



## **Bio for Ensign Robert Monroe of Lexington – representing him with honor Rev. Dr. David Kemper**

**Robert Monroe, (Father George, Grandfather William)**

**Born May 4 1712, Killed on the Green April 19, 1775**

**He was a soldier in the French War, was standard-bearer at taking of  
Louisburg in 1758, and was again in service in 1762 to the King.**

**He served as ensign in Captain Parkers Company. He was 63 years old on the  
green and the oldest man to die for the cause that day of those on the green  
and throughout the day including Parkers revenge, and the push back of  
regulars, including Percy's Relief, to Boston on April 19<sup>th</sup>, as Militias, training  
bands, and minute companies, fortified Cambridge.**

**He was married to Anne Stone, born Nov 22, 1718, died August 20, 1775 she  
was the daughter of John and Mary (Reed) Stone.**

**Their Children all born in Lexington, MA**

- **Ebenezer Feb 5, 1737, died June 25, 1740 – 3 years old**
- **Anna, August 13, 1740, Married Daniel Harrington, clerk of Captains  
Parkers Company.**
- **Ruth, July 20, 1742, Married William Tidd, Lieutenant of Captains  
Parker Company**
- **Ebenezer, November 15, 1744**
- **John, June 15, 1748**
- **Child, November 21, 1756**

## **His Children also served on the green at the Battle of Lexington:**

- **Ebenezer Monroe Served on at the Battle of Lexington and in the Jersey Campaign.**
- **John Monroe served at the Battle of Lexington**

**His Grandfather William, was an Ensign in the colonial militia and was known as "Ensign Roe", He was constable in 1708, assessor in 1713, and selectman in 1724, 30, 34, and 35., Admitted to the church April 9, 1699.**

**His Father George died Jan 17 1747, age 73. He was known as "Sergeant George". He was a tythingman in 1719 and Selectman 1728.**