

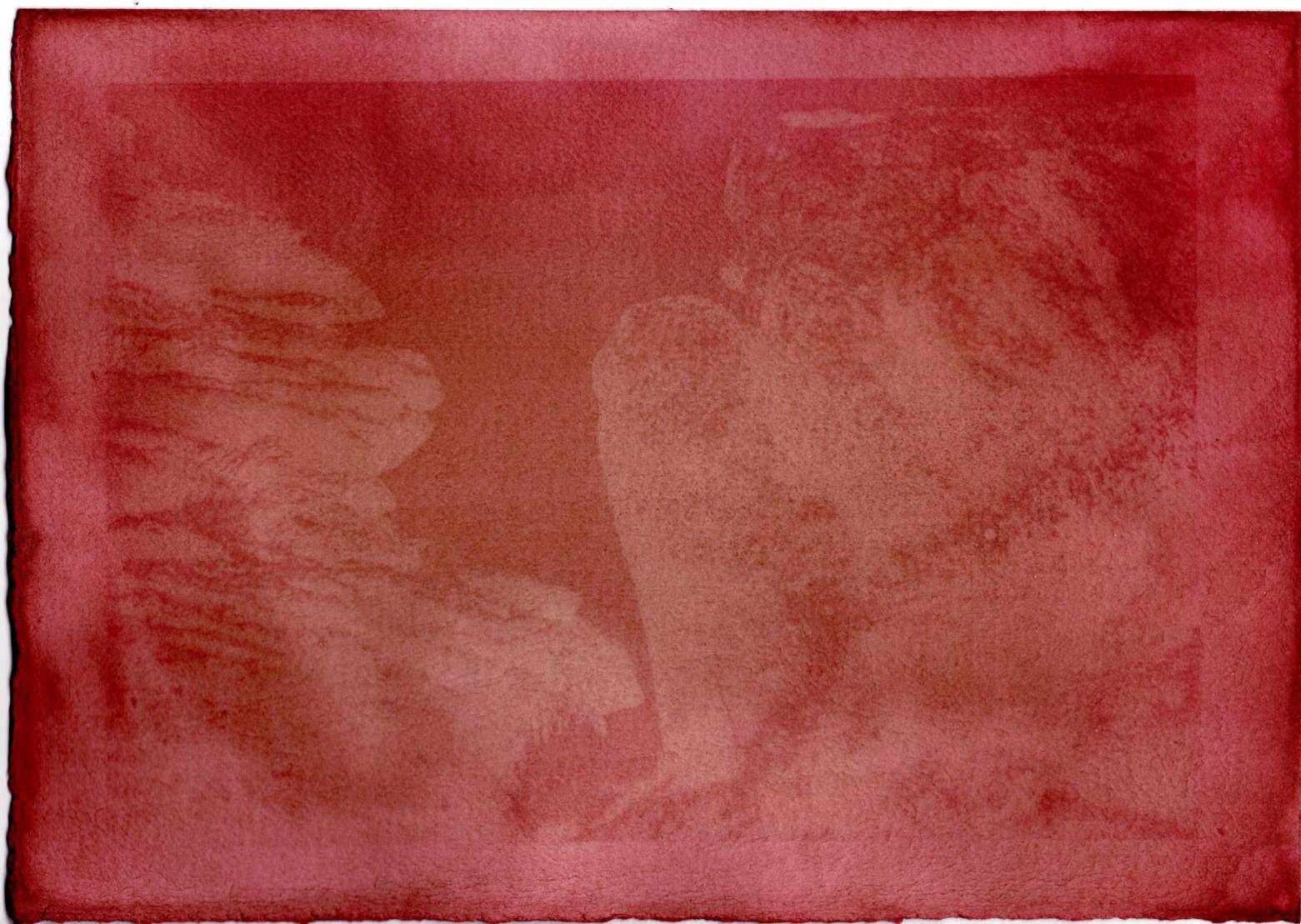
CAMPUS.SHAPELESS.CAUTIOUS
 TECHNICAL.TONES.OFFLINE
 IMPORTANT.TORGANNIC.CLINES
 LOCATOR.HUDDLE.PEROXIDE
 ENABLING.BLANKED.PROPERTY
 REGISTERS.SURPASSED.CRYPT
 PETRIFIED.TUMBLE.CASUAL
 BLUNDERS.EVERYBODY.SIFTS
 SNOOPING.AWKWARD.FIREPOWER
 NUTTY.CIVIL.UNFOUNDED
 COWBOY.REVAMPED.SLIPPERY
 HILLSIDE.POSITIVES.SENSIBLE
 CAPILLARY.PATROLLED.SENSIBLE
 BAFFLE.DREAMING.BLANKING
 CROSS.FRACTIONS.DOTS
 DECIDING.SATELLITE.SURPRISES
 SLANT.WIDE.SQUARING
 SWUNG.EXPLORING.GUESTS
 MIXED.REBOUNDED.MAPS
 OCCURS.FOGGY.RELIEVES
 SHUT.LANDOWNER.TWIRLS
 UNSCREW.SEGREGATE.KNITTED
 WORKSHEET.GUIDES.FANTASTIC
 DISCUSSES.ZAPPED.TRAVELS
 JUGS.ULTERIOR.INTELLIGIBLE
 MESSY.TIPTOES.SNAIL
 ALSO.THIRD.RELIES
 MOTHERING.WOBLING.ORANGE
