

## RICHARD(S), JOHN (1720 - 1764), Calvinistic Methodist exhorter, and poet

**Name:** John Richard (S)  
**Date of birth:** 1720  
**Date of death:** 1764  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** Calvinistic Methodist exhorter, and poet  
**Area of activity:** Religion  
**Author:** Robert Thomas Jenkins

Born in 1720 at Bryniog Uchaf, Llanrwst, came under the influence of Methodism c. 1740, began to exhort c. 1749, and died in 1764. For his work, see *Y Traethodydd*, 1886 (278) and 1887 (122), and Owen Williams, *Llyfryddiaeth Sir Ddinbych*, 146; but the hymns attributed to him in *Llyfryddiaeth y Cymry*, 411, and in Owen Williams's list (above) are not his; they belong to [John Richard\(s\)](#) of Llansamlet (*fl.* 1743-84).

### Author

Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins, (1881 - 1969)

### Sources

*Methodistiaeth Cymru* (1851-6), i, 139-42

[correction by the Rev. Gomer M. Roberts ]

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