The Last Will and Testament of Joseph Watts als Waterman of Bedborough, in the parish of Bishops Cannings Will proved 13 Nov 1675



Original Reference: Prob 11/348

Last Will & Testament dated 28 May 1668 Burial date at Southbroom on 29 May 1668

| Testator: | Watts als Waterman | Joseph | Husbandman |
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| Executor (none) | Verbal will by testator | | |
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| Beneficiaries | | Relationship to | Other Information | | |
|--------------------|--------|-----------------|-------------------|--|--|
| Surname | | Given Names | testator | | |
| Watts als Waterman | | John | Grandchild | | |
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| WITNESSES | | | | | |
| Lewis | Willia | m | | | |
| Lewis | Edwai | rd | | | |
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Hemorandum that Joseph Watts als Waterman late of Bedborough in the parish of Bishopps Cannings within the petuliar jursdicton of the Deane and Chapter of Sarum and County Wilts husbandman being of perfect mind and memory And hancing an intent and purpose to make his will And to dispose of his estate did form short time before his death which happened on or about the twenth Eight day of May 1668, make and declare his last will and Testament Onncupatin? as to the dispositions of fforty pounds and all his goods to his Grand child John Watts als Waterman, in theis or the like words following (viz¹) I give unto my Grandchild John Watts als Waterman fforty pounds lawfull English money and all my goods or used words to the same effect, in the presence of credible witnesses, the marke of William Lewis Edward Lewis

Attestation Clause in Latin.

Decimo Tertio die mensis Septembris Anno Din (13 September 1675), Administration?.

Sevto Die die mensis Novembris Anno Din (7 November 1675), Declaration ?.

OPC Note: Originally within Bishops Cannings boundaries, Chapelry of St. James (also known as Southbroom), included the tithings of Roundway, Wick, Nursteed and Bedborough.

The only burial of Joseph Waterman als Watts, I can locate, is within the Southbroom parish records – 29 May 1668. WSHC hold a will, ref. P24/371, occupation market spinner.