 NERVES.LANDOWNER.CLIFF
 DOMAIN.COURTYARD.MISTY
 CAMPSITES.EMULATED.MAPS
 SOFTLY.SPLASH.ULTRA
 CRUNCHING.G.CONVERGED.VIBRATING
 WHISTLE.WHIMPERED.ABLE
 CROPNCLOSES.RECOUP
 FLICKED.EPIC.RECONNECT
 CLOSES.LOOPS.SURVEYORS
 PUREST.ADVENTURE.SHARPNESS
 CRUMPLES.NOBODY.EVERYBODY
 MASTERPIECE.SUITABLY.HINDERING
 REFUSES.BRAVED.RECORDING
 TRAVEL.MIGRANTS.TAXPAYERS
 PANICKING.PANNING.MAJORING
 BACKTRACK.REDOUBLE.MAXIMUM
 FLASK.ACTIVATES.REWARD
 IMPERIOUS.BEAKER.LIZARD
 LIGHT.DRIFTWOOD.TARRED
 HAGGLING.TWISTING.ROSIER
 LATITUDES.ABSENT.MAMMALS
 STRENGTH.RESERVOIR.CAPILLARY
 CRYPT.BOTTOM.WORKS
 USAGES.RADIATES.BEDROCK
 SATELLITE.DISPLAYS.SCAN
 CIRCULAR.CHUCK.JOINED
 DOUBT.ROUND.DATES
 OPTIMISTS.SILK.FIZZLED
 RESERVOIR.SLICING.SHOTS
 LITIGATE.CONVERT.CONDENSE

