



Friends of
Zion Graveyard
Attercliffe



VICTORIAN CEMETERIES

an illustrated talk by **Mike Higginbottom**

at **Upper Wincobank Chapel, Wincobank Avenue, S5 6BB**

(on 3 & 3a bus route)

Thursday May 24th 2018 7.00pm-9.00pm

book by text /phone to 07980 143776 or email ziongraveyard@gmail.com

Admission £5 pay on the door:

includes refreshments – home-made cakes and coffee/tea

Proceeds in aid of Friends of Zion Graveyard Attercliffe



Zion Graveyard is a reminder that Dissenters resented paying Anglican priests for burials, and preferred to use their own burial grounds whenever they could.

It throws a sidelight on the rich history of Victorian cemeteries, which were a practical solution to one of the sanitary problems of nineteenth-century towns.

Mike Higginbottom's presentation covers some of the most spectacular gardens of rest in Britain and across the world, and includes Sheffield's General Cemetery.

Brookwood Cemetery, Surrey

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