

Famous Aberdonians

Title	First name(s)	Surname	Dates	Notes
	Cosmo	Alexander	1724-1772	Portrait Painter, Traveller
	William	Alexander	1826-1894	(Commemorative Plaque) Novelist, Writer and Journalist
	Dorothea	Alison	1754-1830	
	John Robertson	Allan	1906-1886	Novelist, Journalist
	Alexander	Allardyce	1846-1896	Journalist, Historian
	Robert	Alves	1745-1794	Poet
Sir	Alexander	Anderson	1802-1887	Lawyer, Lord Provost, instrumental in North of Scotland Assurance Co & Bank, new market/Market Street, gas company, railways,
	William	Anderson	1805-1866	Grammar school, CALA
	Paul	Anderson		Journalist, Author
	John Henry	Anderson	1814-1874	Fiddler
	Marion Emily	Angus	1865-1946	Magician
	Colin	Angus	1961-	Poet
	John	Arbuthnott	1667-1735	Founding member of "The Shamen"
	Robert	Arnot	1487-1568	Satirist, Physician
	Robert	Aspland	1782-1845	Composer
	Eric	Auld		Journal Editor, Unitarian Minister
	Tim	Baillie	b. 1979	Artist, FRSA
	Dugald	Baird	1899-1986	Olympian, Canoeist
	May	Baird	1901-1983	(Commemorative plaque) Obstetrician / Medical pioneer
	Jon	Baird	b. 1971	(Commemorative plaque) Social pioneer and champion of health service improvements
	John	Barbour	1330-1395	Director
	William	Barclay	1570-1627	(Commemorative Plaque) Ecclesiastic Historian (Poet/Author)
	James Matthew	Barrie	1960-1937	Medical Writer, Latin Poet
	Johanna	Basford	b 1983	(Kirriemuir, Angus) Author
	Philip Argall Turner	Bate	1909-1999	Illustrator and textile designer
	Edward	Baynard	1641-1717	Musicologist
	Peter	Bayne	1830-1896	Poet, Physician
	Robert	Beatson	1741-1818	Journalist, Author
	James	Beattie	1735-1803	Writer, Army Officer
	James Hay	Beattie	1768-1790	Poet, Philosopher
	James Gordon	Bennett	1795-1872	Writer, University Teacher
	Leslie	Benzies	b. 1971	Newspaper Editor, Publisher
	Ian	Black	b. 1941	Video game producer, President of Rockstar North
	Sheena	Blackhall	1947-	Swimmer
	Elizabeth	Blackwell	1707-1758	Author
	James	Blyth	1839-1906	Botanical Author, Artist - artist and engraver for the plates of "A Curious Herbal", published between 1737 and 1738
	Walford (Samuel Murphy)	Bodie	1869-1939	(Marykirk) Built first wind turbine used to generate electricity
	Hector	Boece	1465-1536	Magician
	Joseph	Bosworth	1787-1876	First Principal of University
	Alexander	Bower	1774-1837	Old English scholar
Lord	John	Boyd Orr	1880-1971	Writer, Minister of the Relief Church
	Ellis	Brandt	1830-1896	(Commemorative Plaque) Nutritionist. Founder Rowett Institute. Nobel Peace Prize
	Alexander	Brodie	1829-1867	Journalist, Author
	William	Brodie	1815-1881	Sculptor
	Mary Watson	Brooksbank	1897-1978	Sculptor
	Robert John Cameron	Brough	1872-1905	Revolutionary, Songwriter
	Meredith	Brown	1845-1908	Portrait Painter
	James	Browne	1793-1841	(Commemorative Plaque) Social reformer and Founder of The Shaftesbury Institute
	George Robert	Bruce	1909-2002	Newspaper Editor, Journalist
	James	Bruce	1808-1861	Poet, Critic, Radio and Television Producer
	Richard Henry	Brunton	1841-1901	Journalist, Author
	Peter	Buchan	1790-1854	Father of Japanese lighthouses
	Martin	Buchan	b. 1949	Historian, Folksong Collector
	David	Buchanan	1745-1812	Footballer
