The Last Will and Testament of William Fidler of Collingbourne Ducis Will proved 19th April 1614



Proved at London Original reference: PCC / PROB11 /123/375 Will dated: 11th February 1613

Testator	Fidler	William	
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Executors:			
Fidler		Wife	Joint Executor
Fidler	William	Eldest son	Join Executor
Overseers:			
Harston	Robert		
Fidler	Gabriell		

Beneficiaries		Relationship to	Oth or Information	
Surname	Given Names	testator	Other Information	
			Church of Collingborne Ducis	
Fidler			Unborn child	
Fidler	Mary	Daughter		
Fidler	Thomas	Son		
Fidler	Tristram	Son		
Witnesses:				
Fidler	Thomas			
Hunt	George			
Other Names	S:			
		Grandfather		
Dewy	John			
Fidler			Son of William, deceased	
Goodwife	Letis			
Smythe	Thomas		Of Brockenhurst, Hampshire	
Wilmot	John		Of Brockenhurst, Hampshire	

In the name of God Amen the in the yere of oure Lord one thousand five hundred and thirteene and the eleaventh of February I William Fidler beying very sicke in bodye but of perfect memory thankes be to god the Ancthor and given of every good grace Do make this my last will and testament in forme and manner folowing First of I bequeath my Soule into the handes of Almightie god my most mercifull father from whome I have receyved yt with full assurance that for his Sonnes take what hath redemed me from all my Synnes and Sanctified myne harte with his holie Spirit he will receyve me for and his [....] Sonnes and heire and an Inheritor in his etearnall Kingdome And for my body I desire to have yt honesthe enterred in the church yarde of Collingborne Ducis thereto be raised up by the mighttie power of god with other the sanicty at the generall resurrection when the trump shall blowe and they that are a sleepe in Christs shall rise and unto of corruption and put on interrupcon and so dwell in immortalitie for ever. And for my goodes I thus dispose of them; First of

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all I give unto my sonne Tristram tenne poundes And to my sonne Thomas tenne poundes : And to my daughter tenne poundes : And to the childe my wife is goying with all tenne poundes Item I make my wife and my eldest sonne William my full and ioynte executors Item my will ys that my sonne Thomas shall have twentie shillinges that his grandfather gave hym and twentie shillinges that goodwife Letts gave hym when she was widowe and William and Tristram a marke a piece and Mary and marke given the third brother that is deade Item Mary to have fortie shillinges by the gifte goodwife Letts when she was widowe In witnes of for one performance of these thinges I desire my loving fremdes and kynnesmen Robert Harston [?] and Gabriell Fidler to be my overseers In Witnesse whereof we have set to oure hande the daye and yere above written George Hunt Thomas Fidler *Post Script* Item I give to the churche of Collingborne Ducis twelve poundes pence Debts To John Dewy fyve poundes. In to me from Thomas Smythe and John Wilmot of Brooken Hurst in Hampshire seaven poundes

(Attestation Clause, giving wife's name as Johanne)

OPC Note:one marke was equal to 13s 4d $(^{2}/_{3}$ of a £)