12b. 'Friendship & Flowers'

By: Turvey Reminiscence Group

In 1997 reminiscence sessions were held in the Village Hall, attended by local residents, some of whom were born and bred in Turvey, but many had moved here and settled down. The sessions were funded by WEA and led by Jenny Ford, assisted by Ivora Jones. Each week there was a topic for discussion, which would bring back memories, and experiences. These sometimes lively stories, were recorded and formed the material for the millennium book – "Journeys into Turvey" published in June 2000. The Turvey Reminiscence Group continues to meet weekly at Barton & Royle Community Hall, with the agreement of the Trustees. Various groups were formed such as a Music Group, a Film Group, a Book club, and trips to places of interest were also organised.

The Gentle Exercise group continues to meet on Friday mornings, in the Community Hall, Station Road, Turvey and afterwards we enjoy refreshments and a natter.

The group is open to all, so if you would like to join us on a Friday morning between 10 and 11.30 am or wish to know more about us, or indeed purchase a copy of the book, then please contact either Ivora Jones 881741 or Jenny Ford 881459.

