

# Ancestors of Donald BRYANT CFA #206

## Donald Bryant's ancestry has 4 lines:

1. Robert 1616, Robert 1646, Samuel 1672, Caleb 1708, Caleb 1740, Timothy 1779, Susan 1817
2. Robert 1616, Robert 1646, Samuel 1672, Caleb 1708, Mehetabel 1759, Charlotte (Jones) 1789, Timothy 1779, Susan 1817
3. Robert 1616, Mary 1655, Samuel (Bates Jr); Susan 1817
4. Rebecca 1617 who married Wm Bushnell, leads to Susan through her grandmother Elizabeth Bushnell 1744 who married Caleb C. Chapman

### *Generation 1*

1. Donald<sup>1</sup> BRYANT, son of 2. Thomas Alton BRYANT.

### *Generation 2*

2. Thomas Alton<sup>2</sup> BRYANT, son of 3. Harry F. BRYANT and 4. Eugelia Marie TOWNSEND. He married unknown.

Children of Thomas Alton BRYANT were as follows:

- 1 i Donald<sup>1</sup> BRYANT.

### *Generation 3*

3. Harry F.<sup>3</sup> BRYANT, born 9 Jun 1899 in Thompsonville, Benzie Co., MI; died 6 Dec 1978 in Batavia, Clermont Co., OH. He married on 14 May 1924 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., MI 4. Eugelia Marie TOWNSEND, born 8 Jan 1899 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., MI; died 24 Nov 1990 in Lansing, Ingham Co., MI, daughter of 5. Eugene Martin TOWNSEND and 6. Carrie Eugelia HOLBROOK.

### *Generation 4*

5. Eugene Martin<sup>4</sup> TOWNSEND, born 7 Aug 1873 in Lockport, Niagara Co., NY; died 11 Aug 1959 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., MI; buried in Rosedale Memorial Gard., Ottawa Co., MI, son of 7. Martin V. TOWNSEND and 8. Ellen Mariel EVANS. He married 6. Carrie Eugelia HOLBROOK, born 10 Feb 1871 in Hubbardston, Ionia Co., MI ?; died 30 Aug 1943 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., MI; buried in Rosedale Memorial Gard., Ottawa Co., MI, daughter of 9. James Morse HOLBROOK and 10. Eugenia N. TOWNSEND.

### *Generation 5*

7. Martin V.<sup>5</sup> TOWNSEND, born 20 Nov 1837 in Lewis Co., NY; died 17 Mar 1919 in Hubbardston, Ionia Co., MI; buried in West Side, Ionia Co., MI, son of 11. Elan Durkee TOWNSEND and 12. Sabra Ann LEWIS. He married ABT \_\_\_ 1871 in prob. Lockport, Niagara Co., NY 8. Ellen Mariel EVANS, born 18 Nov 1849 in Madison Co., NY; died 25 Nov 1903 in Hubbardston, Ionia Co., MI; buried in West Side Cemetery, Ionia Co., MI, daughter of 13. John EVANS and 14. Susan Maria CHAPMAN.

### *Generation 6*

11. Elan Durkee<sup>6</sup> TOWNSEND. He married 12. Sabra Ann LEWIS.

Children of Elan Durkee TOWNSEND and Sabra Ann LEWIS were as follows:

7 i **Martin V.<sup>5</sup> TOWNSEND**

13. **John<sup>6</sup> EVANS**. He married 14. **Susan Maria CHAPMAN**, born 11 Sep 1817 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT, daughter of 15. Timothy CHAPMAN and 16. Charlotte JONES.

Children of John EVANS and Susan Maria CHAPMAN were as follows:

8 i **Ellen Mariel<sup>5</sup> EVANS**, born 18 Nov 1849 in Madison Co., NY; died 25 Nov 1903 in Hubbardston, Ionia Co., MI; buried in West Side Cemetery, Ionia Co., MI. She married ABT \_\_\_ 1871 in prob. Lockport, Niagara Co., NY **Martin V. TOWNSEND**, born 20 Nov 1837 in Lewis Co., NY; died 17 Mar 1919 in Hubbardston, Ionia Co., MI; buried in West Side, Ionia Co., MI, son of Elan Durkee TOWNSEND and Sabra Ann LEWIS.

ii **John<sup>5</sup> EVANS**, born 3 Jul 1840.

iii **James<sup>5</sup> EVANS**, born Jun 1842.

iv **Eliza<sup>5</sup> EVANS**, born Jul 1844.

v **William<sup>5</sup> EVANS**, born 8 Jun 1847.

### *Generation 7*

15. **Timothy<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 22 Nov 1779 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 25 Apr 1859; buried in Messinger's Bay, Madison Co., NY, son of 17. Caleb C. CHAPMAN and 18. Elizabeth BUSHNELL. He married on 22 Oct 1806 16. **Charlotte JONES**, born 1789; died aft 1855, daughter of 19. Augustus JONES and 20. Mehetable CHAPMAN.

