

## Derbyshire 2015

Another year, another walk, and we are in Derbyshire once again  
But what is this, the forecast says we could be in for lots of rain.

From Hulme End down to Wetton Mill, down the Manifold railway line  
A pleasant amble on the flat, and the weather stayed just fine

Refreshed with tea we started to climb to "Back of Ecton" with superb views  
And then back down to where we began, where the cars are parked, and also some loos !

Next day it's raining like they said, it's muddy and slippery underfoot  
"But not to worry", our leader proclaimed, "I know! We'll take a different route".

So along the Monsal Trail we walked from Wyedale car park to Litton Mill  
And then up Tideswell Dale we went, whilst the rain, it continued to pour down still.

The rain eased off as we stopped for lunch where Geoff was waiting with all the eats  
Before we set off on our way once more Rowena brought welsh cakes, an extra treat.

As we climbed up to Litton and down Cressbrook Dale, it was muddy and stony, and again came the  
rain

To stay on the walk or head off for some tea? A very loud "Tea please" , was the instant refrain.