

Seven if by Fire Truck

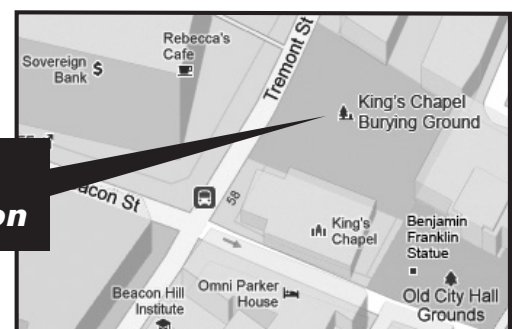
Dearest of children, now hark as I mention
The tale of Ben Franklin, a man of invention.
If the U.S. had not had a founder who played
With the forces of nature in all that he made,
Neither firemen nor postmen in swimfins could light
Up a bifocalled stove with a rod-bearing kite.

Welcome to the King's Chapel Burying Ground. There's a statue of Ben Franklin nearby, since this is where he found the parts he needed for his greatest invention: Franklin's monster.

Students: Please respect those buried here. All stones should be visible from the sidewalk outside the burial grounds or the paths within it; ***please do not walk on the graves.***

- Begins with a woman's first name
- Becomes a word meaning "less clean" if you change the second letter to be the same as the first letter and rearrange all the letters
- Becomes a conjunction if you delete all its repeated letters
- Contains only the letters in a word meaning "unbroken" (used multiple times)
- Could be something you'd find on Sylvester's playground?
- Can be anagrammed into two synonyms if you delete the second letter
- Could be represented by the word DANDRUFF in a cryptogram
- If you add an A, can be anagrammed into the names of two Asian countries
- Can be reversed to get a phrase meaning "tear scrap"
- Becomes an expression of dismay if you shift its first letter one back in the alphabet
- Consists of two pronouns in a row
- Sounds like a word meaning "gaudy"*

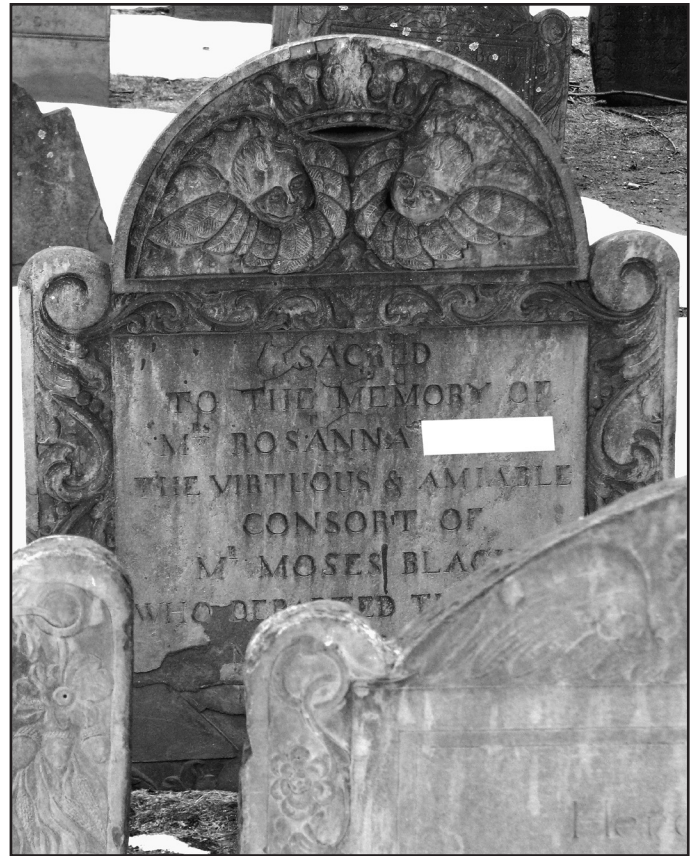
***This puzzle requires
site-specific information***



* Your accent may vary.

