

#### Appendix 4.4: Captains Who Died in China

Note: Britain and Sweden did not adopt the Gregorian calendar until 1752 and 1753, respectively. This means that eleven days need to be added to some of the dates below in order to arrive at the correct time of death.

1. 1704.07.10 John Cradock (EIC ship *Sidney*) died at Bocca Tigris after several days of illness, and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/715B).
2. 1723.07.24 Nicholas Luhorne (EIC ship *Princess Ann*) died at Bocca Tigris of a violent fever (BL: IOR G/12/8, p. 1432, G/12/24, p. 27).
3. 1731.11.06 Francis Nelly (EIC ship *Hartford*) died in the morning at Canton at 31 years of age and was buried north of Canton (BL: IOR G/12/31, L/MAR/B/656E; KVB: Braad 1748, p. 104).
4. 1737.12.05 Richard Sheppard (EIC ship *Winchester*) died in Canton at 5 p.m. at 28 years of age and was buried at Whampoa (probably French Island) (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/643A).
5. 1738.08.15 Hindric Bremer (also spelled Brower) (SOIC ship *King Frederick*) died (at Whampoa?) after a few days illness and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/0313F).
6. 1742.07.26 John Balchens (EIC ship *Onslow*) died in Canton at 7 p.m. of a violent fever and was buried north of Canton (BL: IOR G/12/51, L/MAR/B/164C; KVB: Braad 1748, p. 105).
7. 1743.08.09 Petrus von Utfall (SOIC ship *Drottningen af Swerige*) died in Canton and was buried north of Canton (KVB: Braad 1748, p. 104; NAH: Canton 69, 1743.08.21).
8. 1754.09.17 Thomas Parker (EIC ship *Princess Augusta*) died in Canton at 10 p.m. and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/229F, L/MAR/B/297B, L/MAR/B/590A).
9. 1755.07.24 Robert Robinson (EIC ship *St George*) died at Whampoa at 4:30 p.m. and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/584G).
10. 1764.11.20 Charles Aulnet du Vaultenet (French ship *Penthièvre*) died in Canton and was buried on French Island (SHD: 2P 40 ARM; BL: IOR L/MAR/B/141C, L/MAR/B/278C, L/MAR/B/469A, L/MAR/B/501A, L/MAR/B/541F; RAC: Ask 1153a, 1764.11.20).
11. 1766.07.25 Alphonsus Glover (EIC ship *Duke of Cumberland*) died and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/471A, L/MAR/B/562E).
12. 1766.11.13 Jacob Wiebe (VOC ship *Jonge Thomas*) died in Canton and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/98D; RAC: Ask 1156a, 1766.11.13, p. 135v).
13. 1766.12.07 William Peters (EIC ship *Plassey*) died in Canton and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/567C; RAC: Ask 1156a, 1766.12.05, p. 146r).
14. 1772.11.21 Robert Jackson (private English resident at Macao) died in Canton in the early morning after several months of declining health and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR R/10/9, 1772.11.21, p. 114, L/MAR/B/542D).
15. 1772.11.26 Herman H. Strehlenert (SOIC ship *Stockholms Slott*) was looking after a boat and fell overboard at the Second Bar and drowned. There is no mention of his body being found (RAC: Ask 927, 1772.11.26, p. 74v, Ask 1053, 1772.11.26, p. 65r, Ask 1168, 1772.11.27, p. 121r; BL: IOR L/MAR/B/502C, 1772.11.27).
16. 1773.08.18 Jorgen *Dixen* (DAC ship *Dronning Sophia Magdalena*) died in Canton at 2 a.m. after several days illness and was buried on French Island (RAC: Ask 234, Ask 930, p. 74v, Ask 1172, p. 61v-62r).
17. 1780.12.01 Daniel Webb (EIC ship *London*) died in Canton and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/1H, L/MAR/B/465A-B, L/MAR/B/42H; RAC: Ask 1067, 1780.12.03, p. 99v).
18. 1785.09.08 Johan Adolph Burtz (SOIC ship *Gustaf Adolph*) died in Canton and was buried on French Island (BL: IOR G/12/79, p. 49, L/MAR/B/400J; RAC: Ask 957, p. 65r).
19. 1786.03.29 William Huddart (EIC ship *York*) died and was buried at Whampoa (BL: IOR L/MAR/B/530D).

20. 1786.09.14 Mogens Rabe Holm (DAC ship *Denmark*) died at Whampoa at 10:30 a.m. and was buried (probably on French Island) (RAC: Ask 961, p. 21v, Ask 1200, p. 38v-39r).
21. 1786.11.02 Hendrik Eduard Lodewijk Pook van Baggen (VOC ship *Beverwijk*) died and was buried on French Island (NAH: Canton 324, letter dated 1786.11.02, VOC 4432 DR, pp. 91, 96, Resolution dated 1786.11.06; BL: IOR L/MAR/B/165A; RAC: Ask 1084, p. 68v).
22. 1787.09.07 Sten Bergenstierna (SOIC ship *Drottning Sophia Magdalena*) died at Whampoa after 2 days illness and was buried on French Island (RAC: Ask 1086a, p. 63r, Ask 1086b, p. 56r, Ask 1202, 1787.09.07, p. 59r; BL: IOR G/12/86, p. 81, L/MAR/B/512A).
23. 1787.11.18 Godlieb Mulder (VOC ship *Admiraal de Suffren*) died at Whampoa at 9 p.m. and was buried on French Island (NAH: VOC 4436 DR, pp. 89-91; BL: IOR G/12/86, p. 238, L/MAR/B/356H).
24. 1788.12.08 James Hunt (EIC ship *Dutton*) died at Whampoa by falling overboard and drowning. There is no mention of where he was buried (BL: IOR G/12/94, p. 35; L/MAR/B/505H, L/MAR/B/511A). An American source, however, suggests that his death may have been suicide, stating that he 'drowned himself in Canton' (JCB: Brown box 737 folder 1 and folder 3 List of Ships for 1788).
25. 1791.10.05 John Henry Cox (*Nootka brig*, English vessel under Swedish flag) died in Canton in the early morning and was buried on French Island (NAH: VOC 4447 DR, 1792.02.24; UBG: Ms 1985, 1791.10.05-06, pp. 86-7).
26. 1792.11.29 Gregory Moffat Lewin (EIC ship *Bridgewater*) died just south of Bocca Tigris at 1:30 a.m. and was buried on Cowean Island (BL: IOR G/12/103, p. 164, L/MAR/B/42L).
27. 1797.10.12 Abel Vyvyan (EIC ship *Canton*) died at Whampoa aboard the ship at 10:15 a.m. (BL: IOR G/12/118, p. 166).
28. 1813.10.21 William Crowder (EIC ship *Lowther Castle*) died at 'two oclock after a short but painful illness of fifteen days'. He was buried at Whampoa on the 23rd (BL: IOR G/12/186, pp. 79, 110).