

Gwespyr is famed worldwide for its top quality stone quarried in quantity from Roman times and shipped all around the world. "Gwespyr Stone" as it became known had a fine grain and colour also a remarkable quality of cutting and shaping. It was used for many buildings around Gwespyr and Llanasa. It was also used to build the ancient Maen Achwyfan at Whitford, the chapel at [St Winefride's Well](#) in [Holywell](#), stone carvings in [Rhuddlan Castle](#) and [Denbigh Castle](#), [St Asaph Cathedral](#), The Talacre Arms [Public house](#) in Gwespyr and [Basingwerk Abbey](#) in [Greenfield, Flintshire](#). Gwespyr stone was also found on sites such as [Prestatyn Castle](#) and the [Roman bathhouse](#) located in Prestatyn.