Table 1: Details of the skeletal individuals from early churchyards on Gotland

| **Individual ID** | **Completeness** | **Preservation** | **Age** | **Osteological sex** | **Pathological lesions** | **Tooth wear** | **Staining** | **Remarks** |
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| Garda 1 | 2% | Good | 7-8 yr | ? | / | / | / | Right maxilla and mandible preserved |
| Garda 2 | 63% | Average | OA | ? | Osteoarthritis on L5 and S1; caries and abscess; possible dislocation of one side of mandible | / | Right clavicle and two right ribs |  |
| Garda 3 | 43% | Average | MA | F | Arthritis on cervical vertebrae and several right ribs | Abrasion superior and inferior central and lateral incisors, first and second premolars, first molars | T6, T7, T8?, T9?, left first rib, manubrium and sternal body, acromial end of the left clavicle |  |
| Garda 4 | 21% | Poor | MA | F? | / | Abrasion inferior central and lateral incisors, first molars | / | Most maxilla teeth absent |
| Garda 5 | 29% | Poor | OA | ? | Osteoarthritis of the spine; extensive teeth wear loss; possible sinus infection; cribra orbitalia | / | / | Maxilla badly preserved, and only few teeth from the maxilla and mandible found |
| Garda 6 | 73% | Very good | YA | F | Light arthritis on the first left and right ribs, and the manubrium | Filed superior left central and lateral incisors | Left temporal bone |  |
| Garda 7 | 2% | Poor | MA | ? | Cribra orbitalia | / | / | No mandible and only part of the right maxilla preserved  Re-association of the skull with postcranial skeletal elements not possible |
| Garda 8 | 1% | Average | MA-OA | F? | Large cyst in right orbit | / | / | No maxilla or mandible  Re-association of skull with postcranial skeletal elements not possible |
| Garda 9 | 61% | Poor | OA | F | Osteoarthritis on a number of joints | Abrasion superior and inferior first molars; notching superior left central and lateral incisors and inferior left lateral incisor | / |  |
| Garda 10 | 40% | Poor | 2,5-3,5 yr | ? | Moderate cribra orbitalia | / | Occipital bone, close to the mastoid process |  |
| Garda 11 | 48% | Poor | 5-6,5 yr | ? | Lesions on first thoracic vertebrae; cribra orbitalia | / | Right clavicle, one right rib, two left ribs? |  |
| Garda 12 | 8% | Poor | AD | ? | Possible periosteal appositions on the left tibia and femur | / | / | No skull associated with this individual in the box. Only a few skeletal elements of the lower body preserved |
| Garda 13 | 11% | Poor | MA-OA | F | Arthrosis on the right clavicle, the atlas and on the pelvis | / | / | No skull associated with this individual in the box. Only a few long bones of the upper and lower body preserved |
| Garda 14 | 66% | Very good | MA | F | Arthritis on the carpal bones, cervical and thoracic vertebrae. Strong muscle attachments, with a left side tendency. | Notching superior central incisors and left canine; abrasion superior and inferior incisors and canines; abrasion inferior first molars; antemortem loss superior first molars | / |  |
| Garda 15 | 19% | Poor | MA-OA | ? | / | Abrasion superior and inferior first molars; filed superior left canine | / |  |
| Garda 16 | 98% | Very good | MA | F | Healed, old fracture of right rib 11 | Abrasion superior and inferior first molars; polished superior central and lateral incisors, canines and premolars; abrasion superior and inferior central incisors and lateral left inferior incisor | / |  |
| Garda 17 | 21% | Average | AD | ? | Possible periosteal appositions on the tibias | Possible? | Maxilla bone, at the level of the central and lateral incisors, and left canine | No skull, but mandible preserved.  Only skeletal elements of the lower body preserved |
| Garda 18 | 34% | Average | birth | ? | / | / | / |  |
| Garda 19 | 13% | Poor | 2,5-3 yr | ? | Cribra orbitalia | / | / |  |
| Garda 20 | 82% | Good | OA | F | Extensive teeth loss | / | Manubrium and sternal body, T8 and T9 | No maxilla and almost complete antemortem tooth loss on mandible |
| Garda 21 | 3% | Good | 2,5-3 yr | ? | / | / | / | Only the maxilla and the mandible preserved |
| Garda 22 | 19% | Poor | MA | ? | / | Abrasion superior and inferior first molars; polishing superior first and second molars; notching inferior left first premolar; filed superior and inferior incisors and superior left canine | Left forearm, left carpal bones, left MTC. | Re-association of the skull with postcranial skeletal elements not possible |
| Garda 23 | 51% | Average | OA | F | Osteoarthritis on L4 & L5; complete loss of teeth; possible old trauma or disease on the right parietal bone | / | Sternal body, right clavicle, T7 to T9 and right ribs |  |
| Garda 24 | 13% | Very good | MA | ? | Mild arthritis | / | Left humerus, both ulnas, both radius, left scapula? | Complete antemortem tooth loss maxilla and mandible |
| Garda 25 | 1% | Poor | AD | ? | / | Abrasion superior first right molar; polishing superior left lateral incisor and canine; filed superior incisors and left canine | / | No mandible.  Re-association of the skull with postcranial skeletal elements not possible |
| Garda 26 | 3% | Poor | MA | F? | Cribra orbitalia; incipient arthritis on the jaw joints | Light abrasion inferior first molars; polishing inferior left first and right second premolars; inferior right and left premolars | / | No maxilla.  Re-association of skull with postcranial skeletal elements not possible |
| Havdhem 1 | 95% | Good | YA | F | Caries | Abrasion superior and inferior central incisors; antemortem loss inferior first molars | Left radius, two proximal hand phalanges, two left ribs |  |
| Fardhem 1 | 25% | Poor | YA | ? | Hypoplasia | / | Mandible, left upper limb, left scapula |  |
| Fardhem 2 | 23% | Poor | MA-OA | ? | / | / | Unidentified forearm, and unidentified fragments of diaphysis |  |
| Stånga 1 | 59% | Very good | MA | M | Old fracture on left clavicle and left femur, that led to pathological lesions on the vertebrae, especially the lumbar area; spina bifida of the L1 and sacrum; strong muscle attachments of the arms, pelvis and legs (horseman?) | Abrasion superior and inferior first molars | One hand phalange |  |
| Stånga 2 | 6% | Good | OA | F | Extensive teeth loss; periapical cyst on the mandible; light hypoplasia | / | / | No postcranial skeletal elements found |
| Stånga 3 | 13% | Good | 40 weeks gestation | ? | / | / | / | No maxilla and mandible |

*AD = adult; YA = young adult; MA = middle adult; OA = old adult; F= female; M = male*