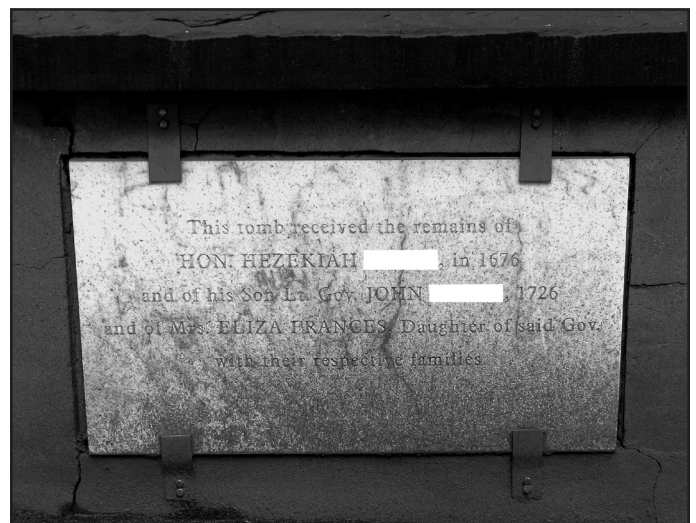
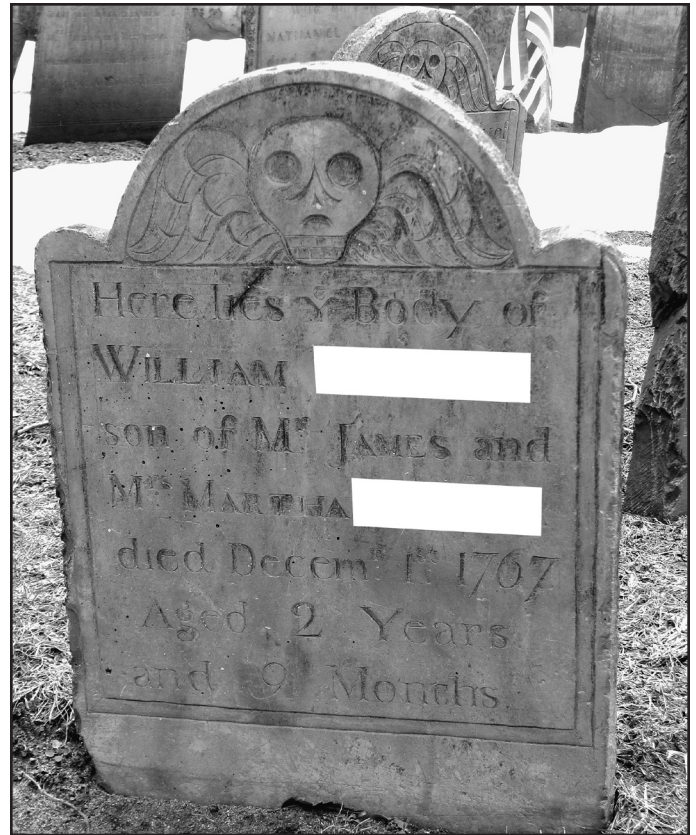
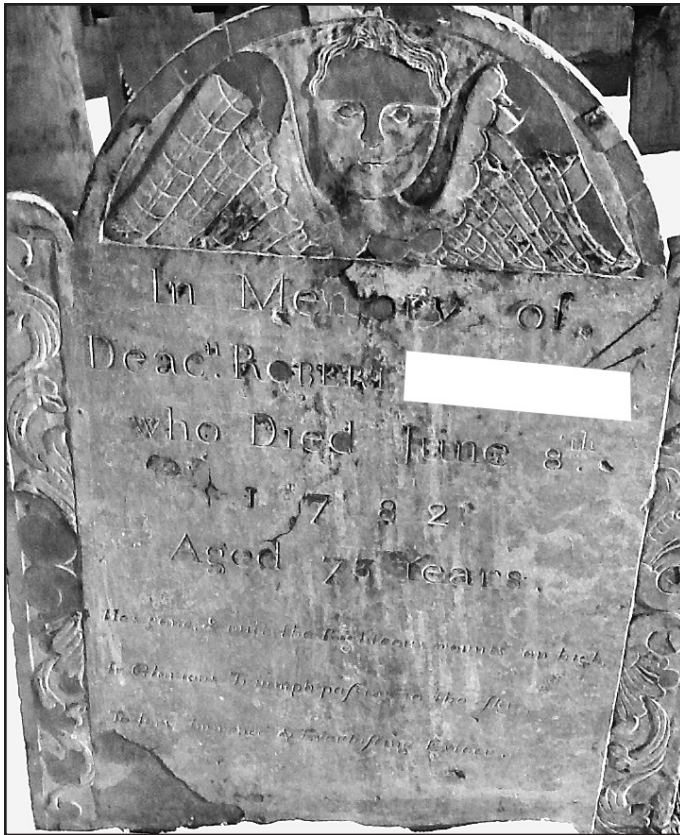
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