A Circle Walk around Vixen Tor, Dartmoor (2021), walk via public rights of way, text piece using What3Words coordinates, way points shared online.





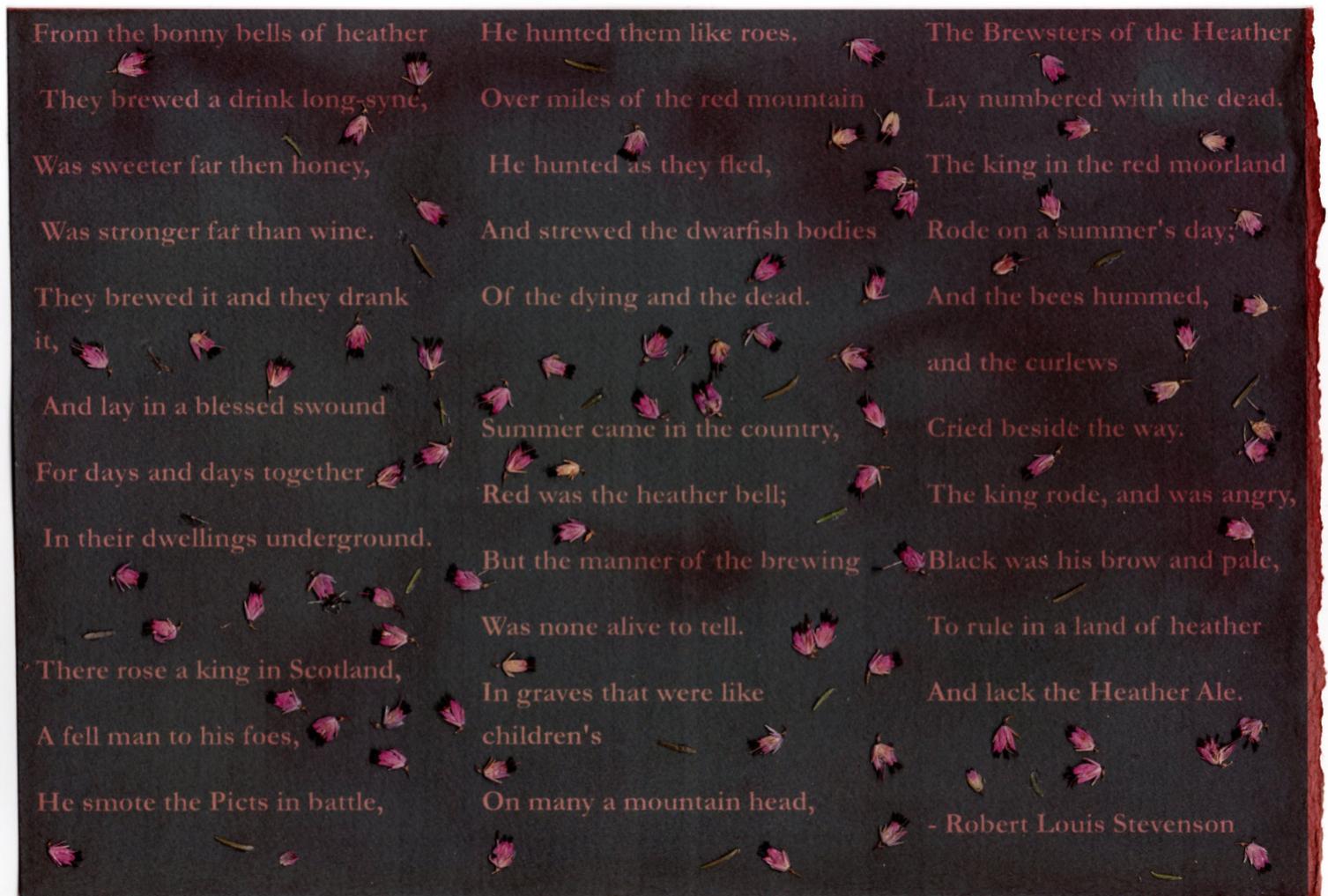
Feldspar Score, Southwesterly Wind, Greater Rocks Dartmoor (2021) Linocuts on fabric, 159x105cm (fabric photographed - other scores vary).



