

# CEMETERY REGISTERS

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## **Note:**

We have no records for Penn Cemetery, Vicarage Road (opened 1978).

nor

Hall Green Cemetery, Hall Green Street, Bilston (opened 1994).

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**BILSTON CEMETERY**

**NOTE: THOSE ITEMS MARKED \*\* ARE CONSIDERED MOST USEFUL TO FAMILY HISTORIANS**

Bilston Cemetery, Cemetery Lane, Bilston opened in June 1855. It is believed to have closed in 1981.

Record Type	Film No.
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## Registers of Grave Spaces

*The following information is recorded: No. of grave space, description and situation of grave, folio of grant, No. of entry in register of grants of rights of burial, particulars and amount of purchase money, name of person interred, sex, age, interment fees paid, No. in register of burials*

*Note the registers include additions to graves up to the present day.*

Vol 1: 3701 - 5458 and private graves 4146 - 4840 c. 1937 - 1954	FM53
Vol. 2 5459 – 7089, c. 1954 – 1957 and private graves 5724 - 7199 , c. 1949 – 1959	FM54
Vol. 3 Private graves 7200 - 8163 and 2775 – 2902 and EGB & EGA1959 – 1970, 1980s	FM54
Vol. 4 1683GB - 2311GB, 3482GB - 3700, 3002GA - 3481, 3941 - 4145 (c. 1928 - c. 1936)	FM54
Vol. 5 includes new lawn plot and cremation graves 1970s - 1980s	FM54
Vol. 6 Various grave series 19th - 20th cent	FM54

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## Registers of burials in unconsecrated ground\*\*

*The following information is recorded: No. of grave space, description and situation of grave, folio of grant, No. of entry in register of grants of rights of burial, particulars and amount of purchase money, name of person interred, sex, age, interment fees paid, No. in register of burials*

*Note the registers include additions to graves up to the present day.*

*Date buried, No., CB folio, name, age, residence, rank or profession, by whom ceremony performed, manner of burial, No. of grave, remarks*

<b>Mar 1855 - Aug 1872</b>	<b>FM54</b>
<b>Aug 1872 - Feb 1880</b>	<b>FM54</b>
<b>Jan 1880 - Dec 1891</b>	<b>FM55</b>
<b>Dec 1891 - May 1910</b>	<b>FM55</b>
<b>May 1910 - Nov 1927</b>	<b>FM55</b>
<b>Nov 1927 - Feb 1949</b>	<b>FM55</b>
<b>Feb 1949 - May 1965</b>	<b>FM55</b>

*See over for burials in consecrated ground ⇒⇒⇒⇒⇒*

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**Registers of burials in consecrated ground\*\***

*The following information is recorded: No. of grave space, description and situation of grave, folio of grant, No. of entry in register of grants of rights of burial, particulars and amount of purchase money, name of person interred, sex, age, interment fees paid, No. in register of burials*

*Note the registers include additions to graves up to the present day.*

*Date buried, No., CB folio, name, age, residence, rank or profession, by whom ceremony performed, manner of burial, No. of grave, remarks*

<b>Mar 1855 - Feb 1874</b>	<b>FM56</b>
<b>Feb 1874 - Jul 1892</b>	<b>FM56</b>
<b>Jul 1892 - Sep 1905</b>	<b>FM56</b>
<b>Sep 1905 - Mar 1919</b>	<b>FM56</b>
<b>Feb 1919 - Jan 1928</b>	<b>FM56</b>
<b>Dec 1927 - Oct 1936</b>	<b>FM57</b>
<b>Oct 1936 - Jul 1955</b>	<b>FM57</b>
<b>Jul 1955 - Oct 1974</b>	<b>FM57</b>
<b>Oct 1974 - Oct 1980</b>	<b>FM57</b>
<b>Oct 1980 - Feb 1983</b>	<b>FM57</b>
<b>Feb 1983 - Mar 1989</b>	<b>FM57</b>

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Copy registers of burials

Nov 1896 - May 1898	FM58
May 1898 - Apr 1911	FM58

Registers of Interments

Index A-Z 1855 - 1858	FM58
Index A-Z 1966 - 1976	FM58
Index A-R 1966 - 1993	FM58
Index R-Z 1966 - 1993	FM59
Index 1994	FM59

Register of grants of rights of burial

*The following information is recorded: to whom right was granted grave No., date, amount paid, how many bodies plot can hold, dates of burials within the plot.*

Mar 1865 - Sep 1878	FM59
Sep 1878 - May 1891	FM59

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Register of grants of rights of burial (*continued*)

*The following information is recorded: to whom right was granted grave No., date, amount paid, how many bodies plot can hold, dates of burials within the plot.*

May 1891 - Nov 1900	FM59
Mar 1900 - Jan 1910	FM59
Jan 1910 - Jun 1913	FM59
Jun 1913 - Mar 1918	FM60
Mar 1918 - Aug 1924	FM60
Aug 1924 - May 1931	FM60

<p><b>Register of burials in War Graves 1939 – 1945**</b>  <i>The following information is recorded:                  Name, nationality, age, sex, usual abode, force or organisation served, unit, rank and number,                  date of death, place where death occurred, situation of grave, date of burial, by whom                  ceremony performed, notes etc</i></p>	FM60
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**BUSHBURY CEMETERY**

Bushbury Cemetery, Underhill Lane opened in August 1949 and closed in March 1994 (except for cremated remains).

