

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Alice Vivash  
of Bishops Cannings  
Will Proved  
16th May 1587*



Probate Court of: Dean of Sarum's Inhibition  
Original reference: R4-143 Cannings  
Will Dated: 25th June 1586

<b>Testator:</b>	Vivash	Alice	Widow of Bishops Cannings
<b>Executors:</b>			
Vivash	Edward	Son	Sole Executor
<b>Overseers:</b>			
Barrett	Thomas		
Nashe	Robert		
Sloper	Richard		

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
			Ladie Church of Sarum
			Parish Church of Bishops Canning
			Servants of Alice Vivash
Ashley	Jane	Goddaughter	
Barret	Thomas		
Carver	Margerie	Goddaughter	
Dalmer	Robert	Godson	
Jakes	Jane		
Lewys	Alice	Goddaughter	
Nash	Margerie		
Nashe	Robert Snr.		
Sloper	Richard Snr.		
Smyth	William		Clerk
Vivash	Edward	Son	
Vivash	Jane	Daughter	
Vivash	Margerie	Daughter	
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Smyth	William		Clerk
Withers	Thomas		Clerk

In the name of God Amen The five and twentieth day of June in the yere of our Lord God one thousand five hundred fower score six I Alice Vivashe widowe of the parrishe of Bishopps Canninge sick in bodie and yet thanks be unto Almighty God of good and perfect memory and remembrance do ordayne and make this my last will and testament in manner and forme following Ffirst I bequeathe my soule unto Allmightie God my only redeemer and saviour and will that my bodie be buryed in the parrishe church of Bishopps Canninge by my husbände Item I give unto our Ladie Church of Sarum one pound five shillings Item I give to the the reparacon of my parrish church ten pounds Item I give and bequeathe to Margerie my daughter ten acres of wheate and six acres of barley Item I give to Jane my daughter ten acres of wheate and six acres of barle Item I give to Richard Sloper Senior one acre of barley Item I give to Robert Nashe Senior one acre of barley Item I give to Thomas Barrett one acre of barley Item I give to Jane Jakes one acre of barley Item I give to Margerie Nashe one acre of barley Item I give to Alice Lewys my goddaughter ten pounds Item I give to Margerie Carver my goddaughter ten pounds Item I give to Jane Ashley my goddaughter ten pounds Item I give to Robert Dalymer my godsonne ten pounds Item I give to William Smyth Clerk one half acre of peason Item I give and bequeath unto Margerie my daughter feather bed which I lye uppon Item I give and bequesth to Jane my daughter one feather bolster one peyre of sheets and one coverlet one pillow staye and one coffer Item I give to Margerie my daughter one pillow staye Item I give and bequeath to Alice Vivashe my goddaughter my bigger sowe pigge Item I give to Jane my daughter my bigger brass pan Item I give to every one of my servants ten pounds a peece Moreover if it chance either of my two daughters Margerie and Jane to dye before one or other being unmarried then my will is that the deceased's stock remayne to the longer lyver of them The rest of my goods moveable and unmoveable my debts payed I give and bequesth unto Edward my sonne whom I make my sole executor of this my last will and testament Furthermore I desire Richard Sloper Robert Nashe and Thomas Barrett to be my overseers of this my last will and testament and to see my legacies equallie divided amongst them and that my two daughters' legacies be put further for their profit until they be married by the discrecon of my overseers

Witness to this will Thomas Withers William Smyth clerks

Probat Fuit

Eccl. Cath. Sarum 16 May 1587