				Printer, Publisher

	John	Bulloch	1805-1882	Brass Finisher, Literary Scholar
	John Hill	Burton	1809-1881	
Lord	George Gordon Noel	Byron	1788-1824	Poet
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Very Reverend	David Smith	Cairns	1862-1946	(Commemorative Plaque) Theologian
	John	Calder	1733-1815	Author
	Charles	Cameron		Architect
	William	Cameron	1751-1811	Poet
	David	Carry	1981	Olympic swimmer
	Robert	Carver	1487-1568	Composer
	Pete	Cashmore	b. 1985	CEO of blog Mashable
	James	Cassie	1819-1879	Painter
Sir	Graeme	Catto	1945	Professor Emeritus/Academic
Lady	Jane	Catto		Lawyer
Sir	Henry Richard Amherst	Cecil	1943-	Horse Trainer
	Ronald	Center	1913-1973	(Commemorative plaque) Composer
	Alexander	Chalmers	1759-1834	Biographer, Literary Editor
	David	Chalmers	1778-1859	Printer, Publisher
	James	Chalmers	1713-1764	Printer, Publisher - see also Aberdeen Journa
	James	Chalmers	1742-1810	Printer, Publisher
	Michael	Clark	1962-	Dancer, Choreographer
	Catharine	Cockburn (nee Trotter)	1674-1749	
	George	Colman (the younger)	1762-1836	
Sir	John Ninian	Comper	1864-1960	(Commemorative Plaque) Church Architect
	Bob	Cooney	1908-1984	(Commemorative Plaque) Radical Politician, fought for International Brigades in Spanish Civil War
	James	Cowie	1886-1956	(Commemorative Plaque) Artist and Head of Painting Gray's School of Art
	John	Crab	1342-1385	Burgess of Aberdeen
	Jennifer	Craw		Lawyer and Marketing, 1st female Chair of a University board in Scotland
	John	Cruickshank	1920	Last surviving winner of the Victoria Cross in WW2
	Andrew John Maxton	Cruickshank	1907-1988	Actor in Dr. Finlay's casebook
	Anne	Davidson	1937-2008	Sculptor and artist
	John Colin Campbell	Davidson	1889-1970	Civil servant, politician
	Robert	Davidson	1804-1894	Built first known electric locomotive
	William	Davidson	1854-1921	Architect
	Robert	Demaus	1829-1874	Schoolmaster, Biographer
	Martin	Dickie	b 1983	Brewdog Founder (see also James Watt)
	Donald	Dinnie	1837-1916	Strongman
	George	Donald		"Scotland the What?"
	Francis	Douglas	1719-1790	Writer
	Sonia	Dresdel	1909-1976	
	Finlay	Dun	1795-1853	Composer, Violinist
	William Augustine	Duncan	1811-1885	Newspaper Editor, Customs Official in Australia
	James Bruce	Duncan	1848-1917	Folksong collector, Minister of United Free Church of Scotland
	Jock	Duncan		Bothy Ballad Singer
	William	Dyce	1806-1864	(Commemorative Plaque) Artist/Painter, Educationalist
	Alexander	Ellis	1830-1917	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect
	William	Elphinstone	1431-1514	Founded King's College
	George	Elrick	1903-1999	Radio Broadcaster
	George Robert	Elsmie	1838-1909	
	Mary	Esslemont	1891-1984	(Commemorative Plaque) Doctor and world ambassador
	John	Ewen	1741-1821	Songwriter
	Elizabeth Latto	Ewen	1875-1965	(Commemorative Plaque) Aberdeen's first female General Practitioner
	Neil	Fachie	b. 1984	Paralympian, gold medal in cycling 2012
	Lanoe	Falconer	1848-1908	Writer
Sir	Alex	Ferguson	b. 1941	
	John	Fethy [Futhie]	d. 1570	Musician, Roman Catholic Priest
	John	Finnie	1829-1907	Landscape Painter, Printmaker
	Ian	Fleming	1906-1994	(Commemorative Plaque) Artist, Art Teacher

