

Main Surname Brooke

Area New

Christian Names Emma

Row J

Year died 1874

Grave 30 - 31

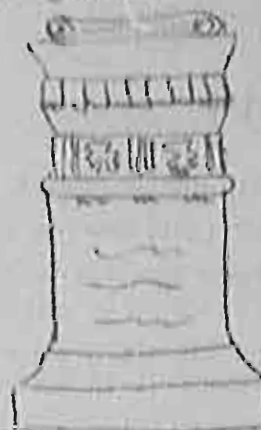
Material Portland monument  
Marble kerb  
Condition Excellent

Sketch/Height  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. high.

Photo? Yes

Notes (e.g. FS, mason, lecturing)

The last 4 lines of the MI appear in both Millward and Snell ('Soft Hived' etc.) but can no longer be found on tomb.



This monument is set in a square kerbstone grave with rose bushes around it. Writing on all four sides. Emma Brooke on West Side.

INSCRIPTIONS (refer to Millward p 385, no 440 and Snell Vol. 2 p. 53)

West Side

Soft Hived With Wing / And Plum / Thou in His Shroud / Shalt Lie  
In memory of / Emma Diane Brooke / who died 20th June 1874, Age 44 yrs /  
This stone is set up by / Her husband her children and her brother /  
who live in daily thought of her / who of herself took no thought /  
But dwelt in the doing of right and made it / Filling its doing  
with such tenderness / That all her household / Loved it while she  
lived / She died too soon / But in us she does not die / And in God,  
at last, she is at peace / And loved and known.

South Side

Sacred also to the memory of / Stopford Augustus Brooke / 1832-1916 /  
In youth and age he lived joyously / With nature and humanity,  
believing both / To be of God and loving Christ as his Lord / So  
believing and so living he preached the gospel of life and  
immortality, a servant of the truth / A workman approved of  
God / The beauty of the Lord was upon him / His word was a kindling  
fire / Giving strength to the weak, comfort to the troubled /  
Refreshment to the weary and wings to the strong / He was the joy  
and inspiration of his children / who remember him with undying  
love.

North Side

Sacred also to the memory of / Graham Vernon Brooke / 1860-1869 /  
In memory of / Leonard Stopford Brooke, Lieut R.A.F. / who fell in  
action 25th September 1918, aged 23 / In memory of / Thomas William  
Rolleston / 1857 - 1920 / In his will is our peace / In memory of  
Somerset Archibald Beaumont / 1835 - 1921 / A very dear uncle.

East Side

To remember / With thankfulness and love / Maid Henrietta  
Rolleston / Born 29th July 1863 / Died 9th November 1946 /  
Evelyn Anna Brooke / Born 28th July 1866 / Died 13th April 1947

Surveyed on 27. 6. 76

by Barbara Ely

PTO for further inscriptions and biographical notes.  
Also leave one inch margin on right, 5 x 3 x 3 ins for photo