From the Bonny Bells (2022), Beetroot Anthotype, 21 x 30 cm



From the Bonny Bells (2022), Giclee print on Beetroot paper, 15 x 21 cm



From the bonny bells of heather
They brewed a drink long-syne,
Was sweeter far then honey,
Was stronger far than wine.

They brewed it and they drank
it,
And lay in a blessed swound
For days and days together
In their dwellings underground.

There rose a king in Scotland,
A fell man to his foes,
He smote the Picts in battle,

He hunted them like roes,
Over miles of the red mountain
He hunted as they fled,
And strewed the dwarfish bodies
Of the dying and the dead.
Summer came in the country,
Red was the heather bell;
But the manner of the brewing
Was none alive to tell.

In graves that were like
children's
On many a mountain head,

The Brewsters of the Heather
Lay numbered with the dead.
The king in the red moorland
Rode on a summer's day,
And the bees hummed,
and the curlews
Cried beside the way.
The king rode, and was angry,
Black was his brow and pale,
To rule in a land of heather
And lack the Heather Ale.

- Robert Louis Stevenson

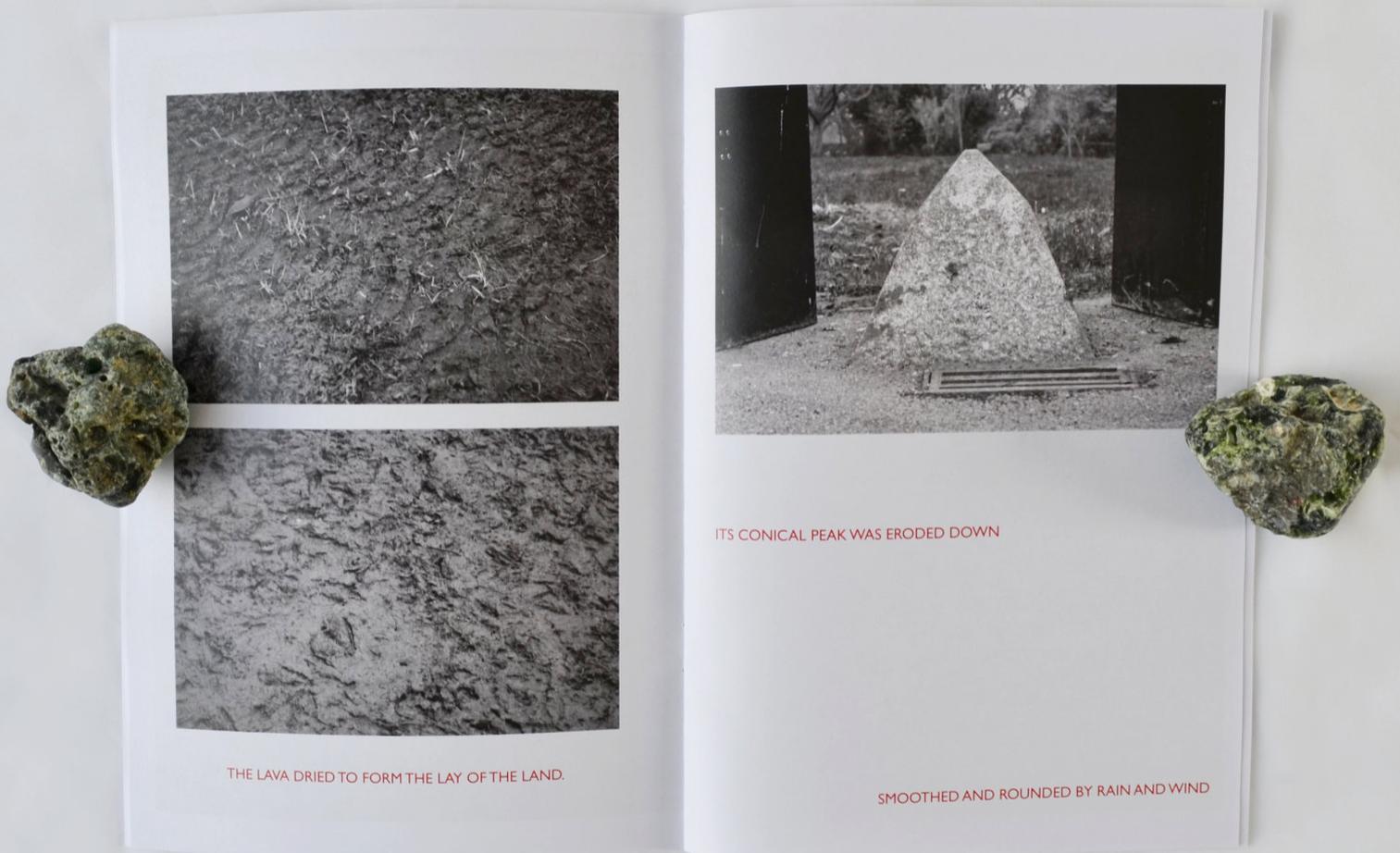
From the Bonny Bells (2022), 15 x 21 cm

Giclee print on Beetroot paper, pressed Heather, Poem by Stevenson, R. "Heather Ale"

Source: Buhner, S. 1998. Sacred and Herbal Healing Beers. Colorado: Brewers Publications, pp 29-30



Details from *Red Mountain* (2022)



Red Mountain (2022), photobook and Giclee prints

(Below) Exhibited at the *RE:Wild* exhibition, Maketank, Exeter



'Stook' - a stook of hay



smicket - a narrow place to walk through.

'The badlands' - 'You got the badlands up there' -

Something a local told me in a pub in Tuckenhay when I had ^(and others) bought some land on top of a hill in Allaleigh. The soil was less than one spade-blade deep and below that was skillet. It wasn't easy to cultivate as it was, but it was fine if you created raised beds, which we did.
- This is Landmatters Permaculture Project.

HAYAYSON - When men climb up a tree.

*created by Romeo Hower 4th March 2022
& transcribed by Helen Osley.

hoary - grey/white in colour - the "hoary castles"
of granite atop Dartmoor's tors

