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**Sir John Suckling** (1609-1641)

(English cavalier poet and courtier, b. Whitton, Middlesex son of Sir John Suckling, of Norwich, comptroller of the household of James I and Charles I; early Latinist, wrote for amusement; fought with Gustavus Adolphus, friend of Jonson, Davenant, Carew; raised a horse troop to support the king, defeated by the Scots, robbed in France by his servant, d. of a poisoned wound)

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