

# Pilgrim Village Families Sketch: Edward Thompson

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**Birth:** Edward Thompson was most likely born in England.

**Death:** He died in New England on December 4, 1620, “the first that dies since their arrival.”

**Ship:** *Mayflower*, 1620

**Life in England:** Nothing is known of his life in England.

**Life in New England:** Edward Thompson came to Plymouth Colony in the household of William White as a servant.

**Family:** As a servant, Edward Thompson was most likely unmarried.