

*The Last Will and Testament
Of Charles Russ
of Chippenham
Will Proved
13th January 1737*



Probate Court of London
Original reference PCC/Prob11/681
Will Dated 9th August 1736

Testator:	Russ	Charles	Yeoman of Chippenham
Executors:			
Rogers	James	Kinsman	Sole Executor

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Alborne	James		
Rogers	James	Kinsman	Of Chippenham
Russ	John	Brother in Law	
Witnesses			
Alborne	James		Made his mark
Tuck	Robert		
Other Names			

In the Name of God Amen I Charles Russ of Chippenham in the County of Wilts Yeom being in good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory and understanding thanks be to Almighty God Do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say ffirst I bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it And my Body to be buried by my Executor herein after named in a Christian and decent manner in Bremhill Church Yard as near to my ffather and Mother as may be And for touching and concerning such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me I give and dispose thereof in manner following ffirst I do hereby allow Order and appoint the Sum of twenty Pounds to be layd out in a decent and Handsome manner for my ffuneral Expences I also give unto my Brother in Law John Russ and my Cousin James Alborne the sum of ten shillings apeice to be paid them by my Executor herein after named within twelve months next after my decease All the rest residue and remainder of my Goods Chattles ready money Securitys and other my Personal Estate whatsoever and wheresoever I give and bequeath unto my Kinsman James Rogers of Chippenham in the said County of Wilts Cordwainer whom I make nominate and appoint whole and Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament And I do hereby revoke all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made and do declare this to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seal the ninth day of August in the tenth Year of the Reign of King George the Second over Great Britain and so forth And in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and thirty six Charles Russ

(Attestation Clause)

James Alborne his mark _ Robt Tuck

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