

GRUFFYDD, ' Syr ' SION (died 1586?), poet and chaplain

Name: Sion Gruffydd
Date of death: 1586?
Gender: Male
Occupation: poet and chaplain
Area of activity: Poetry; Religion
Author: Ray Looker

to William ap Sir Rhys Thomas, a commander who served under the earl of Leicester in the Low Countries and who was killed at Zutphen in 1586. It is surmised that the poet died at the same time. At least two of his poems have been preserved, one a religious carol and the other a better known carol of longing for Caernarvon, composed when the poet was in Flanders.

Author

Ray Looker

Sources

NLW Archives: [NLW MS 1559B](#) (260, 309)

W. J. Gruffydd, *Y Flodeugerdd Gymraeg* (1931), 131

Additional Links

Wikidata: [Q20733111](#)

Published date: 1959

Article Copyright: <http://rightsstatements.org/page/InC-RUU/1.0/>

The Dictionary of Welsh Biography is provided by The National Library of Wales and the University of Wales Centre for Advanced Welsh and Celtic Studies. It is free to use and does not receive grant support. A donation would help us maintain and improve the site so that we can continue to acknowledge Welsh men and women who have made notable contributions to life in Wales and beyond.

Find out more on our [sponsorship page](#).



APA Citation



Looker, R., (1959). GRUFFYDD, ' Syr ' SION (died 1586?), poet and chaplain. *Dictionary of Welsh Biography*. Retrieved 15 Nov 2024, from <https://biography.wales/article/s-GRUF-SIO-1586>

Copy to Clipboard

LGC
NLW

LLYFRGEL
THE NATION



Ysgrifeddiadau
Llywodraeth Cymru
Copied by
Welsh Government