.
		"The Lord hath given, the Lord hath taken
		away: blefsed be the Name of the Lord"
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Thomas	Sacred to the memory of
	THOMAS HOOPER Esqre.
	Many years churchwarden of this parish
	Departed this life Dec <sup>r</sup> . 10 <sup>Th</sup> 1867
	Aged 67 Years
	In Life beloved in death lamented
	"Thy will be done"
Anne Christian	Near this place are
	depo <i>f</i> ited Remains
	of ANN CHRISTIAN METHUEN
	fecond daughter of
	Paul Cobb Methuen E $f$ q $^{r}$ .
	She died March 26th 1808
	Aged 22
	Though no proud monument or breathing bu $f$ t
	With awful grandeur guards $f$ lumbering du $f$ t
	This fimple tablet fhows and fhews with truth
	When Anna perifhed in the bloom of youth
	How memory of her worth could love to tell
	And on her charms with grateful plea <i>f</i> ure dwell
	How each perfection fhone in her combined
	A feeling before with a fspotefs mind
	But virtue needs no record on her tomb
	And comment vain on Providences doom
	Enough that Heaven received her paceing breath
	And mild religcon calmed the frowns of death
	P.M. 1808
Paul Cobb	Sacred
	to the Memory of
	PAUL COBB METHUEN
	of Corsham House
	in this County, Esquire.
	Who departed this Life
	on the 14 <sup>th</sup> of September 1816
	Aged 64 Years
	"I am the Resurrection and the Life:
	(saith the Lord) he that believeth
	in me, though he were dead.
	Yet shall he live"
	Anne Christian

O'Bryen	Gertrude Grace	Here rest the mortal remains of GERTRUDE GRACE O'BRYEN the beloved Wife of Lord Edward O'Bryen third daughter of Paul Cobb Methuen Esq <sup>r</sup> . She fell asleep on May 1 <sup>st</sup> 1817 Aged 29 Years Him that cometh unto me, I will in no wise cast out Sweet corn of wheat committed to the ground To die and live and hear more precious ear While in the heart of earth thy Saviour found His place of rest, for thee we will not fear Sleep softly till that blessed rain and dew Down lighting upon earth, such change shall bring That all its fields of death shall laugh anew Yea, with a living harvest, laugh and sing
Skeate	Edwin	In Loving Memory of EDWIN SKEATE, M.R.C.S. L.S.A. of Bath Born in this parish Dec <sup>r</sup> . 12 1811, Died at Bath May 7 1907, buried in the adjoining churchyard This tablet was erected by his grand nieces in grateful remembrance
Wallis	Ezekiel	lon Memory of EZEKIEL WALLIS Efq'.  of Lucknam near this place; only Son and fole Heir of James Wallis Efq'. From whom he inherited an Ample Fortune, which he employed on Acts of Generafity and Benevolence He died December the 31st 1734 Aged 43 Years Alfo of Cecilia his Wife, The youngeft Daughter of Isaac Selfe Efq'. of Beanacre in this County by Penelope his Wife, Daughter and Coheirefs of Charles Lord Lucas Baron of Shenfield in Essex who married fecondly The Worfhipful John Coxed, L.L.D. Warden of Winchester College whom fhe likewife furvived and departed this Life January the 31st 1760, Aged 60 Years Paul Methuen Efq'. Her Nephew and Heir caufed This Marble to be erected

# Methuen Sarcophagus

Christian Methuen	In this Vault underneath are depofited
(0:1.5.1)	the remains of CHRISTIAN Wife of Paul Methuen Ef $q^r$ .
(Side Panel)	Daughter and Coheire fs of Sir George Cobb, Bart.
	Of Adderbury in Oxfordshire
	by Anne his Wife Daughter and Coheire fs of
	Joseph Langton Efq $^r$ . of Nenton Park in the County of Somerset
	who Died the 21 of May 1779 Aged 56 Years
	Favour is deceitful and Beauty is vain
	but a woman that feareth the Lord
	she shall be praised
	Proverbs Chap 31 verfe 30
Paul Methuen	PAUL METHUEN E $f$ q $^{r}$ .
	who lyes here interred
(Side Panel)	died January 22 <sup>nd</sup> 1795 Aged 72 Years
	He was the only Son of Thomas Methuen $E f q^r$ .
	of this County:
	Alfo Heir of his Mother's Family the Selfes of Beanacre:
	And of the Right Honble. Sr. Paul Methuen Knight of the Bath
	He had If sue by Christian his Wife Two Sons
	Paul Cobb Methuen E $f$ q $^r$ . his eldes $f$ t Son and Heir@
	Thomas who died before him
	And one Daughter Christian Married to
	Frederick Lord Boston.
	He that walketh uprightly
	walketh $f$ urely.
Thomas Methuen	THOMAS METHUEN
	Second Son of Paul Methuen E $f$ g $^r$ .
(side panel)	and Christian his Wife
	Died at Nice in the Dominions of Savoy
	where he went for the recovery of his Haelth
	April the 27 <sup>th</sup> 1774. Aged 20 Years
	and was interred in the Vault
	Under this Tomb, the 21 of July following
	Oh just beheld and lost admir'd and mourn'd
	With ev'ry Virtue ev'ry Grace adorn'd.

### Flagstones

	[top of flagstone under pew]	
	And ye Body of LUCY	
	his wife who departed	
	this life the [?] of	
	Auguft 1744, Aged 73	
Thomas	Here lys ye Body	
	of THOMAS the	
	son of Thomas	
	Goddard Rector	
	and Ann his wife	
	He was borne ye	
	4 <sup>th</sup> of Augu <i>f</i> t	
	1798 and dyed	
	14 <sup>th</sup> of October	
	following	
Mary	[right of flagstone under wood flooring]	
	Here	
	L[?]eth the Body	
	MARY the Wife of	
	Henry Still	
	[?] of this Parish	
	[?]ft April 25 <sup>th</sup>	
	1786	
	Ætatis 47	
	[?] Ways were Ways	
	Plea $f$ antne $f$ s, and all	
	Paths were Peace	
		his wife who departed this life the [?] of Augu ft 1744, Aged 73  Thomas  Here lys ye Body of THOMAS the son of Thomas Goddard Rector and Ann his wife He was borne ye 4th of Augu ft 1798 and dyed 14th of October following  Mary  [right of flagstone under wood flooring]  Here  L[?]eth the Body MARY the Wife of Henry Still [?] of this Parish [?] ft April 25th 1786  Ætatis 47 [?] Ways were Ways Plea fantne fs, and all

# Wall Metal Epitaphs

Mildmay	Jane Dorothea	In Memoriam Honor <sup>bilis</sup> Dominice Jane Dorothea Henrici Paulet St John Mildmay Baronia Filia natn maxima et Pauli Baronis Methuen uxoris Obit 15 mo Mart AD 1846 [the eldest daughter]
Methuen	Paul	In Memoriam Honor <sup>bilis</sup> Domini Pauli Primi Baronis Methuen de Corsham Obit 11-mo-Die Septemb, AD 1849 [Honorabilis]

#### **Brass Tablet**

Harrison	Francis	In affectionate Remembrance of the
		Reverend FRANCIS HARRISON M.A.
		From 1867 – 1908 Rector of this Parish
		Who died 10 March 1912 aged 82 & was
		Interred at Locksbrook Cemetery, Bath
		This Tablet was erected by his parishioners & friends