

*The Last Will and Testament
Of John Follett
of Stratford Tony
Will proved 4th July 1649*



Probate Court of London
Original reference PCC Prob11/208

Testator:	Follett	John	Taylor of Stratford Tony
Executors:			
Pittman	Richard of Thomas	Sole	(Uncertain of wording)

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
			Parish of Chitterne (Birthplace)
			Poor of Barford St. Martin
			Poor of Stratford Tony
Blake		5 Children	Children of William Blake
Blake	Honor	Niece	Daughter of Joane Blake or Margaret Bake (wording uncertain)
Blake	Joane	Sister	
Blake	Margaret	Niece	Daughter of Joane Blake
Blake	Martha	Niece	Daughter of Joane Blake or Margaret Bake (wording uncertain)
Blake	William		Of East Harnham
Ditton		3 Children	Children of George Ditton
Ditton	George		
Ditton	Susan		
Follett	Marie	Mother	
Pittman	Anne	Niece	Daughter of Marie Pittman
Pittman	Marie	Sister	
Pittman	Sisilla	Niece	Daughter of Marie Pittman
Pittman	Thomas		Son of Richard Pitman
Thistlethwaite			Son of Joane Thistlethwaite
Thistlethwaite	Joane		
Turner	Alice		Widow of Barford St. Martin
Turner	Jane		If living
Witnesses			
Barter	Jane		Made her mark
Smythe	John		
Other Names			
Addams	Anthony		Debtor to the Testator

Barter	John		Overseer to Will
Pittman	Richard		Father of a beneficiary
Selwood	William		Overseer to Will

In the Name of God Amen I John ffollett of Stratford Tony in the Countie of Wiltes Taylor being sicke and weake but of perfect and sound memory (thankes bee unto God) Doe make this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme followinge ffirst I bequeath my Soule unto Almightye God my Maker and to Jesus Christ my onlie Savyour and Redeemer by whose merritts I trust to bee saved onlie and with hopes at the resurrection to beholde him with these mortall eyes My bodie to bee buried in Stratford Church or Churchyard at the discretion of my ffriends Item I give unto my Mother Marie ffollett one hundred pounds of lawfull money due unto mee upon Specialtie Item I give unto my Sister Marie Pittman ffortie pounds And to her eldest Daughter Sisilla Pittman ffortie pounds And to her youngest Daughter Anne Pittman Item I give unto my Sister Joane Blake Twentie poundes Item I give unto Joane Thistlethwaite ffyve poundes And to her Sonne ffive pounds more Item I give unto William Blake of East Harman Twentie pounds And to his fyve Children Twentie shillings a peece Item I give unto Margarett Blake Daughter unto my Sister Joane Twentie poundes Item I give unto her Daughter Honor Blake Twentie poundes Item I give unto her Daughter Martha Blake Twentie poundes Item I give unto that parish called Chitterne where I was borne ffortie shillings Item I give unto Jane Turner (if livinge) ffortie shillings Item I give unto Susann Ditton ffortie shillings Item I give unto Mr George Ditton Tenn shillings And his Three Children Tenn Shillings each Item I give unto the poore of Barford ffortie shillings Item I give unto Alice Turner of Barford widdow Twentie shillings I alsoe give her Tenn shillings more which shall be due from Anthony Addams at Michaelmas next Item I give unto the poore of Stratford Tony ffortie shillings All the rest of my goods Cattels and Chattells whatsoever moveable and unmoveable I give and bequeath unto Thomas Pittman sonne of Richard Pittman at or neere Choote in the Countie of Southton whome I make my whole Executor of this my last Will he payinge and discharginge all expence in the tyme of my sicknes and buryall ffor Overseers of this my Will I do desire John barter and William Selwood And for their paynes therein I give them seaven shillings a peece All these my legacies and money given and bestowed on either or anie of my sister Marie or Joane doe or shall happen to dye before they shall receive the aforesaid legacies Then the said portions shall remayne and bee paid unto the rest of their Bretheren and Sisters *John ffollett* Signed Sealed and delyvered in the presence of *John Smythe* the marke of Jane Barter

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