Brigadier/Pasha	Bertie Charles	Forbes	1880-1954	Financial journalist, founder Forbes magazine
	James Staats	Forbes	1823-1904	Railway Administrator, Art collector
	Florrie	Forde	1876-1940	
	Isabella	Fordyce	1759-1857	Poet, Novelist
	William	Forsyth	1818-1879	Poet, Journalist
	Alexander John	Forsyth	1769-1843	Born Belhelvie, inventor of roller primers - basis of all modern firearms
	George Milne	Fraser	1862-1938	(Commemorative Plaque) Historian and City Librarian
	Olive	Fraser	1909-1977	Poet
	Thomas	Fraser	1872-1951	(Commemorative Plaque) Medical scientist/pioneer
	James Maurice	Frost		John Blaikie & Son/Government Munitions Dept/Imperial Ottoman Artillery etc
	John	Fyfe	1830-1906	Quarrymaster, Justice of the Peace, associated with Marischal College frontage and Town House
	Robin	Galloway	1961?-	Radio presenter
	Alexander	Garden	1585-1642	Poet
	Mary	Garden	1874-1967	(Commemorative Plaque) Opera Singer
	Graeme	Garden	1943-	Comedian, "The Goodies".
	Edward	Garrett	1843-1914	Novelist, Essayist
	Patrick	Geddes	1854-1932	Biologist, Sociologist, Geographer, Philanthropist, town planner
	James	Gibb	1682-1754	Architect
	Bill	Gibb	1943-1988	
	Lewis Grassic	Gibbon	1901-1935	(Commemorative Plaque) Author
Sir	James	Gibbs	1682-1754	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect
	James William	Giles	1801-1870	(Commemorative Plaque) Landscape Painter
	David	Gill	1843-1914	(Commemorative Plaque) Astronomer
	John MacDougall	Gillies	1855-1925	Bagpipe Player and Teacher
	Evelyn	Glennie	b. 1965	Virtuoso percussionist
Rear Admiral Sir	Thomas Blake	Glover	1838-1911	Merchant, early advisor to Mitsubishi Company
	Calvin	Goldspink	b. 1989	Singer, actor
	James Alexander	Gordon	1782-1869	Known as the 'last of Nelson's Captains'
	Patrick	Gordon		Principal military instructor of Peter the Great of Russia
	Thomas	Gordon	1658-1741	One of last captains of Royal Scots Navy, senior admiral of Peter the Great, early commander fo Russian navy
	George	Gordon	1513-1562	Fourth Earl of Huntly
	George	Gordon	1637-1720	First Earl of Aberdeen, Judge, Politician
	James Edward	Gordon	1789-1864	
	Seton Paul	Gordon	1886-1977	Naturalist, Photographer
	Alexander	Gordon	1692-1754	Singer, Antiquary
	Anna	Gordon	1747-1810	Ballad Collector
	Alexander	Gordon	1752-1799	(Commemorative Plaque) Obstetrician
Dame	Harry	Gordon	1893-1957	(Commemorative Plaque) Entertainer/Comic
	Maria	Gordon (nee Ogilvie)	1864-1939	(Recently nominated for Commemorative Plaque) Geologist
	Michael Andrew	Gove	1967-	Conservative MP
	George Russell	Gowans	1843-1924	(Commemorative Plaque) Artist
Sir	Katherine	Grainger	b. 1975	Olympian, Rower
	John	Gray	1807-1875	
	Alexander	Gray	1882-1968	Poet, Economist
	Andy	Gray	1960-	Actor
	George	Gray	1871-1951	District architect for Inverurie
	Dorothea	Gregory	1754-1830	
	Gavin	Greig	1856-1914	Folksong collector
	Nora Christina Cobban	Griffith	1870-1937	(Commemorative Plaque) Egyptologist
	George	Halket	1692-1756	Jacobite songwriter, Schoolmaster
	Peter Andrew	Hall	1936-1996	Folklorist
	Andrew	Halliday	1830-1877	
	Robert	Hamilton	1743-1829	Politicial Economist, Mathematician
	Buff	Hardie		"Scotland the What?"
