

# NAPIER

## OF ARDMOIR

**WILLIAM NAPIER OF ARDMOIR**, was a younger son of John Napier of Merchiston. He *m.* Margaret Cunningham with whom and with his brother Alexander Napier, he disposed the lands of Torrie Easter to Patrick Campbell of Edinample in 1637. He was father of,

1. Archibal Napier of Ardmuir, (*see below*).
2. Robert Napier, entered the army and served as Vice-Captain at the city of Tangiers. He *d.* prior to 22 January 1676, when his brother Francis was retoured his heir.
3. Francis Napier of Craiganet, was retoured heir-general to his brother Robert on 22 January 1676, and acquired the lands of Craiganet. (*see Napier of Craiganet*).
4. William Napier, became a Merchant and Provost of Glasgow. He *m.* Margaret Baillie, (she *d.* on 8 January 1722, aged 84), *d.* in May of 1701 and was father of,
  - 4a) John Napier, *bap.* at Glasgow on 24 January 1658.
  - 4a) Alexander Napier, *bap.* at Glasgow on 13 September 1659.
  - 4a) Dorothy Napier, *m.* Gilbert Buchanan of Bankel, and had issue.
  - 4a) Mary Napier, *m.* at Glasgow on 2 March 1688, to James Stirling of Ballagan, and was served heir to her father in £1275 secured over the lands of Easter Corslett on 15 February 1726. They had issue.
5. Thomas Napier of Ballachairn, was infeft in the lands of Ballochairn on 7 April 1676,<sup>1</sup> and was father of,
  - 5a) Archibald Napier of Ballachairn, succeeded his father and *m.* firstly, Isobel, daughter and heiress of David Oliphant of Culteuchar. He *m.* secondly, on 6 October 1720, Elizabeth MacFarlane, and was father of,
    - 5b) Thomas Napier, *bap.* at Baldernock on 31 March 1688, and *d dsp.*
    - 5b) Alexander Napier, *bap.* at Balfroon on 12 January 1701, and *dsp.*
    - 5b) Margaret Napier, *bap.* at Baldernock on 20 November 1690, and *dsp.*

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<sup>1</sup> Stirling Sasines 5/f.268

5b) Elizabeth Napier. She and her sisters Ann and Amelia were retoured heirs-portioners to their maternal grandfather David Oliphant in the lands of Balleid and others, on 2 March 1733.

5b) Anna Napier, *bap.* at Balfron on 17 June 1692.

5b) Amelia Napier, *bap.* at Balfron on 20 February 1704.

5b) Mary Napier, *bap.* at Balfron on 22 September 1696, and *dsp.*

5. Anna Napier, *m.* David Liddell of Craigannet (*c/m* 8 February 1660<sup>1</sup>).

6. Katherine Napier, *m.* Duncan Buchannan of Cashlie.

7. Mary Napier, *m.* Ewen MacGregor alias Graham of Kilmannan, (*c/m* 27 March 1656), and had issue.

**ARCHIBALD NAPIER OF ARDMOIR**, succeeded his father and *m.* in 1661, to Annabella Blair, granddaughter of Robert Blair of Finnick. He *d.* in September of 1670 and was father of,

**MARGARET NAPIER**, *m.* \_\_\_\_\_ Leckie and had issue :

**ARCHIBALD LECKIE**, who was served heir to his great-grandfather, William Napier of Ardmoir, in 1730.

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<sup>1</sup> Stirlign Sasines 12/f.244