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ALDBURGH MANOR

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ABOUT THE MANOR

Aldburgh Manor was the manor or principal estate associated with Aldburgh, a settlement in the former township of Burton-upon-Ure in the parish of Masham, North Riding of Yorkshire, now within North Yorkshire. The site lies on the east bank of the River Ure, near Aldburgh Hall. Medieval evidence connects Aldburgh with a grange and landed estate of Fountains Abbey; the surviving records and later descriptions identify Aldburgh Hall as the principal house of the post-Dissolution Aldburgh estate. The present hall is an eighteenth-century house with mid-nineteenth-century refronting, incorporating or replacing earlier buildings. The manor should not be confused with Aldborough in the former West Riding, Aldbrough in the East Riding, or Aldburgh in Holderness.

OWNERSHIP / HOLDER ACCOUNT

Aldburgh was associated in the twelfth and later medieval periods with the Cistercian estate of Fountains Abbey, whose chartulary contains material relating specifically to its grange of Aldburgh in Masham. The monastic estate was confiscated at the Dissolution and the Crown granted or sold the relevant Aldburgh estate in 1540 to Sir Richard Gresham. The estate descended to his grandson William Gresham, who sold it in 1597 to Roger Beckwith. It then descended through the Beckwith family, including Arthur Beckwith, Sir Roger Beckwith, 1st Baronet, and Sir Roger Beckwith, 2nd Baronet. On the death of the latter in 1743, the estate passed to his granddaughter Mary Thompson; her trustees sold it to John Hutton of Marske Hall. It subsequently descended through James Hutton, James Henry D'Arcy Hutton, John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton, and John Timothy

D'Arcy Hutton

II. The securely documented public descent presently located ends with John Timothy

D'Arcy

Hutton II, who inherited Aldburgh Hall and the associated estate in 1874 and died in 1931.

Later

occupation or ownership has not been added because the available sources located do not establish a

reliable post-1931 manor conveyance.

CONVEYANCE / DESCENT

- mid-12th century - 1539 | Fountains Abbey | Granted or otherwise acquired as part of the Fountains Abbey estate; the exact instrument and date require consultation of the Aldburgh chartulary and related deeds. | | British Library Archives and Manuscripts Catalogue, Egerton MS 3053 A-B, Chartulary of Fountains Abbey relating to its grange of Aldburgh in Masham, North Riding of Yorkshire; National Archives, Major Accessions to Repositories 1994, MIC 2945, Aldburgh (Masham) and district deeds and related documents, circa 1154-1597.
- 1539 - 1540 | The Crown | The Fountains Abbey estate was seized by the Crown following the Dissolution of the Monasteries; the relevant Aldburgh estate was then disposed of by Crown grant or sale. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, account of Beckwith of Aldburgh Hall, citing the descent of Aldburgh Hall as Crown granted in 1540; National Archives, Major Accessions to Repositories 1994, MIC 2945, Aldburgh (Masham) and district deeds and related documents, circa 1154-1597.
- 1540 - after 1540 and before 1585 | Sir Richard Gresham | Crown grant or sale of the former Fountains Abbey Aldburgh estate in 1540. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; National Archives, Major Accessions to Repositories 1994, MIC 2945, Aldburgh (Masham) and district deeds and related documents, circa 1154-1597.
- after 1540 and before 1585 - 1597 | William Gresham | Inherited or otherwise received the Aldburgh estate as Sir Richard Gresham's grandson; sold the estate in 1597. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; National Archives, Major Accessions to Repositories 1994, MIC 2945, Aldburgh (Masham) and district deeds and related documents, circa 1154-1597.
- 1597 - 1635 | Roger Beckwith | Purchased the Aldburgh Hall estate from William Gresham in 1597. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall'; North Yorkshire Record Office material listed by The National Archives, MIC 2945, Aldburgh (Masham) and district deeds and related documents, circa 1154-1597.
- 1635 - 1642 | Arthur Beckwith | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from his father, Roger Beckwith, on or after Roger's death. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent and biography of Arthur Beckwith.
- 1642 - 1700 | Sir Roger Beckwith, 1st Baronet | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from Arthur Beckwith. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent and biography of Sir Roger Beckwith, 1st Baronet.
- 1700 - 1743 | Sir Roger Beckwith, 2nd Baronet | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from his father, Sir Roger Beckwith, 1st Baronet. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent and biography of Sir Roger Beckwith, 2nd Baronet.
- 1743 - 1756 | Mary Thompson | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from her maternal grandfather, Sir Roger Beckwith, 2nd Baronet; trustees sold the estate after her inheritance. | | Landed

Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent and biography of Mary Thompson.

- 1756 - 1768 | John Hutton | Purchased Aldburgh from the trustees of Mary Thompson's estate. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; Marske Estate and Hall, history of the Hutton family and associated Aldburgh Hall estate.

- 1768 - 1798 | James Hutton | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from his father, John Hutton. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; Marske Estate and Hall, history of the Hutton family.

- 1798 - 1864 | James Henry D'Arcy Hutton | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from his father, James Hutton. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; The History and Antiquities of Masham and Mashamshire, description of Aldburgh Hall as the seat and property of James Henry D'Arcy Hutton.

- 1864 - 1874 | John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton | Inherited the Aldburgh estate from his cousin, James Henry D'Arcy Hutton. | | Landed Families of Britain and Ireland, 'Beckwith (later Bury) of Aldburgh Hall', descent of Aldburgh Hall; Marske Estate and Hall, history of the Hutton family.

- 1874 - 1931 | John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton II | Inherited Marske Hall and Aldburgh Hall from his father, John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton. | | Marske Estate and Hall, history of the Hutton family, stating that John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton II inherited Aldburgh Hall in 1874; Bertuna's Children, biographical account of the D'Arcy Hutton family; The Peerage, person entry for John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton, recording residence at Aldburgh Hall.

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