Record Type	Film No.
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## Name indexes

*The following information is recorded: surname and first name, folio on internment register, grave number, grant number*

1949 - 1971 A - Z	FM60
1972 - 1984 A - K (and L 1972 - 1973 only)	FM60
1972 - 1984 L - Z	FM61
1984 - 1994 A - Z	FM61

## Index to cremations

1954 - 1959	FM61
1960 - 1966	FM61
1966 - 1971	FM61
1971 - 1976	FM61
1976 - 1980	FM61
1981 - 1984	FM62
1985 - 1986	FM62
1986 - 1989	FM62

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# BEACON HILL CEMETERY

**NOTE: THOSE ITEMS MARKED \*\* ARE CONSIDERED MOST USEFUL TO FAMILY HISTORIANS**

Beacon Hill Cemetery, Dovedale Road, Wolverhampton opened in September 1960 and closed in March 1992 (except for cremated remains).

Record Type	Film No.
<p>Index to graves 4500 - 4805, 6000-6356 no dates <i>The following information is recorded: No., depth, name, number interred, and grant number.</i></p>	FM62
<p>Index to register of interments 1966 - 1993 <i>This register is arranged by surname and then by year. The following information is recorded: name, folio in interment register, grave number and grant number.</i></p>	FM62
<p><b>Register of burials Aug 1960 - Jun 1972**</b> <i>The following information is recorded: No., name of person buried, occupation, date of death, age, place where occurred, date of burial, by whom ceremony performed, by whom certificate of burial given, section of ground, compartment, grave space, whether consecrated or unconsecrated ground, reference to register of graves, and from what district of parish removed.</i></p>	<b>FM62</b>
<p>Register of grave spaces 1960 - 1992 <i>The following information is recorded: Number of grave space, whether purchased or unpurchased, number in grave register, name, age, dates of interments, and number sin burial register.</i></p>	FM62

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# DANESCOURT CEMETERY

**NOTE: THOSE ITEMS MARKED \*\* ARE CONSIDERED MOST USEFUL TO FAMILY HISTORIANS**

Danescourt Cemetery, Wergs Road, Tettenhall opened in November 1959 (an extension was opened in July 1996).

Record Type	Film No.
Grave index 1986 – 1992  <i>The following information is recorded: No., depth, surname, dates interred and grant number.</i>	FM62
<p><b>Burial register Nov 1959 - Jun 1972**</b></p> <p><i>The following information is recorded: No., name of person buried, abode, rank/profession, sex, age, place where death occurred, date of burial, by whom ceremony performed, by whom certificate given, description and situation of grave, number of grave space, whether consecrated/unconsecrated ground, and from what parish removed.</i></p>	<b>FM62</b>

## Register of grave spaces

*The following information is recorded: no., description (grave, vault or catacomb), situation, entry in register of purchased graves (if applicable), name of person interred, sex, age, date of interment, fees paid, number and folio in register of burials.*

1959 - 1996 Nos 1-608	FM62
1959 - 1996 Nos. 593 - 858, cremated remains X1-X136	FM63
1972 - 1990 Nos. 859 - 1676, various cremated series	FM63
1980 - 1992 CE899 - C3955	FM62

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## MERRIDALE CEMETERY

**NOTE: THOSE ITEMS MARKED \*\* ARE CONSIDERED MOST USEFUL TO FAMILY HISTORIANS**

Merridale Cemetery, Jeffcock Road, Wolverhampton opened in June 1850 and closed in June 1978 (except for cremated remains).

Record Type	Film No.
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## Cemetery registers

*The following information is recorded from 1850 – 1863: No, of grave space, parish from which deceased brought, date of interment, name, age, disease or cause of death, by whom certified, and officiating minister.*

*The following information is recorded from 1877 onwards: register number, date of burial, name of deceased, age, residence, parish in which death occurred, manner of burial (common grave etc), number of grave, and by whom ceremony performed.*

Jul 1850 - May 1863	FM63
Jun 1863 - Dec 1877	FM63
Dec 1877 - Jul 1879	FM64
No records for 1880 - 1903	
Jul 1904 - Nov 1930	FM64
Nov 1930 - Sep 1937	FM64

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## Grants of Exclusive Rights of Burial

*The Grants of Exclusive Rights of Burial record: No., date of grant, name, address and rank/occupation of purchaser, cost, number of burial place on plan, description of grave, whether consecrated or unconsecrated ground, dates of interments and number in register.*

