

OWAIN FYCHAN ap MADOG ap MAREDUDD (died 1187), prince of Powys

Name: Owain Fychan ap Madog ap Maredudd
Date of death: 1187
Parent: Susanna ferch Gruffydd ap Cynan
Parent: Madog ap Maredudd
Gender: Male
Occupation: prince of Powys
Area of activity: Politics, Government and Political Movements; Royalty and Society
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He was one of the sons of [Madog ap Maredudd](#) by Susanna, daughter of [Gruffydd ap Cynan](#). His share of his father's territories, according to a contemporary poem, lay in Mechain, Cynllaith, and Mochnant-is-Rhaeadr, wedged between the dominions of his eldest brother, [Gruffydd ap Madog](#), and those of his cousin, [Owen Cyfeiliog](#). A minor prince of more than ordinary personality, he met his end at Gwern-y-figyn, near Carreghofa, where he was treacherously attacked by night by [Gwenwynwyn](#) and Cadwallon, the sons of [Owain Cyfeiliog](#). His descendants continued to rule over a much diminished realm in Mechain until the end of the 13th century.

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