

Ginny & Mike

Paid £62.50

17/9/87

A large, stylized handwritten signature in blue ink, possibly reading 'R. S.' or similar, with a flourish underneath.

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Mr. Carole.

1000.00 for Mr. A. Wood.
2 West Park
Staverton.
Opp. Giller Field.

R 21/8

16 COTSWOLD WAY
CARTERTON
OXFORD
OX2 3BE

14.08.87.

Dear Reg Trant,

Thank you so much for your lovely letter dated 26.07.87. I apologise for not writing before but we were not sure which dates to have the 'barnes' read.

I shall be coming down to Devon on the 28th August until the 1st of September so hopefully I will see you then. Would it be possible for the 'barnes' to be read on the 30th August, 5th September or the 13th September? That way I will be able to be in church at least once to hear them !!

I shall be writing to Mr. Cardale shortly but I do not think that we will be able to see him until the week before the wedding. We will probably combine the

P.T.O.

meeting with a rehearsal.

Anyway, thank you again & I hope to see you soon!

Gunny & Mike

WEDDING.

SATURDAY

SEP. 19th 1987

2.30, RINGMORE.

Virginia house

~~For~~ Virginia Louise Hearnden

~~Ginny~~ Hearndenth_h

&

Michael.

M(iko?) Honey

"both of this parish."

Mrs Hearnden
Polston Park
Modbury
Ivybridge
PL 21 0SB

9 830 474

WMP 2/8/87

Mrs & Mr's R. Trant

The pleasure of your
company is requested
on the evening of
19th September Time.....7.30/8.00 pm.

Place.....The Mill,
.....Aronwick

We hope you can join us
From.....Ginny & Mike.....
R.S.P.....Palstan Park
by 3/ August 1987 Madbury
Down



Jean
Hearnden

G 830 474

Polston Park

Modbury

Ivybridge

PL 21 @ SB

Dear Ginny

Mr. Cardale, the Vicar of Staverton, took me to see Mr. Wood yesterday, with your letter. He warned me as we went up the path that we would find Mr. Wood very frail; he thought that he had had a minor stroke, if not two and he wondered very much if he would feel able to come to Ringmore since he had refused to take his great-niece's wedding last month. As he had said, we did find Mr. Wood frail - in fact he had been slightly ill just before we arrived; however he settled down and read your letter with care and, after some chat, he said that, if he was still here by September, he would come over with pleasure.

So there you are! Frankly, it could well be that he won't be with us by then but, as Mr. Cardale said afterwards, it will give him something to look forward to and even if he died shortly afterwards, it would do him good to come.

Mr. Cardale has promised to fetch him over - and take him back - and to stand with him so that he can "tie the knot". Even if Mr. Wood is no longer with us, or is unable to come by then, Mr. Cardale will come for the wedding, so we don't have to worry about getting a stand-in at short notice. He would be very happy to see you and Michael for a rehearsal or just to run through the service with you, if you would like to do so. If so, I suggest that you might ^{arrange to} call in on your way down from Oxfordshire ^{at a mutually convenient} ^{in some time} (he has recently had four more parishes added to Staverton & Landscove). His address is

The Rev. Mr. C.A. Cardale, The Vicarage, Staverton, Totnes, TQ9 6NZ
Tel. Staverton (080 ~~226~~ 426) 277

and you will find him very easy to get on with and very fond of Mr. Wood

He will be on holiday until after August 14th

MISS V.L. HEARDEN

16 COTSWOLD WAY

CARTERTON

OXFORD

OX8 3BE

12th July 1987.

Dear Reverend Wood,

I hope you are keeping well. I think to begin

I'd better clarify who I am. My Parents are Jan & Chas Hearden who used to run the Ringmore Post Office & Stores when you were living in the village.

My fiance is Michael Honey whose parents also live in the village. I don't know if you remember but he did a project on Ringmore once & you were a great help to him when you showed him the church records.

Anyway, we are getting married on the 19th September at 2.30pm, at Ringmore Parish Church and it would please us greatly if you could conduct part of the wedding service for us as we both have very pleasant memories of your period as Reverend of Ringmore.

If it was possible for you to do this, it would mean ~~me~~ an awful lot to us as Special Day.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Hearden

Virginia (Ginny) Hearden.

