

## EVANS, BENJAMIN (1816 - 1886), Baptist minister and author

**Name:** Benjamin Evans  
**Date of birth:** 1816  
**Date of death:** 1886  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** Baptist minister and author  
**Area of activity:** Literature and Writing; Religion  
**Author:** Robert Thomas Jenkins

Born at Dre-fach, Carmarthenshire, 2 November 1816, but his parents removed to Tredegar. He was at Pontypool Baptist College (1839-42), and afterwards ministered at Hirwaun (1842-57), at Aberdare (1857-61), and at Neath (1861-86). He wrote much in periodicals, and from 1860 till 1869 was joint editor of the Baptist monthly *Y Gwyliodysedd*. He died 4 November 1886.

### Author

**Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins**, (1881 - 1969)

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