

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN THURSTON

Generation 1

John Thurston, b. ca. 1470, of Hoxne, Suffolk, Eng.; d. ca. Dec 1, 1540, Hoxne, Suffolk, Eng.; marr. Anne Fitz Hugh (dau. John & Anne **Fitz Hugh**, she was b. ca. 1473, Hoxne, Suffolk, Eng.); ISSUE: 1. Nicholas

Generation 2

Nicholas Thurston, b. ca. 1493 of Hoxne, Suffolk, Eng.; d. ca. 1551 Hoxne, Suffolk, Eng.; marr. **Julian Sharpe**; ISSUE: 1. Robert

Generation 3

Robert Thurston, b. ca. 1518, of Challock, Kent, Eng.; d. ca. Nov 21, 1555, Challock, Kent, Eng.; marr. 1) **Joan Woodward**; 2) Margaret Walden; ISSUE of Robert & Joan: 1. Thomas 2. Alexander 3. **Richard** 4. Benet 5. Elizabeth 6. John (by wife #2)

Generation 4

Richard Thurston, Esq., b. ca 1553, of Challock, Kent, Eng.; d. ca. Sep 1593; marr. Unk; ISSUE: 1. **Jane Thurston** (only daughter & heir)

Generation 5

Jane Thurston, christened. ca. 1573 of Challock, Kent, Eng.; d. ca. Feb 2 1648/49; marr. **Thomas Gookin** 1596, Canterbury, Kent, Eng. (he was christened 13 Jan 1572, Ripple, Kent, Eng.; d. ca. Feb 20, 1624/25, Ripple, Kent, Eng.; (See [Gookin Family](#))

References:

- 1) "Daniel Gookin, 1612-1687: Asst. & Maj. Gen'l of the Massachusetts..." by Frederick W. Gookin (google ebook); p. 15 - Hatchment used at funeral of Thomas Gookin, Esq. of Ripple Court, January 1625: arms of Gookin quartering Durrant & impaling Thurston; argent, on a bend, gules, 3 mullets, or, in chief a bear (?), gules.... (See Hatchment at Gookin Family Page)
- 2) Rootsweb/World Connect
- 3) <http://shankfamily.us/RegistryReports/ThurstonFamily.html>