

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Thomas Goord  
of Semley  
Will Proved  
6th December 1563*



Probate Court  
Original reference  
Will Dated 18th October 1853

<b>Testator:</b>	Goord	Thomas	Of Semley
<b>Executors:</b>			
Goord	John	Sole	Sole Executor
<b>Overseers:</b>			
Sherdes	Lawrence	Friend & Neighbour	
Sturmye	William	Friend & Neighbour	

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
		Godchildren	
		Grandchildren	Children of Edith, daughter of testator
		Grandchildren	Children of Katheryn, daughter of testator
		Grandchildren	Children of Alice, daughter of testator
	Jone	Granddaughter	Daughter of Alice, daughter of the testator
Goord		Grandchildren	Children of John, son of testator
Goord	John	Son	
Lushe	Thomas	Godson	
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Hayme	Thomas		
Rose	Thomas		
<b>Other Names</b>			
	Edith	Daughter	Married name not recorded
	Katheryn	Daughter	Married name not recorded
	Alice	Daughter	Married name not recorded

**Testm Thome Goord de Semley** In the name of god amen the 18th day of October in the 5th yeare of the reign of our sovreign lady Elizabeth By the grace of god Quene of England ffrance & Ireland defender of the faith &c I Thomas goord of the pysh of Semley sicke in body & pfctt in memory thanks be to god do make my testament in manr & forme following ffirst I bequeath my soule to almightie god and my body to be buried in the churcheyerd of Semley

Imprimis I do geve & bequeath to my daughter Edithes children to be distributed amongst them portion like 10 pounds Item I bequeath to my daughter Katheryn ys children to be distributed amongst them portion like 10 pounds Item I geve unto my daughter Alice ys daughter named Jone 2 kyne, & a litle coffer And the said kyne to be sett fowrth att the next Spryng tyme after my decease to the use & proffitt of the said Jone And to the residewe of the said my daughter Alice ys children to be divided among them equally 10 pounds Item I bequeath to my sonne John goord ys children among them portion like to be divided 10 pounds And if it happen that any of my sonnes or daughters children decease the portion of that pson so decessed shalbe devided among the brothers and sisters of that ptie decessed Item I geve to my godson Thoms Lushe 12 shillings Item I bequeath to evry of my other godchildren 6 shillings a pice The residuee of my goods moveable & immoveable nott above geven or bequeathed my debts paide my will pformed & legaties paide I do geve & bequeath to my sonne John Goord whom I do make myne executor Desiring to be ovrsers of this my last will & testamet to be performed my welbeloved friends & neighbors Lawrence Sherdes & Willm Sturmye. witnes herof Thoms Rose & Thomas hayme with others the day & yere above written.

Probate was granted on the 6th December 1563

