

## Clashacrow Cemetery

Townland: Clashacrow  
 Parish: Freshford  
 Ownership: McCheane Family  
 Rothe House No: TG08b  
 BG No: 165  
 RMP No: 13-51-02  
 Geolocation: E 642207, N 663233 (ITM)  
 52.718557, -7.375264 (WGS 84)  
 Surveyed by: Mrs Margaret M. Phelan and Mrs Madge Buggy  
 Survey Date: 1968

**Foreword:** by M. M. Phelan

Clashacrow is about 2 miles south of Freshford. It was an ancient ecclesiastical parish with a small 13<sup>th</sup> century church. The church has been renovated and is now owned by the McCheane family. The graveyard is immediately behind the church. It is now maintained by the McCheane family as a burial ground and a fernery. Ten legible tomb stones were found.

### Inscriptions:

Name	Tomb No.	Inscription
Bowden (1)	1	Erected by William Bowden of the Dinan in memory of his mother, Alicia Bowden alias Buggy who died Aug 1833 aged 60, also his father Richard Bowden who died 1835 aged 65 years.
Bowden (2)	2	Erected by Mr William May and his sister Mrs Mary Delaney in memory of their uncle Mr Thomas Bowden, Merchant of Kilkenny. Note: Shearman's Commercial Directory, 1839 – Thomas Bowden, Grocer & Spirit Dealer, Tobacco & Snuff Manufacturer, Butts Green & Dean Street, Kilkenny.
Cass	3	Erected by Nicholas Cass in memory of his son William Cass who died Feb 7 <sup>th</sup> 1824 aged 36.
Clear	4	Erected by James Clear, Carrigeen in memory of his wife, Julia alias Duggan who died 1813 aged 35.
Butler	5	Here lyes Richard Butler who died 1721 Aug 31 <sup>st</sup> and Elizabeth his wife

		alias Kyravan who died 1740 also a son, Lines Butler died 1772 aged 60.
Keoghan (1)	6	Here lye ye body of Judith Keoghan alias Henecy who died June, 1800 aged 75 years, also in memory of her daughter Mary Keoghan died 1798 aged 35.
Keoughan (2)	7	Erected by William Keoughan in memory of his wife Mary alias Tracy died 1788.
Keoughan (3)	8	Richard Keoughan died April 1724 aged 65. His wife Elizabeth died Feb 1750 aged 82, also Martin Keoughan died 1767 aged 31. R.I.P. Erected by Laurence Keoughan in memory of his son, Patrick died Oct 1801 aged 18.
Keoghan (4)	9	Erected by Pierce Keoghan in memory of his wife, Margaret alias Lanigan who died 1776 aged 50.
Warring	10	Erected by Thomas Warring in memory of his mother Mrs Margaret Warring who died Sept 1818, also his father Mr Wm. Murphy died March 13 <sup>th</sup> 1801 aged 65.

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Name	Embedded & Referenced Names	Tomb No.
Bowden (1)	Buggy	1
Bowden (2)	May & Delaney	2
Buggy	See Bowden (1)	1
Butler	Kyravan	5
Cass		3
Clear	Duggan	4
Delaney	See Bowden (2)	
Duggan	See Clear	4
Henesy	See Keoghan (1)	6
Keoghan (1)	Henecy	6
Keoghan (4)	Lanigan	9
Keoughan (2)	Tracy	7
Keoughan (3)		8
Kyravan	See Butler	5
Lanigan	See Keoghan (4)	9
May	See Bowden (2)	
Murphy	See Warring	10
Tracy	See Keoughan (2)	7
Warring	Murphy	10