

BMSGH eShop Newsletter – December 2016



News

The BMSGH Shop staff, Caroline, Frank and myself, wish all our customers a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We have finally finished transcribing and indexing Birmingham Witton Cemetery, nearly 468,000 burials. We have now photographed, transcribed and indexed burial records from four Birmingham cemeteries, Witton, Warstone Lane, Key Hill and Handsworth, you can download an index of burials and purchase a copy of the burial record in the shop.

We still have items in the shop on special offer, please see shop home page and below.

We also have loads of old items at very competitive prices in the Stock Clearance section.

Have you looked at our 2nd hand book shops, see the “Used Items” section, we have two now, a BMSGH 2nd hand shop and we also host Priory Books which is Warwickshire County Record Offices 2nd hand bookshop.

Postage can take longer to deliver at this time of year, so please see below for the last posting dates if you want to receive before Christmas, please place orders as soon as possible:

10 December – Australia and New Zealand
15 December – USA and Canada
16 December – Europe
20 December – UK 2nd class
21 December – UK 1st class

Please see the sections below for more details of Special Offers and new items added to the shop since the last Newsletter.

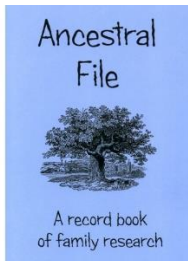
Sale Offers – Ends 31st December 2016

<u>Title</u>	<u>Old £</u>	<u>Sale £</u>
Birmingham Monumental Inscriptions – 41 burial locations, 91,300+ records	£20.00	£15.00
Warwickshire Monumental Inscriptions – 313 burial locations (DVD)	£50.00	£30.00
Staffordshire Monumental Inscriptions – 141 burial locations	£25.00	£15.00
Worcestershire Monumental Inscriptions – 175 burial locations	£30.00	£20.00
Buy all 4 MI disks above	£125.00	£70.00
Buy both Worcestershire and Staffordshire MI's together	£55.00	£30.00
Birmingham St. Martins Parish registers 1554-1929 – These are copies of the original registers, not just transcripts - DVD	£75.00	£30.00
National Burial Index – 18.4 Million burial records for England and Wales	£30.00	£23.00

Christmas present suggestions

The following are record books for recording your family history and are some of our best selling items.

[Ancestral File A record book of family research](#)

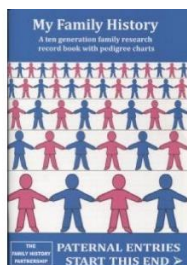


Published by Invicta Books, A4, 36 pages, £4.95

This book offers a convenient system for organising your research findings. In the middle there is a double pedigree chart which allows you to see both the paternal and maternal sides of your family at a glance. From this chart there is a link to the information page for each family group in your direct ancestry. Each family page is set out with boxes in which to enter vital facts - marriage information, birth dates and places, details of children and census check list.

This book can also be used to present the results of your research to other members of the family in an easily understood format.

[My Family History - A ten generation family research record book with pedigree charts](#)



A4, 80 pages, £9.99

'My Family Record Book' is an efficient and attractive method of recording and displaying the result of family history research and a handy 'aide memoir' to carry around when researching. The product is in two main parts; a ten generation record book and a loose-leaf, two-sided ten generation pedigree chart, plus a system for recording re-marriages and new partnerships.

There has long been several five generation versions available but the complaint has always been that 'they don't go back far enough'. Hopefully, this publication will resolve that problem. It allows the recording of 256 marriages, 512 ancestors plus offsprings, stretching back to the early 1700's and beyond. All individuals are allocated unique reference numbers to mate entries in the record book with those on the pedigree charts.

The 'My Family History Ten Generation Pedigree Chart' is also available separately.

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New products

We are pleased to announce the following additions to the shop since the last newsletter -

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Price</u>
	<u>Staffordshire Parish Register Society(SPRS) Books</u>	
B315	Colwich St. Michael and All Angels Baps 1590-1859, Mars 1590-1851, Burs 1590-1872	£10.00
	<u>Family History Partnership Books</u>	
V525	The Family Bible: A Priceless Heirloom	£6.50
V526	Probate Jurisdictions:Where to look for Wills	£5.50
V527	Irish Family History A Beginners Guide	£5.95
	<u>Reflections Yesterdays Postcard Books</u>	
YRAL02	Burton and Ashby Light Railways 1906-1937 on old picture postcards	£3.95
YRAL03	Midland Railway on old picture postcards	£3.95
YRAL04	Great Central Railway on old picture postcards	£3.95
	<u>Downloads</u>	
B315D	Colwich St. Michael and All Angels Baps 1590-1859, Mars 1590-1851, Burs 1590-1872 Published by SPRS	£10.00
I908D	Barlaston Cemetery MIs	£4.00
I909D	Cresswell St. Mary Catholic Church MIs	£2.50
V820D	Birmingham Index to Fines 1839-1851	£4.00

Coming soon

We will shortly have copies of Warwickshire Parish Registers which we will be selling on behalf of Warwickshire County Record Office, see our next newsletter for more details.

The following are currently work in progress, apologies for the slow progress:-

- Copies of original parish register images-

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Title</u>
R102D	Abberley Bap 1858-1968, Mar 1837-1968, Bur 1886-1968, Banns 1823-1961, Copy of register 1558-1804
R148D	Hallow Mar 1962-1970 Banns 1936-1968
R149D	Strensham Bapts 1791-1908 Mar 1754-1837 Burs 1791-1812
R207D	Clent BMB 1562-1782, Bap+Bur 1782-1812, Mar 1754-1812 - Register images?
R212D	Keele Mar 1852-1876, Bur 1813-1875, Banns 1823-1876
R213D	Kingstone Bap 1813-1873, Mar 1755-1837, Bur 1813-1876
R216D	Kinver BMB 1560-1649, 1653-1775, Bap+Bur 1776-1812

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➤ Books/Microfiche/CDs conversions to downloads-

Ref	Title
M033D	Sutton Coldfield, Holy Trinity; Bapt. & Mar. 1603-1699, Bur. 1603-1710
M058D	Leamington, Warwick & District, Spennell's Almanack & Directory 1897
M242D	Lichfield, Cathedral Church Of St.Mary & St.Chad. Marriage Licences&Bonds;1711-1716
M313D	Ellenhall, St.Mary; Bapt. 1599-1812, Mar. 1563-1812, Bur. 1539-1812
D013	Court Guide & County Blue Book for Warks, Worcs, & Staffs 1902
D019	Coventry, Holy Trinity Bap. Mar. & Bur Plus MIs

Volunteers Wanted

We currently have volunteers all over the World who help with transcribing work for our many projects. If you have some spare time and would like to volunteer to help with transcribing, please go to this [link](#) in the shop and register or get in touch via the contacts details at the end of this newsletter. All you need is a PC with an Internet connection, we will provide all the information required to get started.

How to use Search

The search facility has changed since we upgraded the shop software in December 2013. To find an item, enter the search criteria in the search box at the top right of the screen and press enter/click on the magnifying glass symbol. You will then get a list of products that meet the search criteria, however, there could be more items available, if you click the “Search in product descriptions” button and click on search, more products could be displayed. If you get too many items returned, you can restrict the search by selecting a Category, eg Staffordshire or maps, etc.

You can now display results of your search either as a list or as a grid. You can select how many items to display per page and also select how to sort the items on the page, eg by Name(A-Z), Price(low>high), and more.

Feedback

We would welcome your feedback on our shop newsletter, is it too long, too short, is there anything else you would like to know about the shop. Are there products you would like adding to the shop?

How to Unsubscribe

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