

# Heber DERBYSHIRE



Baptised: 24 April 1859

Died: 31 May 1914

*STONE MASON  
CHURCH CLERK & SEXTON*



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*In loving memory of*  
**HEBER DERBYSHIRE**  
*who died Whit Sunday May 31st 1914*  
*aged 55 yrs R.I.P.*

*A l s o*  
**MARY ELLEN** *wife of the above*  
*who died May 4th 1926 aged 74 yrs.*  
*Also VICTORIA beloved*  
*wife of DOUGLAS died June 20th 1955 aged 68*  
*yrs*  
*Also DOUGLAS their son and*  
*loving husband of VICTORIA died March 13th*  
*1947 aged 60. (B238)*

Baptism: 24 April 1859 St Mark, Worsley.

**Heber Derbyshire** - Son of Samuel Derbyshire & Ann

Abode: Worsley

Occupation: Mason

Baptised by: S. Vincent Beechey

1859	April	Heber	Samuel	Derbyshire	Worsley	Mason	Vincent Beechey
	24 <sup>th</sup>	Son of	&				S.C.
No. 314			Ann				

[Brother of Frederick Derbyshire, q.v., baptised 17 June 1855]

*The Whitby Gazette* on Saturday 18 August 1877 published some rare yet interesting information on its first page. There were 6 columns of people's names under the heading List of Visitors - people who were visiting the Whitby area and the places where they were staying. At Sandsend, about 4 miles north of Whitby on the coast, appears the information *At Mrs. Collin's - Mr. Heber Derbyshire, Worsley.* Interestingly, there were several people from Worsley staying in that area. Could it be that it was because it was the home of the second rector the Earl Mulgrave?

**1881** census: 3 Mill Brow, Worsley.

Ann Derbyshire	Head	W	50	Domestic Duties
<b>Heber</b>	Son	S	20	Stone Mason
Gertrude	Daur.	S	18	Pupil Teacher
Beatrice	Daur.	S	16	Pupil Teacher
Frank	Son	S	12	Scholar
Lilian	Daur.	S	7	Scholar

1881. Marriage solemnized at <i>S. Mark's Church</i> in the <i>Parish</i> of <i>Worsley</i> in the County of <i>Leicester</i> .								
No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
400	November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<i>Heber Derbyshire</i>	22	Bachelor	Mason	<i>Worsley</i>	<i>Samuel Derbyshire</i>	Mason
		<i>Mary Ellen Smith</i>	27	Spinster	-	<i>Worsley</i>	<i>Anthony Smith</i>	Mechanic
Married in the <i>Parish Church</i> according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by <i>James Royce</i> or after <i>Canon Mulgrave</i> by me,								
This Marriage was solemnized between us,		<i>Heber Derbyshire</i> <i>Mary Ellen Smith</i>		in the Presence of us,		<i>James Royce</i> <i>Thomas Alton Smith</i> <i>Agnes Derbyshire</i> <i>Gertrude Derbyshire</i>		

The Leigh Chronicle printed an interesting short article on Friday 6 December 1889 under the heading:

*Married Women's Tea Party at Boothstown*

The married ladies attending Boothstown Church held tea party on Saturday evening in the school. There were large numbers at the tea which was thoroughly enjoyed. After tea, Mrs. Peel, of Drywood, presided, and gave a pithy address. The following programme was afterwards gone through: Song and chorus, the choir; song, "Carrie Lee," Mrs. Miller; song, "Those Chiming Bells of Long Ago," Mrs. Houghton; recitation. Airs. Carrington; song, Mrs. Heber Derbyshire; song, "Call back again," Mrs. J. Aldred; duet, "Lightly Tread," Mrs. Ledward and Mrs. Rigby; song, "Barney, take me home," Mrs. W. Hilton; dialogue, "Owd Crusty;" glee, "Mark the Merry Elves," the choir; song, "Barney," Mia, Clare; song, "White Wings," Aim. Smith; recitation, "Crossing the River," Mrs. J. Hilton; song, "Cottage by the Sex," Mrs. Lord; recitation, Mrs. Carrington; duet, "Hunting Tower," Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Clare; dialogue, "Toy Drinking;" song, "Some Folks," Mrs. Miller; song, "Riding on Loads of Hay," Mrs. Houghton; song, "Time may steal the Roses," Mrs. Clare; song, "Somebody's waiting for me," Mrs. Aldred; Doxology. A vote of thanks was given by the President at the close. The proceeds amounted to £28.

1891 census: 10 Mill Brow, Worsley.

<b>Heber Derbyshire</b>	Head	M	32	Parish Clerk & Sexton & Stone Mason
<b>Mary E.</b>	Wife	M	36	
Katherine	Daur.		8	Scholar
Samuel	Son		6	Scholar
Douglas	Son		4	Scholar

On Friday 13 December 1901, the Manchester Courier printed the following letter from Heber Derbyshire:

**WORSLEY BOYS' SCHOOL.**

To the Editor of the "Manchester Courier."

Sir.—Through the medium of your paper, I should glad if you will kindly allow me to call the attention of all old scholars of Worsley Boys' School to the fact that movement is foot to erect suitable memorial to perpetuate the memory of the late Mr. John Baldwin, who for 49 years was the master of the above-named school. A public meeting has been held and committee appointed carry the matter on, and the would glad to receive the names and addresses of all scholars interested and who would like to subscribe. Another public meeting will be held to decide what form the memorial shall take, and to which all old scholars are cordially invited.—Yours. &c, **HEBER DERBYSHIRE,**  
Manor House,

*Worsley. Hon. Sec.*

The Parish Burial Records show this burial:

Burial: 16 November **1901** St Mark, Worsley.

John Baldwin

Age: 82 years

Abode: Ivy Cottage, Worsley

Grave: D 399

Notes: Full

Buried by: F.K. Hodgkinson

**1911** census: Manor House, Worsley.

<b>Heber Derbyshire</b>	Head	M	52	Monumental Stone Mason	b. Worsley
<b>Mary Ellen</b>	Wife	M	56	(married 29 years; 3 children)	b. Galgate
Samuel	Son	S	26	Clerk (Cashier)	b. Worsley
Douglas	Son	S	24	Draughtsman (Loco. eng.)	b. Worsley

**1911** Slater's Directory

**Derbyshire Heber**, mon. mason, The Delph, Worsley Road, Worsley.

*The Manchester Evening News* for 1 June **1914** announced his death:

*DERBYSHIRE.— On Whit Sunday, May 31, at The Green, Worsley, **HEBER DERBYSHIRE** (for 34 years Parish Clerk and Sexton of St. Mark's Church, Worsley), aged 55 years. Interment 3 p.m.. Wed., June 3rd.*

*It was a great pleasure to read of his connection to the church and his involvement in its running for 34 years as Parish Clerk and Sexton..*

Burial: 3 June **1914** St Mark, Worsley.

**Heber Derbyshire**

Age: 55

Abode: The Green, Worsley

Grave: B 238

Buried by: C.B. Hulton

**DERBYSHIRE** Heber of 7 The Green Worsley **Lancashire**  
master monumental mason died 31 May 1914 Probate  
**Manchester** 10 July to Mary Ellen Derbyshire widow.  
Effects £350 16s. 2d.

Burial: 7 May **1926** St Mark, Worsley.

**Mary Ellen Derbyshire**

Age: 74 years

Abode: Cottage, New Hall, Worsley

Grave: B 238

Buried by: H.W. Thorne



