

### Historical versions of the placename of the township of Bassenthwaite

Spelling	Date	Source
Bistunthweit	<i>c. 1160</i>	<i>Fountains (p)</i>
Bastunthwait	<i>c. 1175</i>	Hesley (p)
Bastunthweit		<i>t. John Fountains</i>
Bastunthwayt		(p)
Bastunthwait	<i>c. 1240</i>	StB
	<i>1298 StBA (p)</i>	
Bastenethwait	<i>1208</i>	FF
Bastenthwyt	<i>1212</i>	StBA
Bastenthwait	<i>1241</i>	Cl (p)
	<i>et freq to 1403</i>	Pat
	<i>with variant</i>	
	<i>spellings -thwayt -</i>	
	<i>twait -tweyt</i>	
Bastenqweyth'	<i>1308</i>	Netherhall (p)
Bastanswayt	<i>1256</i>	FF
Bastanthweyt	<i>1278 1279</i>	Ass
Bastinthwayt	<i>1292</i>	Ass
Bastinthwait	<i>1372</i>	StB
Bastynthuate	<i>1535</i>	VE
Bastingthwayt	<i>1292</i>	Ass
Bastingthewyt <i>ib. (p)</i>		
Bastingthweyt	<i>1308</i>	Cl (p)
Bastingthwaite	<i>1547</i>	FF
Bastonethwayt	<i>c. 1230</i>	<i>Fountains (p)</i>
Bastonthwait	<i>1303</i>	Pat
Basyngthwaite	<i>1492</i>	DunBev
Basyngthwayte	<i>1540</i>	AOMB
Basonthwaite	<i>1599</i>	FF
Bastyntwhat	<i>1562</i>	PR (Crosth)

The abbreviations for the sources are explained in the List of [Abbreviations for Historic Placename Sources](#)