

## **Brian Coleman**

A 'Man of Kent', came to Rugby to qualify in Electrical and Electronic Engineering in 1964.

Spent 10 years with the company known as AEI that then became GEC.

Made a career move to a global aerospace company spending time in Coventry, Derby and many places around the world.

Retired in 2004; started a training company, also spent a creative period of time on community projects in the area and as a Trustee at Rugby Baptist Church.

We arrived in Thurlaston in 2003 and amongst doing other things took on the role of Curator for the Thurlaston Archives in 2006 and the role of Editor of the Thurlaston Chronicle in 2008 all with the help of some great people.

I love sketching and painting, and, having a very supportive wife, 2 children, 7 grandchildren and a great grandson.