

William Potter

Birth: Aug., 1608
Lewes, England
Death: Jun. 6, 1662
New Haven
New Haven County
Connecticut, USA

Baptized at St. Thomas, Lewes, Sussex, 28 Aug 2608, son of William & Ann (Langford) Potter. Husbandman from Lewes, Sussex who came to New England in 1635 on the "Abigail" His whereabouts here is unknown prior to his admission to the New Haven church by 22 Aug 1641. (On 1 Jul 1635, "Husbandman William Potter," aged 27, "uxor Francis Potter," aged 26, & "Joseph Potter," aged 20 weeks, were enrolled at London as passengers for New England on the Abigail.) Executed at New Havwn on 6 Jun 1662 for bestiality.

Married by 1635, Frances ____.

William Potter was followed to New England by his mother, Ann (Langford) (Potter) Beecher, his brother, John Potter, & his half-brother, Isaac Beecher.

Family links:

Parents:

William Potter (____ - 1619)

Hannah *Langford* Potter Beecher (____ - 1659)

Spouse:

Frances Potter

Children:

Joseph Potter (1635 - 1669)*

Sarah *Potter* Foote (1641 - 1706)*

Nathaniel Potter (1644 - 1710)*

Siblings:

William Potter (1608 - 1662)

John Potter (1609 - 1644)*

Isaac Beecher (1624 - 1690)**

*Calculated relationship

**Half-sibling

Burial:

Unknown

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