

EDWARDES, DAVID (c. 1630 - 1690), landowner and deputy-herald

Name: David Edwardes Date of birth: c. 1630 Date of death: 1690

Spouse: Elizabeth Edwardes (née Morgan)
Parent: David Edwardes

Gender: Male

Occupation: landowner and deputy-herald

Area of activity: Land Ownership; Military; Royalty and Society

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Of Rhyd-y-gors, Carmarthenshire, only son of David Edwardes, c. 1630. He married Elizabeth, daughter of David Morgan of Coed-llwyd, Pembrokeshire. An able genealogist and armorist, he was on 1 August 1684 appointed by Clarenceux king-of-arms to be deputy-herald for Cardiganshire, Brecknock, Pembrokeshire, Carmarthenshire, and Glamorganshire. He travelled widely in Wales and England, consulted various manuscript collections, and compiled large genealogical volumes. He was consulted by contemporary British and Continental genealogists. He died without issue in 1690, his will being proved at Carmarthen on 31 November of that year. His collections were acquired by WILLIAM LEWES of Llwynderw.

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Sources

The Transactions of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion, 1949 manuscripts in N.L.W. and College of Arms

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