Elder William BREWSTER

Birth: Abt 1567
Gender: Male
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William Brewster (pilgrim) From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia (Redirected from William Brewster (Pilgrim)) William Brewster

An imaginary likeness of William Brewster. There is no known portrait of him from life.

Background information
Birth name
William Brewster
Born
c. 1560 in Scrooby, England
Died
10 April 1644 in Duxbury, Massachusetts
Elder William Brewster (c. 1566 - April 10, 1644), was a Pilgrim colonist leader and preacher who came from Scrooby, in the North Riding of Yorkshire. He emigrated to America in 1620 and reached what became the Plymouth Colony in the Mayflower. He was accompanied by his wife, Mary Brewster, and his sons, Love Brewster and Wrestling Brewster. Son Jonathan joined the family in November 1621, arriving at Plymouth on the ship Fortune, and daughters Patience and Fear arrived in July 1623 aboard the Anne.

Origins
He was the son of William Brewster and Mary Smyth and he had a number of half-siblings. His paternal grandparents were William Brewster and Maud Mann. His maternal grandfather was Thomas Smyth. Brewster may have been born in Doncaster.

Scrooby Manor was in the possession of the Archbishops of York. Brewster’s father, William senior, had been the estate steward of Scrooby Manor. He had been the steward of Scrooby Manor for thirty-one years from around 1580. With this post went that of postmaster, which was a more important one than it might have been in a village not situated on the Great North Road, as Scrooby was then.
William Brewster was granted land amongst the islands of Boston Harbor, and four of the outer islands (Great Brewster, Little Brewster, Middle Brewster and Outer Brewster) now bear his name. [2][3]

In Leiden, the group managed to make a living. Brewster taught English and later, in 1616-1619, printed and published books. Initially, the Pilgrims settled in Amsterdam, and worshipped with the Ancient Church of Francis Johnson and Brewster's part in its creation and organisation is well attested. In 1620 he joined the first group of Pilgrims aboard the Mayflower on the voyage to North America. As the only university educated member of the colony, Brewster took the part of the colony's religious leader. Brewster was granted land amongst the islands of Boston Harbor, and four of the outer islands (Great Brewster, Little Brewster, Middle Brewster and Outer Brewster) now bear his name. [2][3]

Emigration

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Children

A rare 17th-century "Brewster Chair," named after the original owned by William Brewster [1] for which he was granted land amongst the islands of Boston Harbor, and four of the outer islands (Great Brewster, Little Brewster, Middle Brewster and Outer Brewster) now bear his name. [2][3]

The children of William and Mary were:

- Elder Jonathan Brewster (August 12, 1593 - August 7, 1659) married Lucretia Oldham of Derby.
- Jonathan, born 17 July 1629
- Patience Brewster (c. 1600 - December 12, 1634) married Gov. Thomas Prenc of Lechlade, Glos.
- Fear Brewster (c. 1606 - before 1634) so called because she was born at the height of the Puritan restrictions and pressures applied by the authorities convinced the congregation of a need to emigrate. In 1607, the group was arrested at Scotia Creek, but in 1608 Brewster and others were summoned before the ecclesiastical court for their dissent. They were set on a path of separation from the Anglican church, by the end of it, many were looking toward splitting from it. (See I On Davidson's disgrace, Brewster returned to Scrooby. There, from 1590 to 1607, he held the post of postmaster and was a rather rebellious Anglican priest, vicar of the parish of Sutton cum Lound. In 1619, the printing type was seized by the authorities under pressure from the English ambassador Sir Dudley Carleton and Brewster's part in its creation and organisation is well attested. In 1620 he joined the first group of Pilgrims aboard the Mayflower on the voyage to North America. As the only university educated member of the colony, Brewster took the part of the colony's religious leader. Brewster was granted land amongst the islands of Boston Harbor, and four of the outer islands (Great Brewster, Little Brewster, Middle Brewster and Outer Brewster) now bear his name. [2][3]
- Unnamed child was born and died 1609 in Leiden, Holland.
- Love Brewster was born in Leiden, Holland about 1611 and died between October 6, 1650 and January 3, 1651. She married, (1) of Lechlade, Gloucestershire, (2) on May 15, 1634. Sarah was baptized on April 30, 1616 at the Church of Merchant Adventurers, an initial shareholder in the Plymouth Plantation. Love and Sarah were
- Sarah
- Nathaniel
- William
- Wrestling
- Wrestling was born in 1614 in Leiden, Holland; was living in 1627, died unmarried before 1644 and was likely buried in Miles Standish Burial Ground in Duxbury. [edit]

