

## GENERATION NO. 2

### JAMES BROMEFIELD

**2. II. JAMES BROMEFIELD** was born in “in Mr. Skelton’s Lane” and christened on January 22, 1705/06, in St Alphege’s, Greenwich.<sup>1</sup> He married ELIZABETH KITHER on January 25, 1731/32 in St Alphege’s Church, Greenwich, by licence.<sup>2</sup>

In his will dated 29 May 1756 John WEEDON of East Greenwich, carpenter, left to James BROWNFIELD of East Greenwich, taylor and Elizabeth his wife £10.<sup>3</sup>

JAMES BROMEFIELD and ELIZABETH KITHER had eight children, they were:

I JOHN BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on August 12, 1733.<sup>4</sup> John was apprenticed to George Smith, a waterman, on July 13, 1750<sup>5</sup>. On September 2, 1760 He married ELIZABETH SPELSBURY in St Alphege’s Church, Greenwich.<sup>6</sup> ELIZABETH BRUMFIELD, a Waterman’s wife, was buried at St Alphege’s on December 22, 1797<sup>7</sup>. This was probably John’s wife.

John and Elizabeth had four children:

- (i). SARAH BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on September 21, 1761.<sup>8</sup>
- (ii). JOHN BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on March 30, 1766.<sup>9</sup>
- (iii). MARY BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on January 25, 1768.<sup>10</sup>
- (iv). CATHERINE BROMFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on September 1, 1776.<sup>11</sup>

The remaining children of James and Elizabeth were:

II. ELIZABETH BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on July 27, 1735.<sup>12</sup>

III. JAMES BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on September 10, 1738.<sup>13</sup>

IV. MARY BROWNFIELD who was christened in St. Alphege’s on July 12, 1741.<sup>14</sup>

**3. V. WILLIAM BROWNFIELD** who was christened in St Alphege’s on November 3, 1742.<sup>15</sup> (See William and Ann)

VI. THOMAS BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on September 1, 1745,<sup>16</sup> where he married Sarah Young on February 28, 1767.<sup>17</sup> Thomas was apprenticed as a waterman to George Clavell on February 8, 1760 and completed his apprenticeship on November 11, 1767.<sup>18</sup>

VII. MARY BROWNFIELD who was christened in St Alphege’s on December 4, 1748.<sup>19</sup>

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