

## Comber, Christopher ('Chris')

(1944-2019)



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### Biographical and Other Notes

Born in New Cross, south east London. He worked in marine insurance from 1963. He bought his first coin at the age of 12, and Elizabeth I sixpence. Co-authored 'The Hammered silver coins produced at the Tower mint during the reign of Elizabeth I' with I.D. Brown and W. Wilkinson. He gave many talks on Elizabethan and related Tudor topics to numismatic Societies and the BANS Congress and autumn weekends. A man of great knowledge and waistcoats. Exceptional collection of Elizabethan coins sold in 100 lots at Baldwin's of St. James's auction 50 and library in 97 lots 15 October 2020. Residual of collection yet to be sold.

Contributors to British Numismatics

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