

*The Last Will and Testament
Of Mary Asher
of Amesbury
Will Proved
27th November 1824*



Probate Court of London
Original reference PCC Prob11/1691
Will Dated - 24th July 1804
Codicil Dated - 1st November 1824
Buried at -

Testator:	Asher	Mary	Spinster of Chelsea, Middlesex
Executors:			None named
Overseers:			
Trustees:			

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Asher		Mother	
Asher	John	Brother	Yeoman of Rockbourne
Asher	Martha	Goddaughter	Daughter of Richard Asher. Original bequest revoked in the Codicil
Asher	Mary	Niece	Daughter of Richard Asher
Asher	Richard	Brother	
Asher	Thomas	Brother	Farmer of Amesbury
Zillwood	Elizabeth	Sister	Wife of William Zillwood
Witnesses			
Crocker	John		Witness to Codicil
Escott	Anne		
Gane	Alexander		Witness to Codicil
Jones	William		
Panlin	Elizabeth		
Other Names			
Zillwood	William	Brother in law	Of Amesbury

This is the last Will and testament of me Mary Asher of Chelsea in the County of Middlesex Spinster I give to my Goddaughter Martha Asher the daughter of my Brother Richard Asher all and Singular my Cloaths and Wearing Apparel I

give and bequeath to my Brother John Asher of Rockbourne in the County of Wilts Yeoman and to my Brother Thomas Asher of Amesbury in the said County of Wilts ffarmer all the rest and residue of my Estate Goods and Effects whatsoever Upon trust to call in and Convert the same into ready money and to lay out and invest the money into some of the Public Stocks or ffunds in their names or name or in the name of the Survivor of them and to pay and apply the half Yearly proceeds and Dividends thereof unto my dear mother for her absolute use and benefit during her life and from and after her death I direct my said trustees or the Survivor of them to sell and dispose of such Stock or ffunds and to convert the same again into ready money and then my Will is that one hundred Pounds Sterling part thereof should be retained by and paid to the said John Asher for his own and proper use and disposal but in case he shall die before me then I give the same to his Children equally between them and all the rest and residue of the said ready money I give and bequeath to my brothers Thomas Asher Richard Asher James Asher and my Sister Elizabeth Zillwood equally to be divided between them share and share alike but if either of them shall die before me I give the share of him her or them so dying to his or her Child or Children but if he she or they so dying shall leave no Child or Children then I give the same equally between the Survivors In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty fourth day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and four *Mary Asher*

Attestation Clause

Elizabeth Panlin _ Anne Escott _ Wm Jones

This is a Codicil to the last Will and testament of me Mary Asher late of Chelsea in the County of Middlesex now of Amesbury in the County of Wilts Spinster bearing date the twenty fourth day of July One thousand eight hundred and four I give to my brother Richard Asher my gilt Watch Whereas I have given by my last Will and testament bearing date as above stated my Cloaths and Wearing Apparel unto Martha Asher daughter of my said Brother Richard Asher do now by this my Codicil revoke the said bequest and to give the same (that is to say) my Cloaths and Wearing Apparel I give and bequeath to my Sister Elizabeth Wife of William Zillwood of Amesbury in the County of Wilts to Martha Asher daughter of my said Brother Richard Asher I give and bequeath two Silver table Spoons to Mary Asher also a daughter of my said Brother Richard Asher I give and bequeath six Silver Tea Spoons all my Goods and Chattels (not before bequeathed) I Give and bequeath to my three brothers and Sister now living namely Thomas Asher Richard Asher James Asher and my Sister Elizabeth Zillwood Wife of the aforesaid William Zillwood in equal shares and proportions to be divided between them lastly it is my wish and desire for a head stone with an inscription to be directed as a memorial of me as soon as convenient after my death In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this first day of November One thousand eight hundred and twenty four The Mark of X Mary Asher

Attestation Clause

John Crocker.... _ Alexander Gane

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