



## Early Incise Stone from Bisley Church



An early incise stone from a Cotswold Church Yard, in Bisley. The design is scribed (cut) into its surface. We think this is probably 12<sup>th</sup> Century.

Discovered on the reverse side of a flagstone, during a controlled clearing of the site.

The site on which the church stands was used for pagan ceremonies in Roman times, and has been used as a Christian site since Saxon times. Bisley was the head church of the Bisley Hundred, encompassing Stroud and the surrounding district, until 1360, when Stroud became a parish in its own right.

A lot of the old fabric of the church was lost during restoration work by Rev Thomas Keble in 1862, but at that time, two Roman altars were found, now located in the British Museum.

The tower and chancel are the two remaining mediaeval elements of the church.

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