The Reverend Wood

410 Mr. R. TRANT

THE VEAN

RINGHORE

N^o. Kingsbridge

S. Devon

The Parish Church of Saint Paul de Leon

Staverton, Totnes, South Devon

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The Reverend C A Cardale BA (Lamp)
The Vicarage
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Tel 277

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Monday 8th December
1986

Dear Mr ~~Trant~~ ^{9/12 Mrs Handen told 9/12}
^{"Sweet" R?}

Ack'd w. ltr.
9/12

Many thanks for your letter. I have marked Saturday 19th September 2-30pm Rungmist in my diary, & look forward to hearing from you again.

Alex is off to Spain in January for a month. He goes with a netd colleague, & this time (the 3rd!) they are renting a friend's holiday home. We all think it's highly amusing & just wonderful for them both.

Yours sincerely

P. A. Cardale

1 Dec 1986

Try if your help on the telephone ~~yesterday~~ ^{today}. I have spoken to the girl's mother & as I thought, it turns out that she was a choirgirl with Alex Wood for a number of years and he is the only 'Rector' for her especially as she has been working away from the village for some years. Her mother was very touched when I said that you had offered to "hold Mr. Wood's hand" because she ~~says~~ ^{knows} that know how much it would mean to her; she agrees that September is a long way off and that nothing should be said at the present time, but does hope that it may be possible for Mr. Wood to take part. So would it be possible for you to pencil in "Saturday 19 September 2.30 pm at Ringmore, just in case?" ^{in sanctuary}

If this is quite absurd, I am sure that they will understand.

Meanwhile we shall do nothing about getting in touch with Mr. Wood and I shall only make a note in the "next incumbent's" file about the date ^{etc} ~~date~~. (I hope he takes it out and not me!)

W. Cardale V. of Staveston
~~W. Cardale V. of Staveston~~

Replied (30/11?)
Ret.

16 COTSWOLD WAY
CARTERTON
OXFORD
OX8 3BE

27.11.86.

DEAR MR TRANT,

I am writing to enquire whether or not it would be possible to book Ringmore Parish church on the 19th September 1987 at 2.30 p.m. for my marriage to Mr. H. Honey.

I would also like to ask the Rev. Wood (a previous 'vicar' of Ringmore) to perform the ceremony & I would be grateful if you could tell me how I would get permission for him to do so.

Should you have any further queries or information could you please contact my mother Mrs. Jean Heamden of Hillside, Ringmore.

Thank you for your help & I look forward to hearing from you

Yours sincerely
Ginny Hor

Statutory Fees and those fixed by PCC

Marriage Service in this Church

Minister - calling of Banns	3.50	
Conducting service	18.00	
Marriage Certificate	<u>2.00</u>	23.50
P.C.C. Banns	1.00	
Marriage Service	18.00	
Bells maintenance	<u>5.00</u>	24.00
Organist	6.00	
Churchwarden in attendance	4.00	
Bell ringer	5.00	
		<u>15.00</u>
	<u>62.50</u>	

Put in another way - for the couple - see below

Annus -

19 Sept.

? Ask Im about Bells. -

Fees

Choir. ? Margaret & Eric. ~~the~~ Choir
Bells etc.

? Marriage by ~~Separate~~
? Travelling Expenses for parson. ||

Michael Honey Bachelor
Virginia Louise Hearnden Spinster.

inc. "Obey" (B)

Banns to be called in ^{late August} September. $\frac{30}{8} / \frac{6}{9} / \frac{13}{9}$

Cleaning up after - confetti!! ?

Chairs ready for bridesmaids (progress)

Rehearsal wanted Cardale at Staverston??

993 876 277

Tuesday 7.

11.30
45

The Rev. Alec Wood died
on Tuesday 25 August 1987.
Father Cardale will still come & take wedding.

Marriage after Banns

Fee payable to the Church Authorities for the ceremony 36.00

(i) Fee for publication of Banns 4.50

(ii) " " "

For a certificate of marriage issued
at the time of registration

2.0

42.50

Bells maintenance 8.00

Bell ringer 5.00

Organist 6.00

C/w in attendance 4

~~20.00~~

20

62.50

RINGMORE

MARRIAGES. If marriage is in another Church:-

Minister - Calling of Banns	3.50	3.50	
Issuing Banns Certificate	2.50	5.00	6
PCC - Calling of Banns		1.00	
		<u>£7.00</u>	

Marriage Service in this Church:-

Minister - Calling of Banns	4.00 3.50	3.50	
Conducting Service	18.00		
Marriage Certificate	2.00	23.50	
PCC - Banns	1.00		
Marriage Service	18.00	24.00	
Bells maintenance	5.00	18.50	*See note below re Heating.
Organist -		6.00	
Churchwarden in attendance -		4.00	
Bell Ringer -		5.00	
		<u>£55.00</u>	

*PCC may charge extra £5 towards cost of heating.

