

## MORRIS, JAMES (1853 - 1914), Calvinistic Methodist minister, and author

**Name:** James Morris  
**Date of birth:** 1853  
**Date of death:** 1914  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** Calvinistic Methodist minister, and author  
**Area of activity:** Literature and Writing; Religion  
**Author:** Robert Thomas Jenkins

Born in 1853 at Gopa Fach, Pontardulais, Glamorganshire, but when about fourteen he removed to Llanelly, where he began to preach. After a course at Trevecka College, he became pastor at Llansawel with Rhydcymerau, Carmarthenshire (1881-92), Pen-y-graig, Rhondda (1892-1907), and Llanstephan, Carmarthenshire (1907-14). He died 8 November 1914, aged 61, and was buried at Tre-alaw, Rhondda. He was interested in the history of his connexion in Carmarthenshire, and produced four books on that subject: *Cofiant Dafi Dafis, Rhydcymerau* (1907), *Cofiant Thomas Jones, Conwyl* (1899), *Efengylwyr Seion* (1905 -biographical sketches), and *Hanes Methodistiaeth Sir Gaerfyrddin* (1911). They are somewhat uncritical, but interesting and very useful.

### Author

Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins, (1881 - 1969)

### Sources

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