

## DAVIES, THOMAS (1851 - 1892), musician

**Name:** Thomas Davies  
**Date of birth:** 1851  
**Date of death:** 1892  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** musician  
**Area of activity:** Music; Religion  
**Author:** Thomas Mardy Rees

Born at Ebbw Vale, 1851. He was one of the first to adopt the sol-fa system in South Wales. His favourite form of musical composition was the anthem: he composed about six which had a popular appeal - ' Dyddiau dyn sydd fel glaswelltyn ' being well known at one period. He was a successful musical conductor and teacher. He died 20 December 1892 and was buried at the Ebbw Vale cemetery, 24 December.

### Author

Reverend Thomas Mardy Rees, (1871 - 1953)

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