chockstone - a stone wedged in a vertical chimney
or crack of rock

shillet - below the soil, above the
solid shale/slate rock beneath

lumpy - Exeter city center streets

mizzle - A fine mix of mist &
drizzle

Granite Glossary

<i>Arete</i>	Sharp ascending ridge (Climbing, Geological)	<i>Kaolin</i>	Granite where the feldspar crystals have been hydrolised into china clay (Geological, Clapham, J. Dartmoor Guidebook)
<i>Belay</i>	To protect a roped climber from falling by controlling the movement of the rope. (Climbing)	<i>Lawrency</i>	A lazy day (Weather, Devonshire)
<i>Bond-stone</i>	Upright granite post marking the bound of a forest (Dartmoor, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)	<i>Leeward</i>	The side of a rock that's sheltered from the wind. (Geographical)
<i>Brouse</i>	Rough land with gorse and bushes/shrubs (Dartmoor)	<i>Rock Basins</i>	Dimples or holes on the tops of rocks created by localised weathering. Weak feldspar crystals are split by the frost which creates a small hole. Once filled with water, which is frozen, the hole grows larger. (Dartmoor, Geological, Sandles, T. Legendary Dartmoor)
<i>Cataclastic</i>	Structural characteristics due to intense crushing/pressure (Geological)	<i>Runnel</i>	Gully in the rock, also a small stream of a particular liquid (Climbing, Geological)
<i>Chimney</i>	A rock cleft with mostly parallel vertical sides, and large enough to fit the climber's body into. To climb such a structure, the climber often uses their head, back, and feet to apply pressure on the opposing faces of the vertical walls. (Climbing)	<i>Rupestrial</i>	Living among/occupying rocks (Ecological, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)
<i>Chockstone</i>	Stone wedged in a vertical chimney of rock, also a metal wedge threaded on a wire used for protection by wedging it into a crack in the rock (Climbing)	<i>Sheepy Silver</i>	Flakes of mica in stone (Geological, Macfarlane R. Landmarks, from Shepherd, N. The Living Mountain)
<i>Choss</i>	Rock too unstable to climb on (Climbing)	<i>Stary</i>	'Its too stary to bide like that' - the sun is too bright to stay sunny all day (Dartmoor)
<i>Clat</i>	Lump of Earth (Dartmoor)	<i>Stugged</i>	Person/animal: enmired in a bog (Dartmoor, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)
<i>Clitter/ Clatter/ Dartmoor</i>	Eroded boulders below a Tor (Dartmoor, Sandles, T. Legendary Dartmoor)	<i>Swailing/ Swaling</i>	Burning heather/bracken/gorse in moor (Dartmoor, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)
<i>Cragfast</i>	Unable to advance/retreat on a climb (Climbing, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)	<i>The Drift</i>	The autumn roundup of Dartmoor Ponies (Dartmoor)
<i>Crimp</i>	A hold which is only just big enough to be grasped with the tips of the fingers (Climbing)	<i>Thrutch</i>	Awkward squeezing movement in climbing (Climbing)
<i>Crystals</i>	Referring to the Feldspar protruding from the rock face, used as small hand/foot holds (Climbing, Geological, Clapham, J. Dartmoor Guidebook)	<i>Tick Mark</i>	A line of chalk drawn on rock as an indicator for holds that can't be seen or are small and precise. Holds can also be left 'ticked' after the climber chalks their hands and then holds the hold. Areas that are popular with climbers are often marked heavily with chalk, which should be brushed off after the climber has finished. (Climbing)
<i>Dilapidation</i>	Falling of stones/rock masses from cliffs by natural agency (Geological, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)	<i>Trad Climbing</i>	A style of climbing that emphasises the adventure and exploratory nature of climbing. While sport climbing generally makes use of pre-placed protection ("bolts"), traditional (or "trad") climbing involves the placement of one's own protection during the climb, which is generally carried by climbers on a rack. (Climbing)
<i>Feldspar</i>	Group of minerals occurring in crystalline masses (Geological, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)	<i>Waste</i>	This term describes a small area of enclosed rough pasture and mainly occurs on the southern moor. (Crossing, W. Gems in a Granite Setting)
<i>Flake</i>	A thin slab of rock detached from the main face, also a method of untangling a rope where the rope runs through the hands and falls into a pile on the ground. (Climbing)		
<i>Goyle</i>	Cleft in hills filled with gorse/bracken that is inaccessible (Dartmoor, Sandles, T. Legendary Dartmoor)		
<i>Green/grassy</i>	Rock faces that are often overgrown with mosses and lichens, also described as 'dirty' (Climbing)		
<i>Gripped</i>	Unable to move up/down rock due to fear (Climbing, Macfarlane, R. Landmarks)		
<i>Hoary</i>	Greyish white in colour, describing Dartmoor granite (Geological, Crossing, W. Gems in a Granite Setting)		

Granite Glossary (2021-ongoing)

A collection of words found and experienced whilst climbing on Dartmoor



A Dialect of the Landscape (2022), AI generated imagery using words from the *Granite Glossary*.
Generated from NVIDIA's 'Gaugan 2' on 28/04/22 (<https://gaugan.org/gaugan2/>)

TL: 'Arete, Belay, Bond-stone, Brouse, Cataclastic, Chimney, Chockstone'

TR: 'Choss, Clat, Clitter/Clatter, Cragfast, Crimp, Crystals, Dilapidation, Feldspar, Flake, Goyle'

BL: Green/grassy, Gripped, Hoary, Kaolin, Lawrencency, Leeward, Rock Basins, Runnel, Rupestral'

BR: 'Sheepy-Silver, Stary, Stugged, Swailing, The Drift, Thrutch, Tick Mark, Trad Climbing, Waste'