Jun 1850 - Apr 1873	FM65
Sep 1873 - 1886	FM65

## Index to registers

*The indexes to registers record names of persons interred, number and folio in Cemetery Company's register, page and number in Chaplain's register. From 1937 they record name, folio in interment register, grave number and grant number. (dates are approximate)*

1850 – 1856 A – Z	FM65
1856 – 1861 A – Z	FM65
1861 – 1865 A – Z	FM65
1866 – 1892 A - Mer	FM65
1866 – 1892 Mer - Z	FM66
1937	FM66
1937 - 1940 A-Z (X5)	FM66
1940 - 1945 A-Z (X6)	FM66

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Index to registers *(continued)*

*The indexes to registers record names of persons interred, number and folio in Cemetery Company's register, page and number in Chaplain's register. From 1937 they record name, folio in interment register, grave number and grant number. (dates are approximate)*

1945 – 1954 A-Z	FM66
1955 – 1960 A-Z	FM66
1961 – 1965 A-Z	FM66
1965 – 1979 A-Z	FM66
1980 – 1994 A-Z	FM66

**Chaplain's Registers\*\***

*The Chaplain's registers record: when buried, name, age, late residence, rank, occupation, by whom ceremony performed, manner of burial (common grave etc), number of grave.*

<b>Jun 1850 – Feb 1852</b>	<b>FM66</b>
<b>Feb 1852 – Jun 1853</b>	<b>FM67</b>
<b>Jun 1853 – Feb 1857</b>	<b>FM67</b>
<b>Feb 1857 – Oct 1858</b>	<b>FM67</b>
<b>Oct 1858 – Feb 1859</b>	<b>FM68</b>
<b>Feb 1859 – Dec 1862</b>	<b>FM68</b>

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**Chaplain's Registers (*continued*)\*\***

*The Chaplain's registers record: when buried, name, age, late residence, rank, occupation, by whom ceremony performed, manner of burial (common grave etc), number of grave.*

<b>Dec 1862 – Oct 1866</b>	<b>FM68</b>
<b>Oct 1866 - Dec 1867</b>	<b>FM69</b>
<b>Jan 1868 - Jul 1872</b>	<b>FM69</b>
<b>Jul 1872 - Sep 1875</b>	<b>FM69</b>
<b>Sep 1875 - Jun 1877</b>	<b>FM70</b>
<b>Jun 1877 - May 1883</b>	<b>FM70</b>
<b>May 1883 - May 1884</b>	<b>FM70</b>
<b>May 1884 - Dec 1889</b>	<b>FM71</b>
<b>Jan 1890 - Jul 1894</b>	<b>FM71</b>
<b>Jul 1894 - Aug 1896</b>	<b>FM72</b>
<b>Aug 1896 - Jul 1903</b>	<b>FM72</b>
<b>Jul 1903 - Jun 1904</b>	<b>FM72</b>
<b>Jun 1904 - Nov 1911</b>	<b>FM73</b>
<b>Nov 1911 - Jun 1917</b>	<b>FM73</b>

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**MERRIDALE CEMETERY**

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**Chaplain's Registers (continued)\*\***

*The Chaplain's registers record: when buried, name, age, late residence, rank, occupation, by whom ceremony performed, manner of burial (common grave etc), number of grave.*

<b>Jun 1917 - Jan 1921</b>	<b>FM74</b>
<b>Jan 1921 - Jul 1932</b>	<b>FM74</b>
<b>Jul 1932 - Nov 1934</b>	<b>FM75</b>
<b>Nov 1934 - Sep 1937</b>	<b>FM75</b>

**General registers\*\***

*The general registers 1850 - 1872 record: No, of grave space, parish from which deceased brought, date of interment, name, age, disease or cause of death, by whom certified, and officiating minister. From 1872 onwards record: register number, date of burial, name of deceased, age, residence, parish in which death occurred, manner of burial (common grave etc), number of grave, and by whom ceremony performed.*

<b>Jun 1850 - Dec 1862</b>	<b>FM75</b>
<b>Jan 1863 - Dec 1869</b>	<b>FM75</b>
<b>Dec 1869 - Oct 1872</b>	<b>FM76</b>
<b>Oct 1872 - Jun 1894</b>	<b>FM76</b>
<b>Jul 1894 - Jan 1915</b>	<b>FM77</b>
<b>Jan 1915 - Sep 1937</b>	<b>FM77</b>

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# MERRIDALE CEMETERY

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## Interment ledgers

*The interment ledger records: No. of grave, folio in order book, name, residence, date of funeral, fee etc*

Jan 1916 - Apr 1917	FM77
Apr 1917 - Dec 1928	FM78

## Register of service burials\*\*

*The register of service burials records: No. of entry, date of death, name, age, sex, nationality, unit, number, rank, register number, cause of death, date of burial, place of death, place of burial, grave number, by whom ceremony performed. At the back of this volume is a list of war graves to be maintained annually.*

Oct 1939 - Oct 1947	FM78
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