

CFS GRAVESTONE SURVEY

HAMPSTEAD PARISH CHURCH

Main Surname	RUMSEY	Area	Churchyard
Christian Name	Harriett	Row	Plot#B
Year died	1789	Grave	206
Material	Portland	Sketch/Height	
Condition	bad, 90% gone and covered with ivy	Landing stone and ledger stone, 8'6" x 4'6" overall.	
Photo?			
Notes (e.g. FS, mason, lettering)			
	East facing		

INSCRIPTIONS (refer to Millward, position on sketch, or FS) Millward p. 779, tomb #38

Sacred to the memory of / Thomas Rumsey Esq / of this parish who died / Dec 27 1798 aged 27 yrs (sic Millward - perhaps more likely to be 87 yrs)

Harriett Rumsey / wife of the above who died / Jany 3 1789 aged 82 yrs

Amelia Whiteman / daughter of the above & wife of / William Whiteman Esq / died July 9th 1791 aged 46 yrs

Mary Suckling / daughter of the above & widow of / William Suckling Esq / died Nov 11th 1806 aged 68 yrs

Elizabeth Rumsey / daughter of the above / died Nov 19th 1826 aged 82 yrs

1977: almost entirely illegible, can only be picked out by guesswork and from Millward's version. Figures very vague and could be incorrect.

Surveyed on 6.3.1977 by D. G. Le Faye

PTO for further inscriptions and biographical notes.
Also leave one inch margin on right, & 2 x 3 ins for photo bottom left.