

CIVIL GRAVESTONE SURVEY

HAMPSTEAD PARISH CHURCH

Main Surname	BELL	Area	Old churchyard
Christian Names	Mary	Row	X B
Year died	1768	Grave	O38 assumed by position

Material Portland  
 Condition →  
 Photo?  
 Notes (e.g. FS, mason, lettering)  
 West facing

Sketch/Height



3' headstone right under laurels - not readable. In correct position for this grave

INSCRIPTIONS (refer to Millward, position on sketch, or FS)

Millward, No. 625, Bk. 18

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Mary Bell

Daughter of Mr W<sup>m</sup> Bell

and of Mrs Mary Bell

of Hemingborough, Yorkshire

Departed this life Sep. 15

1768 Aged 24

In Bloom of yeare a maiden here doth lie  
 Then drop a tear in gentle sympathy  
 And think how soon the fairest flower  
 must die.

Surveyed on 16.4.78 by Barbara Ely

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