

**John Palmer of Old Basing, 1612**

**Ref: Hants. RO 1612AD/067**

**In the name of God Amen** I John Palmer of Basing in the county Southampton sick in body but of perfect memory God be thanked, do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

**First** I bequeath my soul in to the merciful hands of Jesus Christ my Blessed Redeemer and my body to be buried in the churchyard of the said Basing near to the place where the body of my father is buried.

**Item** I give to the said church of Basing five shillings/

**Item** I give.....

A inventory of the goods and cattles of John Palmer of Basing deceased taken and appraised by Thomas Ferall, William Yate, William Buckton and Barnard Wakefild jnr the first day of September AD 1612 viz:

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**In the hall**

**Imprimis** one joined cupboard with a settle, one joined table with a Joined frame, five joined stools and one round table, nine cushions, one old chair, one pair of playing tables, two wooden candlesticks and one brush and one carpet of dornyx

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**In the chamber over the hall**

**Item** one joined bedstead, two featherbeds, one flockbed, two feather bolsters and three feather pillows, one flock bolster, one old coverlet of arras, one yard coverlet and three woollen blankets

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**Item** two chests three coffers, four small boxes and one joined table with a joined frame, one pair of old curtains of say, one pair of small andirons, one dozen of Flemish trenchers, one old flockbed and one mat and three curtain rods

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**His wearing apparel**

**Item** two old cloaks, two doublets, two pairs of hose and two jerkins, two pairs of stockings, three pairs of shoes, three shirts and one hat, one sword, one hanger and one girdle, two shillings in his purse and one pair of [boules], six plain bands and six handkerchiefs

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**In one other little chamber**

**Item** one truckle bed, one old flockbed, one old coverlet, one blanket and one feather bolster and two bottles, a jug

0   8   0

**In a little room joining to the hall**

**Item** one powdering tub, one old tub, with one bushel of white salt, one butter churn and two shelves, one little form, four earthen pots and one small glass bottle

0   6   8

**In the kitchen**

**Item** one little furnace 0 13 4

**Item** one brass pot, four small kittles, one cast mortar with a pestle and one pan, two spits, one posnet, one skillet, one pair of andirons, one fire pan, one pair of fire tongs and two pot racks, one pair of pot hooks, one iron bar in the chimney, one frying pan, one pair of brass scales and one small cleaver, one toasting fork, one bucket with an iron bale 1 15 6

**Item** twenty pewter platters, seven pewter pottingers, seven pewter saucers and two pewter salt cellars, two pewter dishes, two pewter tubs, one chamber pot  
Oone small table, one moulding kiver, one skimmer, two wooden platters, half a dozen wooden dishes and half a dozen spoons, one gridiron, one iron safe, one pair of bellows and three old joined stools 1 6 8  
0 4 8

**In the buttery**

**Item** three firkins, one barrel, one tub, one iron trist, two stone jugs and one stand, two little shelves and one old frying pan 0 7 0

**In the brewhouse**

**Item** one brewing vat, two kivers, two tubs, one kive and one stand, one shelve and one yoting vat 1 4 0

**In the folks' chamber**

**Item** two boarded bedsteads, two old flock beds, two old bolsters and two coverlets, two blankets and two pairs of sheets 0 13 4

**Linen**

**Item** ten pairs of canvas sheets, four tablecloths, two dozen of napkins and three pairs of pillow beres 3 0 0

**In the mill**

**Item** sixteen sacks, one dry tub, one bushel and one half bushel 0 12 0

**In the backside**

**Item** great wood and fagots 1 6 8

**Item** one old pair of iron bound wheels with a cart lade, one dung pot and one pair of harrows with iron tines, one corn line 1 10 0

**Item** four cart horses, three load horses and three cart harnesses 10 6 8

**Item in the stables** hay and vetches, two racks, two mangers, two hull cubs and one old tub, two prongs

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and two hollow shovels	3	13	4
<b>Item</b> two bill, three iron wedges, one axe and one mattock	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> six kine	10	0	0
<b>Item</b> five hogs	1	13	4
<b>In the barn</b>			
<b>Item</b> wheat, barley and oats	32	0	0
Sum	80	18	6

Probate granted 24 September 1612 to Agnes the widow. Obligation on the same and Thomas Farrell of Basing gent.