## BLEDDYN DDU (c. 1200), poet

Name: Bleddyn Ddu Gender: Male Occupation: poet Area of activity: Poetry Author: Nansi Ceridwen Jones

Two of his poems are preserved in the 'Red Book of Hergest' - to God, and to the abbot of Aberconway.

### **Author**

Nansi Ceridwen Jones

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