

## GRIFFITHS, EVAN (1778 - 1839), Calvinistic Methodist minister

**Name:** Evan Griffiths  
**Date of birth:** 1778  
**Date of death:** 1839  
**Spouse:** Mary Griffiths  
**Parent:** Margaret Griffiths (née Evans)  
**Parent:** Edward Griffiths  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** Calvinistic Methodist minister  
**Area of activity:** Religion  
**Author:** Robert Thomas Jenkins

One of the eight ordained in North Wales in 1811. Born at Rhos-fawr near Meifod, Montgomeryshire, 12 March 1778, son of Edward Griffiths and his wife Margaret (Evans) - another of their sons was Thomas Griffiths, husband of the hymnist [Ann Griffiths](#). The mother and her children removed to Ceunant, Meifod, where Evan began preaching in 1802.

He died 6 September 1839. There is a memoir of him, by [John Hughes](#) of Pontrobert, 1840.

### Author

Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins, (1881 - 1969)

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