

## **M0010306: Portrait of Thomas Coram (c.1668-1751)**

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**CAPT. THOMAS CORAM,**

*Who among other Schemes for the public Benefit, which employ'd the greatest Part of his Life, by his sole & unwearied Application obtained the Charter for the Foundling Hospital, which was granted Oct. 17, 1739, as also the bounty on naval Stores imported from the British Plantations. He died highly esteem'd by Persons of all ranks, March 29, 1751. Aged 83 3/4.*

*Done from an Original Painting in the Possession of DENSBIT.*

*According to Act of Parliam. 1751*