

## **During Virginia's Long Parliament**

Colonel Robert Wynne of Canterbury, England served as a representative for Charles City County from 1657 to 1660. He was part of the "Long Parliament" of Virginia from 1661 to 1674, serving as Speaker of the House. At the time, he served longer than any Virginian. He was buried in the churchyard of Jordan's Parish.

When Colonel Robert Wynne was born on 22 December 1622, in Canterbury St Dunstan, Canterbury, Kent, England, United Kingdom, his father, Captain Peter Wynne, was 29 and his mother, Mary Wickham, was 27.

He was married to Mary Frances Sloman on 11 December 1653. They were the parents of at least 4 sons and 6 daughters.

In 1662, at the age of 52, his occupation is listed as 14th speaker of the virginia house of burgesses in Virginia, British Colonial America. He died in September 1675, in Charles City, Charles City County, Virginia, British Colonial America, at the age of 52, and was buried in Merchants Hope Cemetery, Prince George, Virginia, British Colonial America.