

Lordship of St Martins

Parish/ County	Catterick North Yorkshire	Principle source	Victoria County History
Date	History of Lordship		Monarchs
871	Creation of the English Monarchy		Alfred the Great 871-899 Edward Elder 899-924 Athelstan 924-939 Edmund I 939-946 Edred 946-955 Edwy 955-959 Edgar 959-975 Edward the Martyr 975-978 Ethelred 978-1016 Edmund II 1016 Canute 1016-1035 Harold I 1035-1040 Harthacnut 1040-1042 Edward the Confessor 1042-1066 Harold II 1066 William I 1066-1087
1066	Norman Conquest- Battle of Hastings		William II 1087-1100
1086	Domesday		Henry I 1100-35 Stephen 1135-54 Henry II 1154-89 Richard I 1189-99 John 1199-1216
1100	Wymar the Steward (Seward to the Earls of Richmond) gives St Martins to the Abbey of St Mary, York. The lordship is dedicated in honour of St Martin.		Henry III 1216-72
1215	Magna Carta		Edward I 1272-1307 Edward II 1307-27 Edward III 1327-77 Richard II 1377-1399 Henry IV 1399-1413 Henry V 1413-22
1215-1217	First Barons War		Henry VI 1422-61 1470-71 Edward IV 1461-70 1471-83 Edward V 1483 Richard III 1483-5 Henry VII 1485-1509 Henry VIII 1509-47
1264-1267	Second Barons War		
1455-1487	War of the Roses		
1534	The Act of Supremacy – Church of England		

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1540	The abbey is dissolved, and St Martins passes to the Crown.	
1550	The Crown grants St Martins to Sir Edward Fiennes, Governor of Boulogne and Lord High Admiral. He sells it for £800 to William Pepper, Cuthbert Walker and his son William Walker. St Martins has 550 acres of land and 1,000 acres of moorland. William Pepper's share includes the lordship.	Edward VI 1547-53
1557	William Walker leaves his share in St Martins to the hospital of Kirkby Ravensworth.	Mary I 1553-58
1562	William Pepper dies leaving a son and heir John.	Elizabeth I 1558-1603
1584 & 1593	John is elected as a Member of Parliament for Richmond.	
1603	John dies leaving a son and heir Christopher.	James I 1603-25
1606	Christopher takes ownership of St Martins.	
1618	Christopher settles (creates a trust) on his wife Margaret and his son William.	
1620	William dies but his father Christopher still lives. William's son and heir is John Pepper.	
1624	Christopher is elected a Member of Parliament for Richmond.	
1635	Christopher dies leaving St Martins to his grandson John.	Charles I 1625-49
1642-1651	English Civil War	
1648	John dies and St Martins passes to James Pepper.	
Before 1670	James dies leaving co-heirs Margaret (wife of Cuthbert Garth) and Anna, a spinster.	Charles II 1660-85
1676	Anne grants her moiety (share) to Cuthbert Garth.	
Unknown	Cuthbert dies leaving Margaret all of St Martins.	James II 1685-88 William III 1688-1702
1704	Margaret is the last recorded lord of St Martins.	Anne 1702-14
1750-1850	Industrial Revolution	George I 1714/27 George II 1727/60 George III 1760-1820 George IV 1820-30

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2020	The title appears not to have been used for 316 years.	William IV 1830-7 Victoria 1837-1901 Edward VII 1901-10 George V 1910-36 Edward VIII 1936 George VI 1936-52 Elizabeth II 1952-