

# CONWAY HALL

## Portraits List

### Library 1

**Ellen Dana Conway**

1833-1897

Mrs Moncure Daniel Conway

Toned bromide photo-print

1897

**George Jacob Holyoake**

1817-1906

Freethinker and co-operator

Plaster bust, English

19<sup>th</sup> century

**Thomas Paine**

1737-1809

Author and revolutionary

By C.H. Jarvis

Oil on canvas

1809

Presented by M. D. Conway

on his final departure in June 1897

**Epicurus**

341 BCE-270 BCE

Greek philosopher

Terracotta mask

20<sup>th</sup> century

**Hector Hawton**

1901-1975

Managing Director of the Rationalist

Press Association and editor of The Humanist

Photograph

**Moncure Daniel Conway**

1832-1907

Minister at South Place 1864-1884 and 1892-1897

By Rowland Holyoake

Oil on canvas

**Ernestine L. Rose**

1810-1892

Polish-American civil rights reformer

Drawing

1857



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### Library 2

**Ralph Waldo Emerson**

1803-1882

American poet and essayist

Plaster bust, English,

19<sup>th</sup> century

**Sarah Flower Adams**

1805-1848

Poet and hymn writer

Gelatine bromide enlargement photo-print  
of a drawing by Margaret Gillies (1803-1887)

**William Johnson Fox**

1786-1864

Minister at South Place 1817-1852

By John Robert Wildman (born 1785 - active 1839)

Oil on canvas

1825

**Eliza Flower**

1803-1846

Radical and composer

Tinted lithograph of a drawing by Mrs E. Bridell  
Fox (daughter of William Johnson Fox, died 1904)  
Presented by M.D. Conway 1898/99.

**Stanton Coit**

1857-1944

Minister at South Place 1888-1892

Bronze bust on marble base, English school

**William Morris**

1834-1896

Designer, author, and visionary socialist

Bronze plaque

**H.G. Wells**

1866-1946

Novelist and social commentator

Photograph



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### Library 3

#### **Peter Cadogan**

1921-2007

Lecturing

By Alfred Head

Watercolour

1977



#### **Conway Hall**

Perspective view prior to construction,  
assumed to be by F. Herbert Mansford (1871-1946),  
architect of Conway Hall  
Circa 1926



#### **John Aldred**

1863-1925

Memorial

Photograph

#### **South Place Chapel**

Drawing



#### **George William Foote**

1850-1915

Radical journalist and secularist,  
founder of *The Freethinker*  
Photograph



#### **George Bernard Shaw**

1856-1950

Playwright and polemicist,  
By Lawrence Holofcener  
Plaster plaque



#### **Annie Besant**

1847-1933

Theosophist and politician

By Hayman Selig Mendelssohn (1847-1908)  
Photograph



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**E.M. Forster**

1879-1970

Novelist and essayist

By Philip Whichelo

Oil on paper and card

The artist was Forster's cousin.

**Chapman Cohen**

1868-1954

Freethought writer and lecturer, editor of *The Freethinker*

By John Henry Amschwitz (1882-1942)

Oil on canvas

**Frederick Charles Chater Watts**

1896-1953

Chairman of the Rationalist Press Association 1941-1953

and Managing Director 1930-1953

Charcoal drawing

**Ellen Dana Conway**

1833-1897

Mrs Moncure Daniel Conway

By Arthur Hughes (1832-1915)

Oil on panel

1873

**Thomas Henry Huxley**

1825-1895

Biologist

From the painting by Alphonse Legros (1837-1911)

**Moncure Daniel Conway**

1832-1907

Minister at South Place 1864-1884 and 1892-1897

By Clara MacChesney

Oil on canvas

**Dr Bernard Hollander**

1864-1934

Lecturer on medical matters

By Walter Herbert Roe

Oil on canvas

1903



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### Library 5

**Charles Turner Gorham**

1856-1933

By O. Kay Robertson

Oil on paperboard

**Bertrand Russell**

1872-1970

Philosopher, journalist, and political campaigner

By A.E. Head

Oil on canvas

**Charles Bradlaugh**

1833-1891

Politician and freethinker

Carbon print photograph

**The Unknown Freethinker**

English School

Oil on canvas

Early 20<sup>th</sup> century

**Charles A. Watts**

1858-1946

Freethought editor and publisher, Vice-Chair,

Rationalist Press Association

By John Collier (1850-1934)

Oil on canvas

1926

**Rose Bush**

1898-1977

Secretary and Chairman of the Humanist Housing Association

Photograph

**Col. Robert G. Ingersoll**

1833-1899

Noted American atheist

English School

Oil on canvas

Late 19<sup>th</sup> century



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### Library 6

**Thomas Paine**

1737-1809

Author and revolutionary

Plaster bust, English

19<sup>th</sup> century

**Charles Watts**

1836-1906

Secularist and journalist

By Rowland Holyoake

Oil on canvas

1904

**Charles Bradlaugh**

1833-1891

Politician and freethinker

Plaster bust by C. Holding

1894



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### Landing and Staircase

#### Moncure D. Conway

1832-1907

Minister at South Place 1864-1884 and 1892-1897

Print

Early 20<sup>th</sup> century



#### And The Gods Laugh

By Victor S. Rose

1969



#### John Saunders

(d. 1919)

Musician who played at the South Place Concerts for 27 years

By Arthur Jermy

Oil on canvas

A close examination shows the subject in a different position underneath



#### Edward Clodd

1840-1930

Banker and popular anthropologist

By John Collier (1850-1934)

Oil on canvas



#### George Jacob Holyoake

1817-1906

Freethinker and co-operator

By Rowland Holyoake

Oil on canvas

1902

Given by Lady Florence Dixie for his lifelong devotion to the championship of justice for women



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### Foyer

#### Alfred J. Clements

1858 – 1938

Organiser and secretary of the South Place

Sunday Concerts 1887 – 1938

Gold in-laid relief plaque



#### South Place Ethical Society Ministers and Appointed Lecturers

Oil on tin / aluminium



### Main Hall

#### Symbolic Plaque

Plaster

By Violet Stuttig.



### In Red Lion Square

#### Bertrand Russell

1872-1970

Philosopher, journalist, and political campaigner

Bust

By Marcelle Quinton

1980



#### Fenner Brockway

1888-1988

Politician and campaigner

Bronze statue by Ian Walters

1985