	Joe	Harper	b. 1948	Footballer
	Alexander	Harwood	1873-1943	Maritime Artist, amateur, destinctive style, work featured on stamp 2015
	James	Hastings	1852-1922	Journal Editor, United Free Church Minister
	Mary Elizabeth	Hawker	1848-1908	Writer

Lord Provost	Andrew Leith	Hay	1785-1862	Writer
	Matthew	Hay	1855-1932	the father of the Aberdeen Joint Hospitals Scheme
	Robert	Henderson	1903-2000	Designed first iron lung
	Catherine	Hollingworth	1904-1999	(Commemorative Plaque) Speech Therapist/Child Drama Pioneer (Created UK's first children's theatre)
	Richard	Hynd		Drummer, "Texas"
	John	Imlah	1799-1846	Poet, Songwriter
	William	Jackson	1849-1915	(Commemorative Plaque) Engineer and inventor
	Violet	Jacob	1863-1946	(Dun, Montrose) Scottish revivalist poet
	Alexander	Jaffray	1614-1673	Politician, Quaker Leader
	Matthew	James	1771-1858	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect
Prof	George	Jamesone	1589-1644	Portrait Painter
	Robert	Jamieson	1772-1844	Antiquary, Ballad Collector
	Arthur	Johnston	1579-1641	Poet
5th Earl Marischal	John	Johnston	1565-1611	Poet
	Reginald Victor	Jones	1911-1997	Helped crack Enigma code WWII
	Alexander	Keith	1895-1978	Author
	George	Keith	c.1553-1623	Founded Marischal College
	George	Keith		Lived in PSH 1732-38
Sir	Isabella	Kelly	1759-1857	Poet, Novelist
	William	Kennedy	1758-1836	(Commemorative Plaque) Lawyer and Historian
	James	Kennedy	1662-1686	Latin poet
	Thomas	Ker	d. 1586	Border Chieftain, Administrator
	Robert	Kerr	1823-1904	Architect
	James O'Connor	Kessack	1879-1916	
	James Sheridan	Knowles	1784-1862	
	Hans Walter	Kosterlitz	1903-1996	Biologist
	Michael	Kosterlitz	1942-	Nobel Prize in Physics 2016
	Douglas	Kynoch	1961?-	Author, broadcaster
Dame	Denis	Law	1940-	Footballer
	Robin	Lawrence		(Commemorative Plaque) Pioneering Medical Scientist (founder British Diabetic Assoc).
	Paul	Lawrie	1969-	Golfer
	Robert	Laws	1851-1934	(Commemorative Plaque) Pioneer of African education
	James	Leatham	1865-1945	(Commemorative Plaque) Political Activist, Publisher
	Annie	Lennox	1954-	Singer, "Eurythmics"
	Charles	Leslie	1676-1782	Ballad Singer and Songwriter
	Rose	Leslie	b. 1987	Actress
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	David Alexander Edward	Lindsay	1871-1940	
Sir	Eric Robert Russell	Linklater	1899-1974	Writer
	Hercules	Linton	1837-1900	Surveyor, Shipbuilder - Cutty Sark
	Moir	Lockhead	1945-	Engineer
	John	Longmuir	1803-1883	Poet, Lexicographer
	Matthew	Lumsden	d. 1644	
Sir	Louisa Innes	Lumsden	1840-1935	
	(William John) Allan	Macartney	1941-1998	Political Scientist, Politician
	Stuart	MacBride	1969-	Author
	[James] Ramsay	MacDonald	1866-1937	From Morayshire and was the First Labour Prime Minister
	Patrick	MacDonald	1729-1824	Music Collector, Publisher
Sir	George	Macdonald	1824-1905	Founder of modern fantasy literature, mentor of Lewis Carroll
	James	MacDonell	1841-1879	Journalist
	William	MacGillivray	1796-1852	(Commemorative Plaque) Ornithologist
	William	MacGregor	1846-1919	Colonial Governor
	Eric Beattie	Mackay	1922-2006	Newspaper Editor
	Angus	Mackay	1824-1886	Journalist
