

## CYNWRIG ap RHYS (died 1237), prince.

**Name:** Cynwrig ap Rhys  
**Date of death:** 1237  
**Parent:** Gwenllïan ferch Madog ap Maredudd  
**Parent:** Rhys ap Gruffydd  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** prince.  
**Area of activity:** Military; Politics, Government and Political Movements; Royalty and Society  
**Author:** John Edward Lloyd

Son of [the Lord Rhys ap Gruffydd](#). Nothing is known of him other than the impression he made on [Gerald the Welshman](#) when he was travelling through Ceredigion with Archbishop Baldwin preaching the crusade. [Gerald](#) says that he was a tall, handsome young man with fair curly hair, dressed in the style of Welshmen of the period - a shirt and a thin cloak and barefooted - but lithe and dignified in appearance. He survived to old age but left no mark on the history of the period.

### Author

Sir John Edward Lloyd, (1861 - 1947)

### Sources

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