

3GRINGLEY HISTORY CLUB: CHURCHYARD RECORDING PROJECT

AREA I 15 Memorial Stones, numbered I1-I14 +I2a below.

I1. Rectangular stone laid vertically on long edge. In Affectionate Remembrance of **MARY MARPLES** the Wife of Jonas Marples who died April 12 1867, Aged 68 years.

I2. Vertical Rectangular stone. Indecipherable.

I2a. Horizontal stone above I2, under yew tree. In Memory of **EDWARD MARPLES** of Gringley on the Hill Who Died January 25th 1880. Aged 52 Years.

I3. Vertical Rectangular stone. In Memory of **JOHN /JONAS? DOWN(S)** Who Departed this life... (Remainder indecipherable).

I4. Vertical Rectangular stone. In Affectionate Remembrance of **SARAH** the Beloved Daughter of William and Mary **MARPLES** Who Died at Torworth June 27? 1870, Aged 40 years. Also of **MARY** sister of the Above Wife of William Marples of Torworth Who Died in this Parish ? January 1886?, Aged 67. Interred at Blyth.

I5. Vertical stone with Pointed top. Mainly indecipherable. (Maybe **MARY SPENCER** or **HANNAH SPENCER**).

I6. Vertical stone with rounded top. Indecipherable, maybe **WALKER?**)

I7, I8, I9. All Indecipherable.

I10. Horizontal stone. Indecipherable.

I11. In Memory of **JOHN DOWN(S)** who departed this life Nov 16th 1761/91? In Memory of **JONAS MARPLES** of Gringley Died Feb (?) 1860, 78 years of age.

I12. Horizontal stone. Sacred to the Memory of **HANNAH** the Wife of Rob **BEE** January the 17th 1842, Aged ??

I13. Horizontal stone. Sacred to the Memory of **MARY MARPLES** who Departed this Life (Remainder indecipherable).

I14. Horizontal stone. Sacred to the Memory of **ROBERT BEE** Who Departed this Life Feb 10 ? 1854, Aged 59 years.

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