

## MAREDUDD ab OWAIN ap HYWEL DDA (died 999), king of Deheubarth

**Name:** Maredudd ab Owain ap Hywel Dda

**Date of death:** 999

**Child:** Angharad ferch Maredudd ab Owain

**Gender:** Male

**Occupation:** king of Deheubarth

**Area of activity:** Military; Politics, Government and Political Movements; Royalty and Society

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He succeeded his aged father as sole ruler of Deheubarth in 986, and in the same year repeated the achievement of his grandfather by reuniting Gwynedd and Deheubarth for the period of his reign. In spite of domestic disharmony, he impressed contemporaries by his bold and aggressive leadership against Saxon and Dane. His greatest claim to fame rests, perhaps, on his relationship to [Gruffudd ap Llywelyn](#), whose mother, Angharad, was Maredudd's daughter.

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**Professor Thomas Jones Pierce**, (1905 - 1964)

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J. E. Lloyd, *A History of Wales from the Earliest Times to the Edwardian Conquest*(London 1911), Vol. I

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