	Agnes Mure	Mackenzie	1891-1955	Historian, Author
	Alexander George Robertson	Mackenzie	1879-1963	Architect
	Alexander Marshall	Mackenzie	1848-1933	Architect
	Gilbert Marshall	Mackenzie	1891-1916	Architect

Professor	Alastair Webster	Mackie	1925-1995	Poet, Teacher
	Ewen	MacLachlan	1773-1822	Poet, Gaelic Scholar
	John	MacLeod	1876-1935	won a join Noble prize for the development of insulin for diabetes
	John James Richard	MacLeod	1876-1935	(Commemorative Plaque) Nobel Prize for Physiology of Medicine (joint'
Professor Dr	Samuel Charters	Macpherson	1806-1860	
	John	Mallard		Head of Physics, Aberdeen University
	Patrick	Manson	1844-1922	(Commemorative Plaque) Founder London School of Tropical Medicine
	David Mather	Masson	1822-1907	Biographer
	Francis	Masson	1741-1805	(Commemorative Plaque) Botanist
	James	Matthews	1820-1898	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect
	James Clerk	Maxwell	1831-1879	Scientist
	Isabella	Mayo	1843-1914	Novelist, Essayist
	James	McBey	1883-1950	(Commemorative Plaque) Painter and Etcher
	William	McCombie	1809-1870	Farmer, Journalist
	James	McGrigor	1771-1858	(Commemorative Plaque) Military Surgeon
	George Stewart	McLennan	1883-1929	(Commemorative Plaque) Composer of Highland Bagpipe Music, Pipe Major for Gordon Highlanders, Bagpipe Maker at 2 Bath Stree
	Donald	McLeod	1916-1982	Player of Highland Bagpipe Music
	William	McMillan	1887-1977	Sculptor
	William	Meff	1861-1935	(Commemorative Plaque)
	John	Menzies	1710-1753	
	James	Mercer	1734-1804	Poet, Soldier
	Hugh	Mercer		(Commemorative Plaque) Jacobite/ general in American Revolutionary War. Study of medicine
	James Scorgie	Meston	1865-1943	
Lord Provost	William	Meston	1680-1745	Poet, Teacher
	Hannah	Miley	1989-	Olympic swimmer
	Patrick	Millar	1868-1951	Hymnologist, Liturgist
	Willie	Miller	b. 1955	Footballer
	Lisa	Milne		Opera singer
	James S	Milne		Engineer, Balmoral Group
	Stewart	Milne	b. 1950	electrician
	William	Minto	1845-1893	Literary Scholar
	Tommy	Mitchell		Kept spirits high during WW2
	James Leslie	Mitchell	1901-1935	Author
	Robert	Mitchell	1782-1809	Architect
	George Bennett	Mitchell	1865-1941	Architect, Boys Brigade Commander/President, WW1 red cross transport, Deputy Lieutenant of Aberdeen
	George	Moir	1800-1870	Literary Critic, Lawyer
	Lorna	Moon	1887-1930	(Strichen) Hollywood script writer
	John	Morgan	1844-1907	(Commemorative Plaque) Master Mason
	Thomas	Morison	d. 1603	
	John	Morison	1750-1798	Hymn Writer
	Alberto	Morrocco	1917-1998	(Commemorative Plaque) Painter
	Peter	Mullan	b. 1959	Actor
	Charles	Murray	1864-1941	Doric Poet, Civil Engineer
	Jane Elmslie Henderson	Murray	1885-1944	Journalist
	John	Murray	1809-1898	Army Surgeon, Photographer
	Margaret	Myles	1892-1988	(Recently nominated for Commemorative Plaque) Midwife/Author. Published textbook for midwives
	John	Norrie		Include this person? 18th century painter and decorator
	Lois	Obee	1909-1976	
	John	Ogilvie	1732-1813	Poet
	John	Park	1804-1865	Church of Scotland Minister, Composer
	John	Paton	1886-1976	
	Francis	Peacock	1723-1807	(Commemorative Plaque) Dancing Master, Musician
