

Swan Bank Methodist Church
transcripts of church registers
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explanatory notes

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Methodism arose in the 1730s from the influence of the preachers George Whitefield and John and Charles Wesley. In 1744 circuits for Wesleyan preachers were established and the first national conference was held. The break between the Wesleyan Methodists and the Church of England came in 1784 by John Wesley's act of ordaining a minister.

The Methodists themselves began to split into several groups:

- Methodist New Connexion formed in 1797
- Quaker Methodists formed in 1806
- Primitive Methodists (based on open-air meetings) broke away in 1812
- Bible Christians, or Bryanites, broke away in 1815
- Wesleyan Methodist Reformers established in 1849
- Independent Methodists officially formed in 1898

Some of the different factions united to become the United Methodist Free Churches in 1857 and others became the Wesleyan Reform Union. The New Connexion and Bible Christians joined with the United Free Churches in 1907 to form the **United Methodist Church**. Finally, in 1932 Primitive Methodists, the Wesleyans, and the United Methodist Church merged to form the **Methodist Church**.

SPELLING

The spelling of names and places in the original entries has been retained in this transcript.

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Wolverhampton Archives & Local Studies is able to supply copies of the original church register entries. See the postal research section of our website http://www.wolverhamptonarchives.dial.pipex.com/gen_postal.htm for further details.

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Surname	First Name	Abode	Date	Age	Buried by	Notes
TAFT	Phebe	Bilston	8 Feb 1829	1y 2 months	J.Ham	
TAGG	James	Bilston	26 Sep 1831	1y 3 months	J.Ham	
TAGG	Richard	Bilston	10 Feb 1836	5 months	Tho.Hardy	
TALBOT	Elizabeth	Birmingham	3 Oct 1830	1year	W.Powis	
TALBUT	Sarah Elizabeth	Bilston	21 Sep 1824	11 months	Titus Close	
TANDLEY	Mary	Bilston	5 Oct 1828	6 months	W.Homer	
TANTON	Jane	Bilston	14 Jun 1835	53 years	S.Jones	
TART	James	Bilston	9 Aug 1835	9 weeks	Wm.Hackett	
TART	Mary	Bilston	29 Jan 1837	2 weeks	R.Hickman	
TART	Mary	Bilston	15 Jan 1837	34 years	Tho.Hardy	
TART	William	Bilston	7 May 1837	5 years	Tho.Hardy	
TART	William	Bilston	5 Apr 1836	2 months	R.Hickman	
TARTER	Jamima	Bilston	28 Aug 1834	26 years	R.Hickman	
TATE	Roland	Bilston	10 Nov 1837	11 weeks	Richard Hickman	
TAYLOR	Ann	Oldbury	10 Mar 1837	59 years	Tho.Hardy	
TAYLOR	Ann Maria	Bilston	2 Jan 1837	9 months	Tho.Hardy	
TAYLOR	Anne	Bilston-late of Liverpool	12 Apr 1829	34 years	J.Hodgson	
TAYLOR	Harriott	Bilston	18 Oct 1835	1y 5 months	Tho.Hardy	
TAYLOR	Jane	Bilston	20 Jun 1830	1y 11 months	J.Hodgson	
TAYLOR	Jane	Bilston	23 Jul 1835	8y 10 months	G.W.Windsor	
TAYLOR	John	Bilston	23 Apr 1833	52 years	R.Hickman	
TAYLOR	John	Bilston	15 Dec 1826	63 years	Titus Close	
TAYLOR	Joseph	Bilston	21 Mar 1833	57 years	J.Ham	
TAYLOR	Joseph	Bilston	23 Sep 1831	3y 6 months	J.Denison	
TAYLOR	Margaret	Bilston	24 Oct 1823	82 years	John Mason	Buried Old Chapel 26 JUN 1818
TAYLOR	Mary Ann	Bilston	29 Oct 1837	15 weeks	Wm.Tunncliff	
TAYLOR	Sarah	Bilston	6 May 1832	2y 9 months	J.Denison	
TAYLOR	Thomas	Bilston	4 Jul 1831	15 months	J.Denison	
TAYLOR	William	Bilston	4 Dec 1836	1y 7 months	J.Cornwell	

