

Hartington Nether Quarter
Parish Apprentices

1749 - 1796

Introduction

This typescript brings together the pertinent Apprenticeship information from the surviving apprenticeship documents for the parish of Hartington Nether Quarter, which are deposited in the Derbyshire Record Office. The documents were deposited by Mr R. Thornhill of Great Longstone. They comprise:

D307 Box J Apprenticeship Indentures 1749 - 1796

The apprentices were, in all cases, except for the earliest indenture of 1749, classed as paupers and thus qualified to have the cost of their apprenticeship paid for by the parish. However, this does mean that their indentures were exempt from the tax levied upon them during the period 1710 - 1808, so they should not appear in the relevant Inland Revenue volumes at the Public Record Office for between these two dates. Although Hartington Nether Quarter wasn't at this date actually a parish, it did have Overseers of the Poor who carried out a parish's function of apprenticing pauper children.

The indentures are in all cases except for that of 1749, pre-printed forms with the relevant details added by hand, but this unfortunately meant that in most cases the details of the apprentices parentage are not given and in one case this also applies to the occupation of master.

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1749

Thomas Barker, son of John Barker of Newhaven in the parish of Hartington Nether Quarter, is apprenticed to John Thacker of Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, baker, for 7 years. Indenture dated 4th November 1749. Premium £7.

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1757

Mary Bateman, daughter of Richard Bateman of Hartington Nether Quarter, is apprenticed to John Ball of Hartington Nether Quarter, farmer, to learn the art of housewifery, until she attains the age of 21.

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Annie Dawson, daughter of Samuel Dawson of Hartington Nether Quarter, is apprenticed to Peter Featherstone of Hartington Nether Quarter, husbandman, to learn the art of housewifery, until she attains the age of 21. Indenture dated 2nd July 1757.

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1764

Hannah Higton of Hartington Nether Quarter is apprenticed to John Johnson of Hartington Nether Quarter, to learn the art of housewifery, until she attains the age of 21 or marries. Indenture dated 5th May 1764.

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1767

Jane Goodwin of Hartington Nether Quarter is apprenticed to John Hobster of Hartington Nether Quarter, farmer, to learn the art of housewifery, until she attains the age of 21 or marries. Indenture dated 2nd May 1767.

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1772

John Dawson of Hartington Nether Quarter is apprenticed to William Buttler of Heathcote in the parish of Hartington Nether Quarter, husbandman, until he attains the age of 21. Indenture dated 8th July 1772.

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1796

Adam Slater of Hartington Nether Quarter is apprenticed to William Townshend of Taddington, framework knitter, until he attains the age of 21. Indenture dated 24th December 1796.

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Surname Index

A = Apprentice, F = Father, M = Master

Ball	John 1757M,
Barker	John 1749F, Thomas 1749A,
Bateman	Mary 1757A, Richard 1757F,
Buttler	William 1772M,
Dawson	Annie 1757A, John 1772A, Samuel 1757F,
Featherstone	Peter 1757M,
Goodwin	Jane 1767A,
Higton	Hannah 1764A,
Hobster	John 1767M,
Johnson	John 1764M,
Slater	Adam 1796A,
Thacker	John 1749M,

Locations Index

Hartington Nether Quarter	Ball 1757M, Bateman 1757A, 1757F, Dawson 1757A, 1757F, Featherstone 1757M, Goodwin 1767A, Higton 1764A. Hobster 1767M, Johnson 1764M, Slater 1796A,
- Heathcote	Buttler 1772M,
- Newhaven	Barker 1749A, 1749F,
Manchester LAN	Thacker 1749M,
Taddington	Townshend 1796M,