

Frequently Asked Questions

Who was Lord Baltimore and what did he do?

George Calvert, more notably known as Lord Baltimore, was a British member of Parliament and trusted advisor to the sovereignty who founded Maryland in North America after experiencing religious persecution in England. Lord Baltimore is also known for his extension of religious freedom to Christians in both of the charters he held: Avalon in Newfoundland and Maryland in the Chesapeake area.

Was Lord Baltimore a real person?

Lord Baltimore, more formally Baron of Baltimore, is a title that was bestowed upon George Calvert by King James I, in recognition of his political service and loyalty.

What is Lord Baltimore famous for?

Lord Baltimore is most noted for the founding of Maryland. Beyond that, he is known for creating religious freedom for all Christians within his North American colonies.

Who was the second Lord Baltimore or Cecil Calvert?

The second Lord Baltimore, Cecil Calvert, was George Calvert's oldest son. The noble title of Lord Baltimore was passed down to him upon the death of his father.