

**Name of memorial:** Michael Collins Memorial

**Inventory No. 993**

**Place:** Emmet Square, Clonakilty.

**Address and map reference:** Emmet Square, Clonakilty, Co. Cork.  
Map reference: W 383 414 (Sheet 89)  
Co-ordinates: 51.6224; W 8.8915°.

**Access:** at all times. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** at the roadside, at the junction with Bridge Street.

**Description and dimensions:** bronze statue on a square stone plinth, bearing inscriptions.  
Height: appx. 300cms. Width: appx. 100cms. Depth: appx. 100cms.

**Recorded by:** Edward Bourke, 3 June 2019.

**Text:**  
Front

**MICHAEL COLLINS**

**1890- 1922**

(Signature)

Right side

**TIOMNAÍCEAR AN LEACHT SEO  
I SCUIMHNE AR  
MHÍCHEÁL Ó COILEÁIN  
AGUS ORCHU SIÚB UILE A  
SHAOTHRAIGH AR SON  
SAIORSE NA hÉIREANN  
le linn EIRÍ AMACH NA CÁSCA  
COGADH NA SAOIRSE AGUS  
AN COGADH CATHARTHA  
1916 go 1923.**

**THIS MONUMENT IS DEDICATED  
TO THE MEMORY OF  
MICHAEL COLLINS  
AND ALL THOSE WHO  
CONTRIBUTED TO THE  
STRUGGLE FOR IRISH  
NATIONAL SELF-DETERMINATION  
DURING THE EASTER RISING  
THE WAR OF INDEPENDENCE  
AND THE CIVIL WAR  
1916 TO 1923.**

Left side

Chónaigh Mícheál Ó Coileán  
in uimhir 7 sa Chearnóg seo  
lena dheirfiúr Maighréad  
ó 1904 go 1905.  
Sabh sé thar na háite seo  
ar an shlí go  
Scoil Náisiúnta  
na mBuachaillí

**MICHAEL COLLINS LIVED AT  
NO.7 IN THIS SQUARE  
WITH HIS SISTER MARGARET  
FROM 1904 TO 1905.  
HE PASSED THIS PLACE DAILY  
WHILE ATTENDING THE  
BOY'S NATIONAL SCHOOL.**

Back

Chóg Coiste Cuimhneacháin  
Náisiúnta Mhíchíl Uí Choileáin  
an leach seo le maoiniú ó

Comhairle Chontae Chorcaí  
An Comhairle Baire agus  
An Cumann Seanchais  
Cloch na Coillte

**WEST CORK LEADER CO-OP  
AND  
PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS FROM  
IRELAND, BRITAIN, CONTINENTAL  
EUROPE, AUSTRALIA AND THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

*“The People Are Splendid”*

**FINAL ENTRY IN THE FIELD DIARY  
OF MICHAEL COLLINS  
AUGUST 21<sup>ST</sup> 1922.**

On the ground

**Nochtáíodh an leacht seo  
ar a 8 i.n. an 22 Lúnasa 2002  
cothrom an lae, 80 bliain ó shin  
a maraíodh Mícheál Ó Coileáin  
as Béal na mBláth.**

**AS  
LIAM NEESON  
UNVEILED THIS MONUMENT  
AT 8 P.M. ON AUGUST 22<sup>ND</sup> 2002  
ON THE 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF  
THE DEATH OF MICHAEL COLLINS  
AT BÉAL NA mBLÁTH.**

DESIGN TOMÁS TUIPÉAR STONE SCULPTOR GER O'SULLIVAN