

Richard Tilghman, Jr. (1740–1809); James (1742–probably ca. 1773). DAUGHTERS: Anna Maria (1737–1768), who married in 1764 Charles (1740–1769), son of *Charles Goldsborough* (1707–1767); Margaret (1744–1779), who married Richard (1746/47–1805), son of *Matthew Tilghman* (1717/18–1790); Henrietta Maria (1749–1787); and Mary (1753–?), who married Edward Roberts of Talbot County. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1782. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Queen Anne's County, 1734/35–1737 (Bills of Credit 1, Cv, 2–4). LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Queen Anne's County, commissioned 1734, 1735, 1737, 1739 (did not serve any of these terms; no records 1743–1744), commissioned 1744–1749, 1754–1758, 1760 (quorum 1737, 1739, no records 1743–1744, 1744–1749, 1754–1758, 1760; presiding justice, 1755–1760); St. Paul's Parish Vestry, Queen Anne's County, 1736–1739, 1743–1746, 1749–1757; deputy commissary, Queen Anne's County, in office January 1738/39–by February 1758; deputy commissary, Talbot County, in office April 1764–by March 1771; justice, Especial Court of Oyer, Terminer, and Gaol Delivery, Queen Anne's County, appointed 1739; St. Michael's Parish Vestry, Talbot County, qualified 1766. MILITARY SERVICE: major by 1744. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: received one slave from his father, 1738/39. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 340 acres in Queen Anne's County (probably gift from father). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: inherited 1,990 acres in Queen Anne's County and 1 lot in Ogetown, Queen Anne's County, from father; acquired 191 acres in Queen Anne's County, 1742; patented 28 acres in Queen Anne's County, 1747; received 138 acres in Talbot County from his mother, 1748; sold 341 acres in Queen Anne's County, ca. 1755; purchased 400 acres in Queen Anne's County by 1754 and sold off all except 66 acres of it over the next ten years; acquired an additional 412 acres in Talbot County by 1756; sold 140 acres in Queen Anne's County by 1758; bought 150 acres in Talbot County by 1761 and 84 acres in Queen Anne's County by 1763; charged with 2,218 acres and 1 lot in Ogetown, Queen Anne's County, in 1769, and 700 acres in Talbot County in 1772. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: will probated on October 31, 1782, in Talbot County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, at least £4,539.3.1 current money

(including 68 slaves and books). His estate was charged with 108 oz. plate. 1783. LAND: probably at least 2,800 acres in Queen Anne's and Talbot counties.

TILGHMAN, WILLIAM (1756–1827). BORN: on August 12, 1756, in Talbot County; fourth son. NATIVE: fourth generation. RESIDED: in Talbot County until 1764; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1764–ca. 1777; Chestertown, Kent County, ca. 1777–1793; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, ca. 1793–death. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: *James Tilghman* (1716–1793), son of *Richard Tilghman* (1672/73–1738/39). MOTHER: Ann (1727–?), daughter of *Tench Francis* (1701–1758). UNCLES: *William Tilghman* (1711–1782); *Edward Tilghman* (1713–1785); and *Matthew Tilghman* (1717/18–1790). AUNTS: Mary Tilghman (1702–ca. 1736), who married *James Earle, Jr.* (ca. 1694–1739); Henrietta Maria Tilghman (1707–1771), who married first, *George Robins* (1697–1742), and second, *William Goldsborough* (1709–1760); and Anna Maria Tilghman (1709–1763), who married first, *William Hemsley* (1703–1736), and second, *Robert Lloyd* (ca. 1712–1770). BROTHERS: *Tench* (1744–1786); *Richard* (1746–1796); *James Tilghman, Jr.* (ca. 1748–1796); *Philemon* (1760–1797); and *Thomas Ringgold* (1765–1789). SISTERS: Anna Maria (?–1817), who married *William Hemsley* (1736/37–1812); Henrietta Maria (1763–1796); Elizabeth, who married *James Lloyd* (ca. 1756–1830); and Mary (?–by 1793). FIRST COUSINS: *Michael Earle* (1722–1787); *Richard Tilghman Earle* (1728/29–1788); Anna Maria Earle (1725–1795), who married *Thomas Ringgold* (1715–1772); Henrietta Maria Earle (1730–1767), who married *William Hemsley* (1736/37–1812); *Peregrine Tilghman* (ca. 1741–1807); *James Tilghman* (1743–1809); Anna Maria Robins (1732–1806), who married *Henry Hollyday* (ca. 1725–1789); Margaret Robins (1734–1808), who married *William Hayward* (?–1791); Henrietta Maria Robins (1736–1791), who married *James Lloyd Chamberlaine* (1732–1783); *William Hemsley* (1736/37–1812); Deborah Lloyd (?–1810), who married *Peregrine Tilghman* (ca. 1741–1807); *Richard Tilghman, Jr.* (1740–1809); *Matthew Tilghman* (1760–1801); and Margaret Tilghman (1742–1817), who married *Charles Carroll, Barrister* (1723–1783). MARRIED on July 1, 1794, Margaret Elizabeth, daughter of James Allen of Philadelphia. CHILDREN. DAUGHTER: Elizabeth (?–1817), who married in 1816 Benjamin Chew (1793–1864). PRIVATE CAREER.