

*Worton Township in the
Parish of Potterne
Tithe Awards
1839*

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Tithe Awards were prepared to the Tithe Act of 1836. Their purpose was to replace the tithes which had hitherto been paid in kind or by composition into a rent charge on individual pieces of land Also known as Apportionment of the rent charge in lieu of tithes.

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**Whereas an Agreement** for the COMMUTATION of TITHES in the Parish of Potterne in the County of Wilts was, on the 13 day of October in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Nine, confirmed by the Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales, of which Agreement, with the Schedules therein comprise the following is a Copy.....



..... the said Parish consists of the three Townships of Potterne, Worton and Marston and all the Lands of the parish are subject to the payment of Tithes .....

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| Names mentioned in this document :- | John Axford            | Thomas Chandler       | Robert Glass                  | William Rook               |
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|                                     | Roger Beard            | Thomas Ellis          | Ann Hockley                   | John Popham Sainsbury      |
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|                                     | John Bishop            | Elizabeth Glass       | James Purnell                 | Walter White               |
|                                     | James Butcher          | James Glass           | William Purnell               | Church Wardens of Potterne |
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