

The Proof that John Pride is actually an alias for Joseph Pride, Executioner of King Charles 1st

5.	Dec.	William and Judith, of Nicholas and Mary (<u>Eliot</u>) <u>Woodberry</u> .
12.	“	John, William, Peter, Joseph, Mary and Elizabeth, of John and Jane <u>Pride</u> .

The most obvious evidence for John being an alias is that all six family names baptised in 1686 in Beverly (above) exactly match Lord Prides family and his only son named John, Josephs older brother, died at birth in 1630. The entire Pride population in England was less than 50 in 1675. The Beverly Baptism names are not repeated outside Lord Prides Family. The Pride name was so unique and rare that the years **1604, 1606, 1620, 1642, and 1657** had zero Prides born in England in those years. Joseph Pride goes missing from all records in 1658 in his early 20s, the only Lord Pride descendant to do so, and he was one of the wealthiest men in England at the time. Rich men that don't leave, leave records !

All John Prides born in England are accounted for, they all have corresponding death records in England with solid matching data. The files below are all linked in the **internet version**. Every John born in England has a corresponding Death record in England. The was no John to be John.

All Eleven John Prides born in England 1620 thru 1660
(Marriage Ages 15 to 55 in 1675)

Born	Died	Place	Parents
1622-0407	1681-0317	Hardwicke, Gloucestershire, England	Thomas
1627-0717	1627-0719	Saint Ann Blackfriars, London	John+Ester
1627-0810	1664-0728	Sherborne, Dorset, England	Habakkuk Pride
1629-0913	1664-1126	Moreton Valence, Gloucester, England	Gersom Pride
<u>1630-1112</u>	<u>1630-1122</u>	<u>Saint Bride Fleet Street, London</u>	<u>Thomas+Elizabeth</u>
1636-0703	1636-0710	St Giles Cripplegate, London	John
1639-0308	1639-0920	Nettlecombe, Somerset	John+Grace
1646-0823	1683-0530	Sherborne, Dorset, England	Shadrach+Bridget
1648-0129	1652-0308	Sherborne, Dorset, England	Gualthen+Elizabeth
1648-0306	1648-0427	Saint Martin, Ludgate, City of London	Thomas+Anne
1654-0621	1664-0728	Sherborne, Dorset, England	Walter Pride

Ai is now in the process of making all the surviving old handwritten documents into readable and searchable computer text. Extensive new items have surfaced in the last year and are now up on the website (Google "Joseph Pride of Maine"). Extensive British Naval records and Journals are hoped for soon, as many of the Events surrounding Joseph in America involved Lord Prides Navy in one way or the other, I have great hopes for these records, stay tuned ! I hope you enjoy the site.

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