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Francis Willoughby, 5th Baron Willoughby of Parham

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Dates: Baptised 1614; died 23 July 1666 Old Style/2 August 1666 New Style

BIOGRAPHY

Son of William Willoughby, 3rd Baron Willoughby of Parham, and Frances Manners, daughter of John

Manners, 4th Earl of Rutland. His elder brother Henry succeeded briefly to the barony and died about

1618, after which Francis succeeded. During the Civil War he supported Parliament, served as lord-lieutenant of Lindsey and commanded forces in Lincolnshire. He died at sea when his ship Hope

was lost in a hurricane off Guadeloupe.

NOTES / SOURCES

Dictionary of National Biography, 'Willoughby, Francis'

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Cracroft's Peerage, Willoughby of Parham

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https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Coat_of_Arms_of_Francis_Willoughby.svg

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