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TAYLOR	William	Bilston	3 Jan 1833	56 years	Thos.Hall	
TEAKES	Mary Ann	Bilston	11 Sep 1834	2y 5 months	Thos.Moss	
TERRY	Martin	Willenhall	15 May 1836	9 months	Thos.Moss	
TERRY	Sarah	Willenhall	25 Nov 1827	8 months	R.Melson	
THOMAS	Alexander	Bilston	17 Feb 1837	6 months	S.Southern	
THOMAS	Ann	Bilston	30 Sep 1831	1week	J.Denison	
THOMAS	Benjamin	Sedgley	28 Jan 1827	2y 9 months	A.G.Jewitt	
THOMAS	Emma	Bilston	9 May 1837	23 months	Tho.Hardy	
THOMAS	Evan	Bilston	13 Nov 1836	13 months	J.Williams	
THOMAS	Henry	Bilston	29 Aug 1832	2 years	J.Ham	
THOMAS	James	Bilston	28 Mar 1832	2 weeks	J.Denison	
THOMAS	John	Bilston	10 Jul 1836	6 months	J.Bunch	
THOMAS	John	Bilston	7 Aug 1832	7 years	J.Ham	
THOMAS	Luke	Bilston	15 Dec 1836	23 years		
THOMAS	Sarah	Bilston	8 Jul 1834	64 years	Thos.Hall	
THOMAS	Thomas	Bilston	15 May 1833	152 years	J.Ham	
THOMAS	William	Bilston	14 Aug 1836	48 years	Thos.Jackson	
THOMAS	William	Bilston	6 Jun 1833	3y 6 months	J.Ham	
THOMPSON	Betsy	Bilston	23 Sep 1828	3 weeks	W.Homer	
THOMPSON	Charlotte	Bilston	6 Sep 1832	8y 3 months	J.Ham	
THOMPSON	Elizabeth Jane	Bilston	21 Jun 1832	3y 2 months	J.Ham	
THOMPSON	Job	Bilston	26 Feb 1834	4 months	Thos.Hall	
THOMPSON	John	Bilston	1 Apr 1832	3 years	J.Denison	
THOMPSON	Mary Ann	Bilston	19 Sep 1837	2 months	Tho.Hardy	
THOMPSON	Rachael	Bilston	14 Mar 1837	56 years	Tho.Hardy	
THOMPSON	Richard	Bilston	21 Oct 1832	16 years	W.Hackett	
THOMPSON	Rosannah	Bilston	21 Aug 1837	2y 6 months	John Walters	
THOMPSON	William	Bilston	24 May 1829	2y 6 months	W.Homer	
THOMPSON	William	Bilston	10 Feb 1833	15 months	J.Howell	
THOMPSON	William	Bilston	2 Sep 1832	10 months	J.Ham	

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THORNTON	Edward	Moxley	1 Feb 1829	5y6 months	W.Homer	
THORNTON	John	Tipton	1 Nov 1831	8 months	J.Denison	
THORP	Ann	Bilston	4 Jan 1835	3 weeks	Thos.Moss	
THORPE	Samuel	Bilston	17 Nov 1837	4 months	Richard Fowler	
THRUSTANCE	Eleanor	Bilston	31 May 1826	68 years	Titus Close	
TILLEY	Silas	Tipton	22 May 1833	10 months	J.Ham	
TIMMINS	Elizabeth	Bilston	21 May 1835	63 years	Thos.Moss	
TIMMINS	Elizabeth	Bilston	27 Jan 1833	3 years	J.Cornwell	
TIMMINS	Jane	Bilston	23 Jan 1833	16 months	J.Ham	
TIMMINS	John	Bilston	5 Jan 1837	16 months	Tho.Hardy	
TIMMINS	Joseph	Bilston	2 Jun 1837	32 years	R.Hickman	
TIMMINS	Martha	Bilston	6 Nov 1834	1y 9 months	Thos.Moss	
TIMMINS	William	Bilston	8 Jul 1834	1y 11 months	Thos.Hall	
TIPPER	William	Bilston	22 Nov 1832	7 months	J.Ham	
TITLEY	Thomas	Bilston	20 Mar 1836	3 weeks	G.W.Windsor	
TOMASON	Sarah	Bilston	4 Oct 1829	42 years	W.Homer	
TOMKINSON	Ann	Bilston	14 Dec 1837	72 years	Richard Hickman	
TOMKINSON	Charles	Bilston	21 Jun 1833	1year	J.Ham	
TOMKINSON	John	Bilston	25 Jan 1833	68 years	J.Ham	
TOMKINSON	William	Bilston	8 Apr 1832	2y 5 months	Corbet Cooke	
TOMPSON	John	Bilston	16 Nov 1828	6 weeks	W.Homer	
TOMPSON	Sarah	Bilston	10 Feb 1836	13 months	Tho.Hardy	
TOMS	Mary Ann	Bilston	24 Jan 1833	2y 6 months	J.Ham	
TONKINSON	James Ryder	Sedgley	20 Feb 1829	4 years	W.Homer	
TONKS	Elizabeth	Bilston	24 Aug 1834	12 months		
TONKS	Emma	Bilston	10 Jul 1837	2 years	R.Hickman	
TONKS	Samuel	Bilston	31 Aug 1834	1y4 months	R.Hickman	
TONKS	Samuel	Bilston	29 Jan 1829	4 months	W.Homer	
TONKS	Sarah	Bilston	2 Feb 1837	17 months	Tho.Hardy	
TOY	Hannah	Bradley	11 Oct 1835	32 years	R.Hickman	

