## HUW, ROLANT (1714 - 1802), poet

Name: Rolant Huw Date of birth: 1714 Date of death: 1802 Gender: Male Occupation: poet Area of activity: Poetry Author: Robert Thomas Jenkins

lived at Graienyn, Llangower, Meironnydd, and was also factor to the neighbouring estates of Fachddeiliog and <u>Rhiwedog</u>. He is an important link in the bardic tradition of Penllyn, for he was an instructor of bards, of whom the best known is <u>Robert William</u> (1744 - 1815) of Pandy in Tre-Rhiwedog. Some of his work has been printed in *Beirdd y Bala* (correct ' Robert Saunderson ' in the introductory note to ' William Saunderson ') and in *Cymru (O.M.E.)*, i, 108-10, 197-8; and more remains in manuscript at the National Library of Wales. He was buried 16 December 1802 at Llangower, aged eighty-eight.

## Author

Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins, (1881 - 1969)

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