

## Caleb Upham (1723-1786)

Caleb Upham was born in Malden, October 17, 1723, the son of Ebenezer and Elizabeth Upton. He graduated from Harvard in 1744 and served as Truro's minister, 1755-1786. For a sketch of his life, see *Sibley's Harvard Graduates* 11:481-84.

1748 December 23 (Friday). It was Evening when Molly and I return'd home. Here was Mr. Caleb Upham who is our Schoolmaster; he supp'd and lodg'd here.

1748 December 24 (Saturday). Mr. Upham to his School at Mr. Hezekiah Pratts.

1748 December 25 (Sunday). Mr. Upham, Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Steward din'd. P.M. read Mat. 15 and my Exercise was an Exposition of the latter part of it. Mr. Upham here after meeting -- tarry'd to Supper and lodg'd here.

1748 December 28 (Wednesday). At my Returning home in the Eve, receiv'd a Letter from Mr. Upham inclosing a piece of Poetry which he stiles the Choice.

1748 December 29 (Thursday). Wrote a brief answer to Mr. Upham.

1749 January 5 (Thursday). Mr. Roberts, Mr. Upham and Mr. Tainter din'd here.

1749 January 8 (Sunday). N.B. Deacon Forbush was the person I talked with -- he din'd with me, as did his daughter in law (widow Forbush) as well as master Upham.

1749 January 15 (Sunday). Mr. Upham brought his Father to dine with me.

1749 January 16 (Monday). Master Uphams Father here.

1749 January 22 (Sunday). Mr. Upham and Dodge<sup>1</sup> from College din'd here.

1749 January 29 (Sunday). Mr. Upham and Granny Forbush din'd here.

1749 February 19 (Sunday). Mr. Upham.

1749 February 22 (Wednesday). Mr. Upham moves from Captain Bakers to Captain Maynards and keeps School there.

1749 February 23 (Thursday). Mr. Martyn and his Spouse made us a Visit, and din'd here. Mr. Upham also -- and Spent the Evening with me.

1749 February 26 (Sunday). Mr. Upham, Mr. Lawrence and Mr. Chaddock din'd here.

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<sup>1</sup>Ezekiel Dodge (Harvard 1749).

1749 March 1 (Wednesday). Din'd with the Officers at Captain Maynards, at the Invitation of Colonel Ward some Days ago. Messrs. Cushing, Martyn, Smith, Roberts and Upham there.

1749 March 5 (Sunday). Mr. Upham did not dine with us being gone to Grafton.

1749 March 11 (Saturday). Mr. Upham here p.m. At Eve I ask'd him to come tomorrow Evening.

1749 March 12 (Sunday). Mr. Upham here at Eve as I had invit'd him, and he stay'd over night.

1749 March 22 (Wednesday). Mr. Upham here.

1749 March 24 (Friday). In the Morning Mr. Upham here before he went home to his Fathers at Leicester.