

## LLOYD (or LLOYDE), OLIVER (1570/1 - 1625), dean of Hereford

**Name:** Oliver Lloyd  
**Date of birth:** 1570/1  
**Date of death:** 1625  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** dean of Hereford  
**Area of activity:** Religion  
**Author:** John James Jones

Born 1570 or 1571, a native of Montgomeryshire, and uncle of [David Lloyd](#), dean of St Asaph. He matriculated 25 January 1588/9, became Fellow of All Souls, Oxford, and graduated B.C.L. 1597, and D.C.L. 1602, and was made advocate of Doctors' Commons 1609.

When or where he started his career as a cleric is not clear, but his advance in it was evidently rapid, for in 1615 he was made rector of Clynnog-fawr, Caernarfonshire, chancellor of Hereford, and canon of Windsor, and in 1617, dean of Hereford, which office he held until his death in 1625. He was a benefactor of Jesus College, Oxford.

He is to be distinguished from another Oliver Lloyd, who was his nephew and brother to the [David Lloyd](#) mentioned above. This Oliver Lloyd, who was also a Fellow of All Souls and a D.C.L., died in 1662.

### Author

**John James Jones**, (1892 - 1957)

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### Further Reading

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