

Robert Forrester of 1st of Torwood = Margaret Livingston

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Robert Forrester of Torwood, as previously stated, died before 12th February 1463*, leaving a son, Alexander.

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Extract from Gordon MacGregor's Red Book of Scotland.

Robert Forrester of Pittentoscail and 1st of Torwood, had a charter under the Great Seal for the middle-part of the lands of Pittentoscail as heir to his grandfather, Malcolm Forrester of Pittentoscail, on 5th July 1450 and had a second charter of that date for the lands of Little Kettleston, in the sheriffdom of Linlithgow.¹ He was *apud le Torwood* by 1457 when he had a payment from the exchequer for thirty-three merks Scots from the customs of Bute² and had acquired the rights to the land of Torwood by 1458 when under the designation *Robert Forrester de Torwood* he received a further payment from the customs of Bute.³ He received a further payment from these customs in 1460⁴ and died after then and before 12th February 1643. He married Margaret Livingston whom as his relict, had instruments on 7th April 1478, relating to the request of Robert Forrester, her late husband's cousin, to be infeft in the lands of Mungwell,⁵ and was the father of: Malcolm Forrester, 3rd of Torwood.

1 RMS 1424-1513. No. 267 & 366

2 Ex. Rolls. Vol. VI. P. 329.

3 Ex. Rolls. Vol. VI. P. 420.

4 Ex. Rolls. Vol. VII. P. 13.

5 Stirling Burgh Protocol Book.

From: "The Forresters, a Lowland Clan and it's Lands" by Colin D. I. G. Forrester

On his mother's side, the first Laird was the nephew of James Bruce, Bishop of Dunkeld and Chancellor of Scotland, and the Chancellor gave him some rights over church lands in Little Dunkeld.

(Note that Colin gives a list of sources but doesn't link them to any particular statement.)