	William	Penny	1809-1892	(Commemorative Plaque) Arctic Explorer and Navigator
	James	Perry	1756-1821	Journalist
	John	Phillip	1817-1867	Painter
	Alexander George	Pirie	1836-1904	Alexander Pirie and Sons papermill (responsible for expansion)
	Oswald	Pirow	1890-1959	
	William	Pyper	1833-1909	Business man and local politician

Sir	Annie	Quibell	1851-1927	Egyptologist. Role model for women in archaeology
	Edward	Raban	d.1658	(Commemorative Plaque) Publisher, Printer
	Janet Milne	Rae	1844-1933	Novelist and Missionary
	Archibald David	Reid	1844-1908	Painter
	George	Reid	1841-1913	(Commemorative Plaque) Portrait Painter
	John	Reid	1913-1998	Author
	Thomas	Reid	1710-1796	(Commemorative Plaque) Philosopher (see also The Aberdeen Philosophical Society)
	John	Reith	1888-1971	Founder of public service broadcasting, first Director General of BBC
	Duncan	Rice	1942-	Historian
	Susan	Rice	?	Chartered Banker
Lady	Billy	Riddoch		Actor
	David	Rintoul	1948-	Actor
	Andrew	Robertson	1777-1845	Miniature Painter
	James Craigie	Robertson	1813-1882	Biographer
	Joseph	Robertson	1810-1866	Journalist, Historian
	Christina Jane	Robertson	1908-1975	Folk Singer
	Jeannie	Robertson	1908-1975	(Commemorative Plaque) Traditional Scottish Folk Singer
	Alexander	Robertson	1908-1990	(Commemorative Plaque) Veterinary Surgeon
	Stephen	Robertson	-2011	"Scotland the What?"
	David	Rorie	1867-1946	Poet, Folklorist
	John	Ross	1763-1837	Organist, Composer
	Jean Iris	Ross	1911-1973	Journalist, Actress
	Alexander	Ross	1699-1784	(Angus) Author
	Emeli	Sandé	b. 1987	Singer/Songwriter
	Alexander Mackie	Scott	1920-1989	Poet, Scholar of Scottish Literature
	Nan	Shepherd	1893-1981	Writer
	Helena Mennie	Shire	1912-1991	(Commemorative plaque) Scholar of the Literature and Music of Scotland
	Andrew	Shirreffs	1762-1807	Poet
	Archibald	Simpson	1790-1847	Architect, born Guestrow
	Jane Cross	Simpson	1811-1886	Hymn Writer
	William Veitch	Sinnott	1960-1991	Musician
	Alexander	Skene	1621-1694	Local Politician, Author
				Historian and Antiquarian, wrote series of histories, some very significant in understanding 19th C Scots attitudes to their origins; son of artist James Skene (works in collection)
	William Forbes	Skene	1809-1892	artist James Skene (works in collection)
	Lilias Gillespie	Skene	1626-1697	(Commemorative Plaque) Quaker preacher, Poet
	Charles	Skene	1935	Entrepreneur
	George	Skene	1619-1707	Entrepreneur and Merchant
	James Scott	Skinner	1843-1927	Composer, Violinist
	John	Skinner	1721-1807	Songwriter, Ecclesiastical Historian
	Mary	Slessor	1848-1915	Missionary
Lord Provost	John	Smith	1781-1852	(Commemorative Plaque) First City Architect
	William Robertson	Smith	1846-1894	(Commemorative Plaque) Theologian and Semitic Scholar
	John Robert	Steell	1804-1891	Sculptor
	Robert Douglas	Strachan	1875-1950	Stained Glass Artist
	David	Strachan	?	Managing Director, Tern TV
	Thomas Scott	Sutherland	1899-1964	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect
	Mary Elizabeth	Sutherland	1895-1972	
	Thomas	Sutherland	1834-1922	Founder The Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation
