

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Joseph Scammell  
of East Knoyle  
Will Proved  
31st March 1789*



Probate Court of Archdeaconry of Salisbury  
Original reference P2/S/1766  
Will Dated – 23rd November 1786  
Codicil Dated -  
Buried at - Tisbury

<b>Testator:</b>	Scammell	Joseph	Yeoman
<b>Executors:</b>			
Scammell	Robert	Son	Joint Executor
Scammell	James	Son	Joint Executor
Scammell	Elizabeth	Daughter	Joint Executor
<b>Overseers:</b>			
<b>Trustees:</b>			

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Fricker	Mary	Daughter	
Scammell		Grandchildren	Children of my late son Joseph
Scammell	Elizabeth	Daughter	Alias Betty
Scammell	Hannah	Wife	
Scammell	James	Son	
Scammell	John	Son	
Scammell	Petter	Son	
Scammell	Robert	Son	
Scammell	Thomas	Son	
Scammell	William	Grandson	Of Warminster
<b>Witnesses</b>			
King	Thomas		
Simes	Robert		
<b>Other Names</b>			

In the name of god amen I Joseph Scammell of the parish of East Knoyle in the County of Wilts Yeoman being advanced in years but of Perfect Sence and Memory and knowing it is appointed for all Men once to die do make this my last Will and Testament First and Principally I recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God Secondly my Body to be Decently buried at the Expense of my Executers & Executrix hereafter mentioned and Thirdly as to this Worlds Goods as it hath pleased God to Bless me with all Bonds, Bills, Goods, Chattles, Book Debts, Dues or Demands with the Right of Seals or Sealers of the Several Estates that shall be in my possession at the time of my deseese my Will is to dispose in the Manner and Form following I Give and Bequeath unto my beloved wife Hannah the sum of Twenty Pounds of Good and Lawful money of Great Britain the same to be paid within one month after my decease by my Executer & hereafter mentioned Also her wearing apparel Also the Tea Kettle and all the tea acqpage and that she the said Hannah my wife shall quietly and peaceably leave the place of her residence and be off to herself within one month after my decease I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Fricker the sum of one shilling the same to be paid by my Executers as above mentioned I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Thomas Scammell the sum of one shilling the same to be paid by my Executers I Give and Bequeath unto my Grandson William Scammell of Warminster the sum of one shilling the same to be paid as above mentioned I Give and Bequeath unto my Grandson & Granddaughters children of my late son Joseph Scammell deceased the sum of one shilling to each the same to be paid by my Executers hereafter mentioned and that all Sums, Legacies, Goods and above mentioned to be paid and delivered to the said Persons if living within one month after my death I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Robert Scammell all my Right of Lease or Leases of Estate or Estates that shall or maybe in my possession at the time of my decease with also being afterwards Joint Executer as is here undermentioned All the Rest, Residue and Remainder of my Goods, Chattles, Bonds, Bills, Books, Debtors Due or Demanded (Excepting the Sale or Sales of Estates that may be all my Deceased) I Give and Bequeath to my Sons John Scammell James Scammell Petter Scammell Robert Scammell and my Daughter Elizabeth Scammell whom I Appoint Sole Executrix and Executrix of this My Last Will and Testament and that my Son James Scammell on of the Executers aforesaid having already Rec'd Twenty Pounds the said sum of Twenty Pounds is to be deducted after all Legacies abovementioned are Paid and then the said John, James, Petter, Robert and Elizabeth Alias Betty Scammell, to be jointly and equally in everything that is or maybe all at my Decease for themselves, their heirs, executors or assigns and that my Son Robert Scammell whom I give the lease or leases unto of the Estates and one of the Executers above mentioned not to pay nor be interrupted by the other Executers or Executrix or their Heirs Assigns Administrators & within Twelve months after my Death their dividend of the residue that may be remaining after the Legacies are paid – Making this My Last Will and Testament revoking all other Wills or Legacies ever given by me – Signed Sealed with my own Seal and Delivered this Twenty Third day of November One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Six

*Joseph Scammell*

Signed Sealed and

*Thos King*

Delivered in the Presence of

*Robt Simes*

Proved at Sarum on the 31st day of March 1789 and was granted to Robt Scammell lawful son of the deced and one of the joint Executers within named

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