MORGAN, REES (1764 - 1847), Calvinistic Methodist preacher

Name: Rees Morgan Date of birth: 1764 Date of death: 1847 Parent: Morgan Rees Gender: Male Occupation: Calvinistic Methodist preacher Area of activity: Religion Author: Gomer Morgan Roberts

Born at Capel-hir, Talley, Carmarthenshire, son of Morgan Rees who was a member of the Methodist society at Glanyrafonddu Ganol. His spiritual regeneration took place under the ministry of <u>William Lloyd</u> of Caeo (1741 - 1808) who, thereafter, was his firm friend. He began to exhort c. 1784-5, and from that time on spent the whole of his long life in the field, travelling over the whole of Wales. He worked in close association with <u>Daniel Rowland</u>, <u>Williams</u> of Pantycelyn, and other leaders of the Methodist revival. He died 6 April 1847 and was buried in Talley churchyard. He should not be confused with Rhys Morgan of Glancledan-fawr, Llanwrtyd, who was a Methodist exhorter in the earliest days of the revival.

Author

Reverend Gomer Morgan Roberts, (1904 - 1993)

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