

Thomas Calvert



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Born: 11 Apr 1617 Ireland

Married: Jane Glasford

Died: 17 Dec 1685 New Castle, Delaware, USA

Parents: John Calvert & Grace Calvert

Thomas Calvert was born 1617 Lygasory, Lurgan, Armagh, Ireland and died 1685 New Castle Co, Del. He was the son of John Calvert & wife Grace.

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Thomas Calvert, son of John Calvert, of Moresome, neere Gisbrough in Yorkshire, in England, and of Gwale his wife, was borne at Lygakowy (now Lurgan) in the County of Ardmagh, in Ireland, in the year 1617 and about the 11th of ye 2nd month, 1647 he took to wife Jane, daughter of Hugh Glassond and of Margaret his wife, of Stranmillis (now Belfast) in the County of Antrim, ETC

Hillsborough is a town a few miles east of Lurgan, over the line in County Down. This Calvert family came first into Lurgan, and then moved to what is now Hillsborough, and then back to Lurgan. But the invaluable information is their original English Parish home.

"Moresome" neer Gisbrough is correctly called "Great Moresome," now often written "Great Moorsholm." It lies within the Parish of Skelton-in- Cleveland, and is a township thereof, being six miles east by south, of the town of Guisborough, in North Riding of the County of York, England. (See: Samuel Lewis: Topographical Dictionary of England.)

Thomas Calvert married Nov 11, 1647 Lurgan, Armagh, Ireland to Jane Glasford, born about 1626, daughter of Hugh Glasford & wife Margaret.

Members of the Society of Friends, (Quaker) Religion

Children: **Calvert**

1. John Born Oct 6, 1648, Stranmillis, Belfast, Ulster, Ireland Died in Delaware Co, Pa. (M) Judith Stamper May 26, 1673 in Ireland. Came to America late 1682

There was a dispute over the John Calvert/Margaret Hollingsworth (wife of Thomas) land in Chester, Pa. in 1686, which did not end until 1691. This dispute appears also in the Quaker records.

2. **Ann** Born Nov, 1650, Kilwarling, County Down, Ireland Died Aug. 17, 1697 Shellpot Crk, New Castle, Del. buried in Old Burying Ground, Newark.

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Ann Calvert first daughter of Thomas Calvert and Jane his wife was borne in Killwarlin (now Hillsborough) in the County of Down about the ninth month, Anno Domini, 1650----

Information from online research at: Ancestry.com

Last Will of Thomas Calvert (Ref: HOLLINGSWORTH REGISTER)

The Last Will of Thomas Calvert, Father of Mrs. Anne Hollingsworth
Thomas Calverts Nuncupative Will - (and of Mrs. Margaret Hollingsworth)

#23. A Testament of the truth Concerning Thomas Calverts Will which will be rehearsed hereafter,
he being weake in Body (y)et perfect in memory.

Item he Leaving to his Daughter Margaret two hundred Acres of Land with the Improvement Uppon
the said Land and the said Margaret to pay Eight pounds Unto her sister Elizabeth when the said
land and Plantation were sold.

Item. He left to his Daughter Margaret a standing bed and the furniture belonging to the said Bedd.

Item he left to his Daughter Margaret a brass still Pott with the furniture belonging to the said Pott.

Item. one Chest to his Daughter Margaret

Item. one Chest to his Daughter Elizabeth.

Item. he left to his wife and his daughter Margaret all the rest of his goods.

Item. he left to his Daughter Margaret one mare & one Cow.

Dated the 15th of the 1st Month (March) 1685 (1684/5- Ed.). I, Peter Taylor and George Reade,
being witnesses to the fore(sd.)words from the mouth of Thomas Calvert as witnesses our hands
witnesses to the said Testimony

Joshua Hastings.

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Peter P Taylor

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