Notable descendants

- Roger Nash Baldwin, was one of the founders of the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU).[4]
- Benjamin Harris Brewster, was an attorney and politician who served as United States Attorney General from 1881 - 1885.
- Daniel Baugh Brewster, was a Democratic member of the United States Senate, representing the State of Maryland in the United States House of Representatives from 1959-1963
- David Brewster (journalist),[7][8][9] is an American journalist
- Diane Brewster, was an American television actress.[citation needed]
- Janet Huntington Brewster, was an American philanthropist, writer, radio broadcaster and record producer. Her husband, Roland Brewster, was a composer and arranger. Their daughter, Lee De Forest, was an American inventor.[citation needed]
- Calvert DeForest, also known by his character Larry "Bud" Melman, was an American actor and comedian.
- Harry Lillis Bing Crosby, was an American singer and actor[13]
- Howard Brush Dean III, is an American politician and physician from the U.S. state of Vermont
- Lee De Forest, was an American inventor.[citation needed]
â€˘ Katherine Hepburn, [16] was an American actress of film, television and stage.
â€˘ George Troumbull Ladd,[17] was an American philosopher and psychologist.
â€˘ John Lithgow,[18] American actor and philanthropist
â€˘ Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, was an American educator and poet[19]
â€˘ Seth MacFarlane,[20] is an American animator, composer, writer, producer, actor, voice actor
â€˘ George B. McClellan, Civil War general, Governor of New Jersey, Democratic opponent of Ab
â€˘ Robert Noyce, nicknamed "the Mayor of Silicon Valley", was the inventor of the integrated ci
â€˘ Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry [22](1785â€“1819) an officer in the US Navy. He served in th
â€˘ Matthew Calbraith Perry [22]((1794â€“1858) was the Commodore of the U.S. Navy who comp
â€˘ William Blaine "Bill" Richardson III,[23] is a Democratic politician and the current Governo
â€˘ Cokie Roberts,[24] is an American Emmy Award-winning journalist and bestselling author.
â€˘ John Davison "Jay" Rockefeller IV, [25] has served as a Democratic U.S. Senator from West Vi
â€˘ Nelson Aldrich Rockefeller, [26] was the 41st Vice President of the United States, the 49th gov
â€˘ David Souter,[27] is an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.
â€˘ Arthur Ochs Sulzberger, Jr., [28] the publisher of The New York Times and chairman of the bo
â€˘ William Howard Taft, was the 27th President of the United States and the 10th Chief Justice of
â€˘ Zachary Taylor,[29] was an American military leader and the 12th President of the United Stat
â€˘ Sarah Knox Taylor, [29] the daughter of General Zachary Taylor, later President of the United
â€˘ The Wright brothers,[30][31][32] Orville (1871â€“1948) and Wilbur (1867â€“1912), were two Am
â€˘ Sewall Green Wright, was an American geneticist known for his influential work on evolutiona

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Children of William1 and Mary Brewster

| Child2 Brewster | Name and sex unknown; died at Leiden, Holland. |

Jonathan2 Brewster apparently had a wife and child at Leiden, Holland; but even the baptismal name of this child is not known. 

Patience2 Brewster married Thomas Prence. His first wife. 

Fear2 Brewster married Isaac1 Allerton, a Mayflower Passenger as his second wife. 

Love2 Brewster a Mayflower Passenger with his parents, married Sarah Collier. 

Child, buried Leiden 

Wrestling2 Brewster a Mayflower Passenger with his parents; died a young man, and unmarried. 

Children of Jonathan2 and Lucretia (Oldham) Brewster: 

- William3 Brewster, married Mary Peame. 
- Elizabeth3 Brewster, married, 1st, Peter Bradley; married, 2d, Christopher A.A.A. Ch married Samuel Starr. 
- Love2 Brewster (William1), a Mayflower Passenger with his parents Richard1) as his second wife. 
- William3 Brewster, married Lydia Partridge. 
- Wrestling3 Brewster married Edmund Freeman. 
- Thomas Prence3, married --. 
- Mercy Prence3, married John Freeman. 
- Richard1) married Mary. 

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2. Mary, b. Abt 1569, d. 1627

3. Mary SMYTHE

4. Family ID: F178989

5. Died: 1644

6. Person ID: I247231

7. Last Modified: 11 Apr 2011
3. Patience BREWSTER, d. Bef 12 Dec 1634
4. Love BREWSTER
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