

The Horton Kirby Yew is seen in a B&W half plate of an 1807 Petri water colour (originals held by Kent Archaeology) and from *The Illustrated London News* May 6 1876.



2002: The male yew grows SE of the church. A substantial portion of the tree, consisting of two thick parallel branches, leans over tombstones. A second growth area, consisting of numerous small branches, rises vertically.

Thick green foliage throughout the tree was competing with ivy into its topmost branches. Girth was 22' 4" around a base, which currently includes dead material. When this decays girth will be significantly reduced.

