RORY YOUNG

Rory Young, a stonecarver, lives in Cirencester, Gloucestershire. Born in 1954, he was educated at King's College, Taunton and has a BA (Hons) in fine arts, graduating in 1976. He is an acknowledged expert. The Millennium Pilgrim, which stands outside the Pilgrims' chapel was commissioned by The Friends of Southwell Cathedral to celebrate the year 2000.

His most notable work is that of the 7 Martyrs for the nave screen of St Alban's Cathedral, which took 5 years to complete and were installed in 2015. The stone figures are painted.

And see FS 287 – for his article in Pepperpots of June 2002, where he describes the manufacture of the Pilgrim.