

**Name of memorial:** Honner Memorial

**Inventory No. 1383**

**Place:** St. Peter's Church

**Address and map reference:** St. Peter's Church, Avenue Grove, Bandon, Co. Cork.

Map reference: W 489 547 (Sheet 87).

Co-ordinates: N 51.7434° W 8.7398°.

**Access:** enquire locally. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** inside chancel, on the north side.

**Description and dimensions:** stone plaque in gothic stone frame..

Height: appx. 50cms. Width: appx. 50cms.

**Recorded by:** Edward Bourke 21 May 2021.

**Text:**

IN MEMORY OF

ROBERT HONNER WAS A COLONEL IN THE SPANISH SECTION  
AND FOR A TIME A MAJOR IN HIS MAJESTIES 10<sup>TH</sup> FOOT  
WHO DIED AT HASTINGS ON THE 5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 1850. IN THE  
78<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF HIS AGE. HE WAS THE SON OF ROBERT HONNER  
OF BANDON IN THE COUNTY OF CORK BY ELIZA ALCOCK HIS WIFE  
AND OF  
MARY ANNE HONNER HIS WIFE WHO DIED AT SEA OFF  
W.... CAPE OR VERD ISLANDS ON HER PASSAGE TO AUSTRALIA  
ON THE 26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 1821 IN THE 41<sup>ST</sup> YEAR OF HER AGE. SHE  
WAS THE DAUGHTER OF **MAJOR JOHN COTGRAVE OF THE MADRAS  
ENGINEERS WHO FELL AT THE SIEGE OF GUODALORE\* EAST INDIES**  
ALSO OF  
**HENRY VIGORS HONNER SECOND SON OF THE ABOVE  
A MIDSHIPMAN IN THE BOMBAY MARINE WHO DIED OF CHOLERA  
IN BOMBAY ON THE 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 1821 IN THE 16<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF HIS AGE**  
ALSO OF  
FANNY HONNER THIRD DAUGHTER OF THE ABOVE  
WHO DIED NEAR HOBART TOWN ON THE 22<sup>ND</sup> JULY 1823, IN THE  
20<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF HER AGE.

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\* Siege of Cuddalore, south-east India, 1783.

ALSO OF  
HELEN ELIZABETH LESTER, SECOND DAUGHTER OF THE ABOVE  
AND WIFE OF CAPTAIN J.P. LESTER, OF THE BOMBAY ARTILLERY,  
WHO DIED OF CHOLERA AT POONAH ON THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER 1830  
IN THE 30<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF HER AGE.

ALSO OF  
**CHARLES FORBES HONNER, THIRD SON OF THE ABOVE,  
A CAPTAIN OF THE 2<sup>ND</sup> REGIMENT BOMBAY LIGHT CAVALRY  
WHO DIED AT SEA OFF THE COAST OF MALABAR  
ON THE 25<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 1842 IN THE 35<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF HIS AGE  
THIS TABLET IS ERECTED AS A TRIBUTE OF AFFECTION  
TO THE DEAD BY A MEMBER OF THE FAMILY**