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Type: CHAPEL	OS Map: SS42SW SS42SW/16	Broad Period: Medieval
NGR: SS42212335	Historic Parish: PARKHAM	Period: Medieval
Admin Area: Devon	Civil Parish: Parkham	
Form:	Listed Building Grade:	
Class: Religious, Ritual and Funerary	District: Torridge District	SAM No:

Summary

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