
Will of John Moysey 1716 (PROB 11/552 Image 117)

Summary

Testator: John Moysey, Exton, Rutlandshire, Yeoman
Executrix: wife Margery
Date: 19 November 1715, proved 16 May 1716
Witnesses: Varty? Tyler, John Smith, Joseph Reynolds
Will:
- £10 to daughter Elizabeth Cumbrey
- £10 to son William Moysey
- £10 to son Richard Moysey
- £10 to daughter Mary Mason
- £10 each to grandchildren Henry, Elizabeth & Robert Cumbrey
- £10 each to grandchildren William, John & Elizabeth Mason
- 40s to poor of Exton
- freehold property in Exton to son William, after death of wife Margery
- rest to wife Margery

Text

In the name of God Amen

1. I John Moysey of Exton in the county of Rutland yeoman being in good health of body and of sound and perfect mind (thanks be God) and considering the uncertainty of human life do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and order following that is to say
2. First I commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God my creator hoping through the merits and mediation of my blessed saviour Jesus Christ to obtain pardon of all my sins and to inherit everlasting life and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executrix hereafter named and for such temporal estate as it has pleased God to bestow upon me I give and dispose thereof as follows
3. Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Cumbrey the sum of ten pounds of lawful money of Great Britain
4. Item I give unto my son William Moysey the like sum of ten pounds
5. Item I give to my son Richard Moysey ten pounds
6. Item I give to my daughter Mary Mason the sum of ten pounds
7. Item I give to my grandson Henry Cumbrey ten pounds and to my granddaughter Elizabeth Cumbrey ten pounds and to my grandson Robert Cumbrey the like sum of ten pounds
8. Item I give to my grandsons William Mason and John Mason and my granddaughter Elizabeth Mason ten pounds apiece
9. and I direct that all the legacies before bequeathed to my grandchildren shall be paid them severally at their respective ages of one and twenty years and if any of my said grandchildren shall die before their said ages of one and twenty years then the legacy of him or her so dying shall be divided amongst the survivors of them

10. Item I give to the poor of the parish of Exton aforesaid forty shillings to be paid within one month after my decease
11. Item I give and devise all my freehold lands and tenements whatsoever in Exton aforesaid after the decease of my loving wife Margery unto my said son William Moysey and to his heirs and assigns forever
12. Item I give all the rest and residue of my goods chattels and other personal estate whatsoever my debts and funeral charges being paid and satisfied unto my beloved wife Margery whom I do hereby constitute sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament
13. And I do hereby revoke all former wills by me heretofore made
14. In Witness whereof I the said John Moysey have hereunto set my hand and seal the nineteenth day of November in the second year of the reign of our sovereign lord George King of Great Britain AD 1715

John Moysey his mark

Sealed, signed, published and declared by the said John Moysey as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in his presence and observed the words Robert Cumbrey to be first interlines

Varty? Tyler her mark

John Smith

Joseph Reynolds

Probate 16 May 1716 Margeria Moysey widow executrix