

Main Surname ASTWOOD  
 Christian Names Mary  
 Year died 1789

Area Old churchyard  
 Row PlotXD.  
 Grave 206

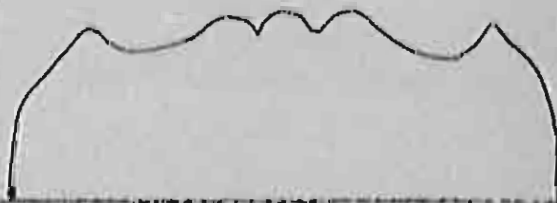
Material Portland  
 Condition Worn but legible.  
 Photo?

Sketch/Height

3'

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

Inscription on West side of stone.  
 F.S. wedged on east side,  
 M.A. / 1789, and made of sandstone.



INSCRIPTIONS (refer to Millward, position on sketch, or FS) Millward p. 691, tomb 365

To the memory of / Mrs. Mary Astwood / Spinster, who departed /  
 this life Jan. 31 1789 / aged 58 years.

++ Rest be that hand Divine which gently laid  
 My heart at rest beneath this peaceful Shade

+ Note: Millward says sandstone, but the footstone is very clearly  
 M.A. 1789, and the headstone is so worn that it could be either.

++ Shell Vol. 1 n. 61 adds this epitaph

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by D.G. Le Faye / G. & D. MADE

PL0 for further inscriptions and biographical notes.  
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