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TRAVER	Hannah	Bilston	17 Jan 1827	33 years	Titus Close	
TRUCKLE	Jane	Bilston	11 Apr 1836	23 years	R.Hickman	
TRUEMAN	William	Bilston	16 Aug 1832	4 years	J.Ham	
TRUNDLE	Isaac	Bilston	26 Mar 1834	11 months	Thos.Hall	
TURNER	Benjamin	Bilston	31 Dec 1833	2 weeks	Thos.Hall	
TURNER	Betty	Bilston	25 May 1830	82 years	J.Ham	
TURNER	Daniel	Bilston	29 Jun 1836	13 years	Tho.Hardy	
TURNER	Ezekiel	Bilston	3 Jun 1836	56 years	G.W.Windsor	
TURNER	George	Bilston	8 Mar 1835	75 years	Wm.Davis	
TURNER	James	Bilston	12 May 1833	8 months	W.Hazeldine	
TURNER	John	Bilston	8 Sep 1831	11 months	J.Denison	
TURNER	John	Sedgley	16 Jan 1831	5 weeks	Corbet Cooke	
TURNER	Josiah	Bilston	1 Jan 1832	70 years	Corbet Cooke	
TURNER	Maria	Bilston	25 Mar 1835	6 months	Thos.Moss	
TURNER	Mary Ann	Bilston	5 Aug 1834	9 months	T.Chapman	
TURNER	Samuel	Monmore green	30 Mar 1828	1week	A.G.Jewitt	
TURNER	Sarah	Bilston	31 Mar 1830	11 months	W.Homer	
TURNER	Sarah	Bilston	25 Nov 1832	90 years	J.Ham	
TURNER	Sarah	Bilston	19 Aug 1832	79 years	J.Ham	
TURNER	Sarah	Broad Lane	28 Aug 1834	1y 10 months	R.Hickman	
TURNER	Susannah	Bilston	9 Mar 1837	1 year	Tho.Hardy	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	10 Jan 1836	2y 1month	R.Hickman	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	17 Jun 1836	7 months	Tho.Hardy	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	23 Aug 1835	72 years	Joseph Howell	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	3 Dec 1837	90 years	Jas.Cornwell	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	26 Aug 1832	44 years	J.Ham	
TURNER	Thomas	Bilston	5 Apr 1835	4 months	G.W.Windsor	
TURNER	William	Bilston	9 Nov 1833	64 years	R.Hickman	
UNDERWOOD	John	Bilston	2 Nov 1837	1day	Tho.Hardy	
VAUGHAN	Edward Timothy	Bilston	25 Jul 1825	16 months	Titus Close	

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VAUGHAN	William	Bilston	23 Jul 1837	12 months	J.Clowes	
VENABLES	Hannah	Bilston	20 Sep 1825	3 weeks	Titus Close	
VERNON	Samuel	Bilston	17 Mar 1837	1y 3 months	Tho.Hardy	
VINE	John	Bilston	21 Jan 1829	7 months	W.Homer	
VINES	Fanny	Bilston	8 Apr 1827	3 weeks	A.G.Jewitt	
VINSOM	Charles	Bilston	27 Nov 1832	58 years	J.Ham	
VINSOM	Charlotte	Bilston	29 Oct 1835	68 years	Tho.Hardy	
VIVAN	Jemima	Bilston	13 Mar 1833	4 months	J.Ham	