

# HUW PENNANT ('Syr') (fl. during the second half of the 15th century), cleric, poet, and antiquary

**Name:** Huw Pennant

**Parent:** Dafydd Pennant

**Gender:** Male

**Occupation:** cleric, poet, and antiquary

**Area of activity:** History and Culture; Poetry; Religion; Scholarship and Languages

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son of David Pennant of Bychton near Holywell, Flintshire, and brother of Thomas Pennant, abbot of Basingwerk. Some of his poems, all vaticinary, exist in manuscript. Pen. MS. 182, written by 'Syr' Huw himself c. 1514, includes, among other items, genealogies, poetry, and his Welsh translation of the Latin text of a life of S. Ursula.

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