Elizabeth (Eliza) CAREY (1833-1864)

Eliza was aged 24, single, literate, a needlewoman from Tipperary when migrating to Tasmania on the 'Trade Wind'. Eliza migrated with her parents, John Knight Carey (1797-1872) and Martha (1807-1866) and seven of her siblings: Letitia (1831-1859), Sophia (1835-1860), John Knight Blackton (1837-1915), William (1838-1928), Henrietta Martha (1841-1936) and Louisa Sarah (1846-1911). Eliza was sponsored by John A Moore of Hobart Town.

Elizabeth died at her parent's residence in Macquarie Street, Hobart, on 6 August 1864 at the age of 34 years. The cause of death was consumption (TB).



Elizabeth was firstly buried in the Campbell Street Cemetery in Hobart. After the Campbell Street Cemetery closed and was redeveloped, Elizabeth, along with her parents and sister Sophia, were exhumed and reburied in the Cornelian Bay Cemetery on 14 March 1911. This was the same day sister Louisa was buried at Cornelian Bay. All were buried in the same site at Cornelian Bay.