	Mary	Symon	1863-1938	(Dufftown) War poet
	Richard Laurence Millington	Synge	1914-1994	Nobel Prize in Chemistry
Sir	Rachel Annand	Taylor	1876-1960	(Commemorative Plaque) Scottish poet and literary critic
	Charles Sanford	Terry	1864-1936	Historian, Musician
	William	Thom	1799-1848	Inverurie Poet
	Edward	Thomason	1922-1997	Local Politician
	George	Thompson	1804-1895	established Aberdeen White Star Line, LP 1847-51
	Agnes	Thomson	1880-1865	(commemorative plaque) Founder member of Medical Women's Federation, major role establishing Mother and Baby Home
	William George	Thomson	1865-1942	Tapestry Historian
	Robert William	Thomson	1822-1873	Inventor

Lord Provost	George Thomson	1804-1895	(Commemorative Plaque) Clipper Ship Owner
	David Toulmin	1913-1998	Author
	Isla Traquair	1980	Journalist and tv presenter
	George Turnbull	1698-1748	Philosopher, theologian, teacher
	James Wales	1747-1795	Portrait Painter, Archaeological Draughtsman
	Horace Walker	1910-1994	
	James Cromar Watt	1862-1940	(Commemorative Plaque) artist, architect and jeweller
	Christian Watt	1833-1923	Fisherwoman, Memoirist
	George Fiddes Watt	1873-1960	Portrait Painter
	James Watt	b 1983	Brewdog Founder (see also Martin Dickie)
	David Wedderburn	1580-1646	Poet, Latin Grammarian
	John Forbes White	1831-1904	(Commemorative Plaque) Flour Merchant, Pioneer Photographer and Patron of the Arts
	Jon Whiteley	1945-	Child actor, "The Kidnappers". Born Monymusk
	David Wilkie		Olympian, swimmer
	Alexander William	1826	writer and journalist
Sir	Robert Williams	1860-1938	Mining Engineer/Railroad Developer/Pioneering Explorer of Africa
	George Washington Wilson	1823-1893	(Commemorative Plaque) Photographer, Miniature Painter
	Thomas Brendan Wilson	1927-2001	Composer
Sir	David Wilson	1948-	Actor
	Ian Wood	b. 1942	Chairman, The Wood Group
King	James Fenton Wyness	1903-1974	(Commemorative Plaque) Architect and Historian
King	David I	d. 1153	Established Aberdeen Harbour as a business
	Robert the Bruce	1274-1329	
Movements, buildings, organisations			
	Aberdeen Football Club	1903	
	Aberdeen Journal	1748	see also James Chalmers 1713-1764
	Aberdeen Music Hall	1822	
	Aberdeen Renaissance, Guestrow	1545	The Knollis Family
	Chivas Brothers		
	Cowdray Hall	1925	
	Harpers Ltd/Harper & Co.	1800s	patent method of wire tensioning leading to innovative bridge design exported globally
	His Majesty's Theatre	1906	
	John M Henderson	1866-1991	John M Henderson established an international reputation for its high quality cranes and aerial cableways. Henderson products were exported to all corners of the world
	King's College	f. 1495	see also William Elphinstone
	Marischal College	f. 1593	see also George Keith, 5th Earl Marischal
	Observatory, King's College	1826	
	Observatory, Marischal College	1781	
	Scotland the What?	1952	Buff Hardie, Stephen Robertson, George Donald
	The Aberdeen Philosophical Society	f. 1758	see also Thomas Reid, philosopher
	The Seven Incorporated Trades	1587	
	William McKinnon & Co.	1798-1996	move into coffee-pulping machinery was made in 1840 and has been the firm's speciality ever since - a global export