FUNERALS. Service in Church followed immediately by burial in Churchyard:-

Minister -	10.50
PCC -	21.50
Organist -	6.00
Churchwarden in attendance -	4.00
Tolling bell -	1.00
	<u>£43.00</u>

Service in Church before going to Crematorium:-

Minister -	10.50
PCC -	3.50
Organist -	6.00
Churchwarden in attendance -	4.00
Tolling bell -	1.00
	<u>£25.00</u>

THERE IS NO
FEE FOR BURIAL
OF A STILL-BORN
INFANT.

Burial of Ashes:-

Minister -	6.00
PCC -	14.00
Churchwarden in attendance -	4.00
	<u>£24.00</u>

If Churchwarden is not in attendance his fee goes to his deputy or to PCC. ?

All fees may be upgraded and a new Table issued by the Ecclesiastical authorities in January 1987.

Circular GRO No.1A/1987

GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE
St Catherines House
10 Kingsway
London WC2B 6JP

February 1987

Clergy of the Church of England
and the Church in Wales

Dear Sir

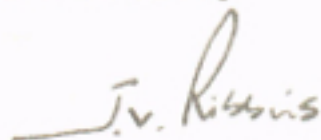
REVISED REGISTRATION FEES

1. The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees) Order 1987, now laid before Parliament, revises some of the fees payable under the Marriage and Registration Acts.
2. You may wish to note that the fees in respect of civil preliminaries to marriage will be revised from 1 April 1987 including:

	Present fee	Fee from 1 April 1987
For entering a notice of marriage (two notices need to be given if the parties reside in different registration districts)	£8.00	£10.00

3. A replacement page for Appendix O of the booklet "Suggestions for the Guidance of the Clergy" is enclosed showing all the revised fees.

Yours faithfully



J V Ribbins
Deputy Registrar General

APPENDIX O

TABLE OF FEES (in force at 1 April 1987)

For every entry in quarterly certified copies from marriage registers	£ 1.20
For a certificate of marriage issued	
(a) at the time of registration	£ 2.00
(b) subsequently	£ 5.00
For a certificate of marriage issued for certain statutory purposes (as listed in Part V paragraph 5)	£ 1.50*
For a certificate of name given in baptism issued under S13 of the Births and Deaths Registration Act 1953 (see Part VI paragraph I)	£ 1.00
For a short certificate of baptism issued under S2 of Baptismal Registers Measure 1961 (see Part VI paragraph 5)	£ 1.00*
For a full certificate of baptism issued under S20 of the Parochial Registers and Records Measure 1978	£ 2.50*
Fees for marriage according to the rites of the Church of England	
Fee payable to the Church Authorities for the ceremony	£36.00*
Marriage after Banns	
(i) Fee for publication of Banns	£ 4.50*
(ii) Fee for certificate of Banns	£ 2.50*
Marriage by Common Licence	
Fee for licence	£26.00*
Marriage by Special Licence	
Fee payable at the Faculty Office	£50.00
Marriage by superintendent registrar's certificate	
(i) For attending at the residence of a house-bound or detained person to attest notice of marriage	£24.00
(ii) For entering a notice of marriage	£10.00
(two notices are required to be given if the parties reside in different registration districts)	
Fees for marriage otherwise than according to the rites of the Church of England	
Marriage by superintendent registrar's certificate	
(i) For attending at the residence of a house-bound or detained person to attest notice of marriage	£24.00
(ii) For entering a notice of marriage	£10.00
(two notices are required to be given if the parties reside in different registration districts)	
(iii) For the attendance of a superintendent registrar at the residence of a house-bound or detained person	£24.00
(iv) For the attendance of a registrar in a register office	£11.00
(v) For the attendance of a registrar in a registered building, where required	£20.00
(vi) For the attendance of a registrar at the residence of a house-bound or detained person	£20.00
Marriage by superintendent registrar's certificate and licence	
(i) For entering a notice of marriage	£10.00
(ii) For the issue of the licence	£28.00
(iii) For the attendance of a registrar in a register office	£11.00
(iv) For the attendance of a registrar in a registered building, where required	£20.00
Marriage by Registrar General's licence	
Total fees payable to the Registrar General	£15.00

* These fees do not apply statutorily to the Church in Wales