

*The Last Will and Testament
Of Agnes Edwards
of Ramsbury
Will proved 30th April 1650*



Probate Court of London
Original reference PCC Prob11/211

Testator:	Edwards	Agnes	Widow of Ramsbury
Executors:	Wilde	John	Clerk of Ramsbury

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Edwards		Child	
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Edwards	Margaret	Daughter	Uncertain if this is one of unnamed children listed as youngest children in the will
Edwards	Thomas	Son	Uncertain if this is one of unnamed children listed as youngest children in the will
Edwards	William	Son	
Witnesses			
Dancastle	Robert		Made his mark
White	William		
Other Names			
Hellier	Joseph	Miller	Also known as Joseph Pinnock; Friend and neighbour named as a trustee & overseer to the will
Home	John	Shoemaker	Friend and Neighbour named as a trustee and overseer to the will

In the name of God Amen I Agnes Edwards of Ramsbury in the Countie of Wiltes Widdow being sick and weake in bodie but of sound and perfect mynde and memory Doe make this my last Will and Testament in manner following ffirst I Commend my Soule to God And my bodie to the Earth to be buried in the Churchyard of Ramsbury aforesaid Item I give unto William my Sonne the Lease of my howse when he shall accomlishe the age of one and Twentie Yeares for and during the whole terme and remaynder mentioned and expressed in the said Lease Item all the residue & remaynder of my goods and chattells (my debts beinge first paid and my funerall expences discharged) I give and bequeath unto my Two youngest Children To bee ordered and disposed of by John Wilde of Ramesbury aforesaid Clerke whome I doe hereby make my Executor in trust for the breedinge and placinge of my said Two Children And my further will and desire is That my said goods and Chattells be forthwith after my decease Solde by my said Executor in trust (or soe much

thereof as in his discretion hee shall think fitt) for the byndinge of my Sonne Thomas Apprentice unto Such a Trade as hee shall be thought most fitt for And in the placeinge forth of Margaret my daughter to be carefully bredd upp until shee shall attayne to the full age of Sixteene yeares And if in case it shall happen That my said Executor shall bee at anie Charges or expences in travellinge or otherwise for the good of my said Children My Will and meaninge is That my said Executor shall satisfie and paie himselfe out of the said goods before bequeathed And I doe request my loving ffriends and Neighbours John Horne Shoemaker and Joseph Hellier als Pinnock Miller to be my trustie Overseers unto this my last Will and Testament In Witnes Whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale the Seventeenth Daie of December in the Yeare of our Lord God One thousand six hundred fortie nyne Agnes Edwards her marke Signed Sealed and delyvered in the presence of us *William White* Robert Dancastle his marke

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