Children of Timothy CHAPMAN and Charlotte JONES were as follows:

i **Charlotte<sup>6</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 8 Jan 1800 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

ii **Mehetable<sup>6</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 3 Jul 1811 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

iii **Electa Ann<sup>6</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 2 Nov 1814 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

14 iv **Susan Maria<sup>6</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 11 Sep 1817 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married **John EVANS**.

v **Timothy<sup>6</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 20 Nov 1819.

### *Generation 8*

17. **Caleb C.<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 13 Feb 1740 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 1 Oct 1797, son of 21. Caleb CHAPMAN and 22. Deborah JONES. He married (1) on 18 Nov 1764 **Phebe POST**, died 3 Apr 1766; (2) on 5 Jan 1769 18. **Elizabeth BUSHNELL**, born abt 1744; died 29 Nov 1824, daughter of 23. Samuel BUSHNELL and 24. Elizabeth UNKNOWN Bushnell.

Children of Caleb C. CHAPMAN and Phebe POST were as follows:

i **Chloe<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, died 1 Jun 1775.

Children of Caleb C. CHAPMAN and Elizabeth BUSHNELL were as follows:

i **Elisabeth<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**.

ii **Richard<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 22 Apr 1772 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

iii **Charles<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 22 Jun 1774 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

iv **Henry<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 16 Jul 1777 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. Notes: Died unmarried.

15 v **Timothy<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 22 Nov 1779 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 25 Apr 1859; buried in Messinger's Bay, Madison Co., NY. He married on 22 Oct 1806 **Charlotte JONES**, born 1789; died aft 1855, daughter of Augustus JONES and Mehetable CHAPMAN.

vi **Edward<sup>7</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 21 Jan 1782 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT.

19. **Augustus<sup>8</sup> JONES**, born 1752. He married on 10 Dec 1777 20. **Mehetable CHAPMAN**, born 1758, daughter of 25. Caleb CHAPMAN and 26. Deborah JONES.

Children of Augustus JONES and Mehetable CHAPMAN were as follows:

- i **Nabby<sup>7</sup> JONES**.
- ii **Augustus<sup>7</sup> JONES**.
- iii **Hitty<sup>7</sup> JONES**.
- iv **Asa<sup>7</sup> JONES**.
- 16 v **Charlotte<sup>7</sup> JONES**, born 1789; died aft 1855. She married on 22 Oct 1806 **Timothy CHAPMAN**, born 22 Nov 1779 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 25 Apr 1859; buried in Messinger's Bay, Madison Co., NY, son of Caleb C. CHAPMAN and Elizabeth BUSHNELL.

### *Generation 9*

21. **Caleb<sup>9</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 15 Jan 1708 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT, son of 27. Samuel CHAPMAN and 28. Margaret GRISWOLD. He married on 5 Jun 1738 22. **Deborah JONES**.

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- 17 i **Caleb C.<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 13 Feb 1740 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 1 Oct 1797. He married (1) on 18 Nov 1764 **Phebe POST**, died 3 Apr 1766; (2) on 5 Jan 1769 **Elizabeth BUSHNELL**, born abt 1744; died 29 Nov 1824, daughter of Samuel BUSHNELL and Elizabeth UNKNOWN Bushnell.
- ii **Deborah<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 9 Dec 1741 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married on 2 Jan 1770 **Benjamin POST**.
- iii **Abigail<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 29 Dec 1743 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married on 31 Jan 1770 **Elisha PLATTS**.
- iv **Sarah<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 19 Mar 1746 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died ABT \_\_ 1841. She married on 1 Jan 1767 **Christopher POST**. Notes: CFA # 000 Helen M. Chadderdon
- v **Louisa<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 18 Feb 1748. Notes: Louisa never married.
- vi **Samuel<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 20 Apr 1751 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. He married on 2 Nov 1778 **Martha LEE**.
- vii **Juliana<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 16 Oct 1753 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married on 22 Nov 1774 **Stephen DENISON**.
- viii **Mehetable<sup>8</sup> CHAPMAN**, born 1758. She married on 10 Dec 1777 **Augustus JONES**, born 1752.

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- 20 viii **Mehetable**<sup>8</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 1758. She married on 10 Dec 1777 **Augustus JONES**, born 1752.

### *Generation 10*

27. **Samuel**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 12 Sep 1672 in Saybrook, Middlesex Co., CT, son of 31. Robert CHAPMAN and 32. Sarah GRISWOLD. He married on 6 Dec 1693 28. **Margaret GRISWOLD**, born 10 Dec 1675 in Norwich, New London, CT; died 21 Dec 1750 in Killingworth, Middlesex, CT, daughter of 33. Captain Samuel GRISWOLD and 34. Unknown (---).

