



REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

Permanent Entry

1. DATA BASE No. 0210
2. NAME *Queen's Methodist Church, Boulder* (1903)
3. DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY
Boulder Lots 35 and 36, being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 1773 Folio 633.
4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA. City of Kalgoorlie - Boulder
5. LOCATION. 38 Piesse Street, Boulder.
6. OWNER. M. D. Glendinning & Tanvier PL
7. HERITAGE LISTINGS
 - Register of Heritage Places: Interim Entry 12/07/1994
Permanent Entry 30/06/1995
 - National Trust Classification: recorded 11/06/1973
 - City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder City Planning Scheme: 01/11/1993
 - Register of National Estate -----
8. CONSERVATION ORDER

9. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE
Queen's Methodist Church has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

the place is of unusual design, exhibiting a bold simplicity, weighty assertiveness, and restrained use of religious motifs with a flat two dimensional quality, atypical of gothic revival churches of the 1900s in Western Australia. The modelling of the load bearing brickwork, vertical expression of the semicircular arched openings, and gabled parapet facade are important elements of this bold design;

constructed in the midst of the gold boom, the place is large for a Methodist church and is closely identified with the growth of the mining population in Boulder. The naming of the church in honour of Queen Victoria reflects the strong ties of the community to the British monarchy;

for many years the place was an important focus for religious, social and musical culture in the eastern goldfields; and, the place is held in high regard by the local community for its landmark quality and historical associations.