## JONES, EDWARD (1768 - 1813), harpist

Name: Edward Jones Date of birth: 1768 Date of death: 1813 Gender: Male Occupation: harpist

Area of activity: Music; Performing Arts

Author: Robert David Griffith

Born at Caerphilly, Glamorganshire, in 1768. He was given instruction on the harp by <u>Sackville Gwynne</u>, Glanbrân, Llandovery, and became one of the most competent harpists of his time, his repertoire including many Welsh and English airs. He composed the air known as 'Caerphilly March.'

He died at Caerphilly, 17 December 1813.

## Author

Robert David Griffith, (1877 - 1958)

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