Children of Samuel CHAPMAN and Margaret GRISWOLD were as follows:

- i **Sarah**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 27 Aug 1694 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 5 Feb 1716. She married on 26 Nov 1713 **Nathaniel KIRTLAND**, born 24 Oct 1690 in Saybrook, Middlesex, CT; died 27 Feb 1750.
- ii **Margaret**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 6 Apr 1697 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 14 Feb 1717. She married on 21 Jan 1713 **Joshua BUSHNELL**.
- iii **Samuel**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 10 Jun 1698 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT.
- iv **Martha**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 2 Apr 1700 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 30 Aug 1752 in Killingworth, Middlesex Co., CT; buried in Union Cemetery. She married on 31 Mar 1720 in Killingworth, Middlesex Co., CT **Benjamin TURNER**, born 1695; died 25 Nov 1776 in Killingworth, Middlesex Co., CT.
- v **Temperance**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 17 Dec 1701 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT.
- vi **Jedediah**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 9 Oct 1703 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 10 Feb 1764 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT. He married on 5 Jun 1723 **Hester KIRKLAND**, born 10 Mar 1703 in Westbrook, Middlesex Co., CT, daughter of John KIRKLAND and Temperance BUCKINGHAM.
- vii **Mehetable**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 17 Nov 1705 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married on 14 Dec 1727 **Stephen CHALKER**, born 19 Jul 1707, son of Stephen CHALKER and Elizabeth CHAPMAN.
- 21 viii **Caleb**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 15 Jan 1708 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT. He married on 5 Jun 1738 **Deborah JONES**.
- ix **Lucy**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 28 Dec 1709 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT. She married on 31 Oct 1732 **Zebulon DUDLEY**.
- x **Aaron**<sup>9</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 13 Aug 1713; died 1738.

### *Generation 11*

31. **Robert**<sup>11</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 16 Sep 1646 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 10 Nov 1711 in Hartford, Hartford Co., CT; buried in Old Burial Ground, Hartford, CT, son of 37. Robert CHAPMAN and 38. Ann BLISS. He married (1) on 27 Jul 1671 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT 32. **Sarah GRISWOLD**, born 28 Mar 1653 in Windsor, Hartford Co., CT; died 7 Apr 1692 in Norwich, New London, CT, daughter of 39. Francis GRISWOLD and 40. Mary TRACY; (2) on 29 Oct 1694 in Kennellworth **Mary DURANT -SHEATHER**.

Children of Robert CHAPMAN and Sarah GRISWOLD were as follows:

- 27 i **Samuel**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 12 Sep 1672 in Saybrook, Middlesex Co., CT. He married on 6 Dec 1693 **Margaret GRISWOLD**, born 10 Dec 1675 in Norwich, New London, CT; died 21 Dec 1750 in Killingworth, Middlesex, CT, daughter of Captain Samuel GRISWOLD and Unknown (---).
- ii **Robert**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 19 Apr 1675 in SayBrook, Middlesex Co., CT; died 24 Dec 1760; buried in Modus Cemetery, East Haddam, CT. He married **Mary STEVENS**, born 3 Dec 1674; died 5 Jun 1764; buried in Modus Cemetery, East Haddam, CT, daughter of James STEVENS and Mary (---).
- iii **Sarah**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 12 Sep 1677; died 15 Oct 1677.

- iv **Francis**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 5 Aug 1678; died 1716.
- v **Dorcas**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 26 Aug 1680; died SEP \_\_ 1680.
- vi **Stephen**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 24 Nov 1681; died 14 Mar 1686.
- vii **Son**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 6 Mar 1683; died 10 Mar 1683.
- viii **Sarah**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 19 Dec 1686; died abt 25 Jan 1689.
- ix **Son**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 6 Nov 1689; died 9 Nov 1689.

Children of Robert CHAPMAN and Mary DURANT -SHEATHER were as follows:

- i **Benjamin**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 1 Mar 1695. He married **Lydia** (---).
- ii **Mehetable**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 15 Mar 1697; died 1 Mar 1698.
- iii **Stephen**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 5 May 1699; died 3 Feb 1708.
- iv **Abigail**<sup>10</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born 20 Mar 1701; died 28 Jan 1719 in Guilford, New Haven, CT. She married on 28 Jan 1719 **Joseph WHITTLESEY**.

### *Generation 12*

37. **Robert**<sup>12</sup> **CHAPMAN**, born abt 1616 in Hull, Yorkshire, England; died 13 Oct 1687 in Saybrook, Middlesex Co., CT, son of (---) CHAPMAN. He married on 29 Apr 1642 38. **Ann BLISS**, born 1614 in Rodborough, Gloucestershire, England; died 20 Nov 1685 in Saybrook, Middlesex, CT, daughter of Thomas BLISS and Margaret HULINGS.

“According to family tradition, Robert Chapman was born in 1616, and came to New England from Kingston upon Hull, Yorkshire, in 1635. Recent scholarship (*The American Genealogist* 66 [199]:30-32) indicates the purported Yorkshire origins are inaccurate, and suggests future research in the London area and Nearby counties. In Robert’s autobiographical letter, he described visiting friends in Kent and Sussex before “taking ship,” providing more clues about his origins.”

Scr: *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register*, Volume 159, October 2005, p. 317. “Autobiographical Letter of Robert Chapman of Saybrook, Connecticut,” Judith H. Halseth.

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