

# Oxfordshire

## BURFORD PROBATE DOCUMENTS

**Joan HYGGYNS of Burford**

**Will proved 1547**

**Oxfordshire Record Office, MSS Wills Oxon, Reg. Archdeaconry Wills 179.138**

*[Numbering at left identifies line of original document]*

Testamentu[m] Joanne Hyggyns de Burforde

- 1 In the name of god Amen the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> daye of Maye In the yere of owr
- 2 Lorde god 1547 I Joan Hyggyns of Burford Dreadyng the hower of death
- 3 constitute and ordeyne this my last wyll and Testamente in maner and
- 4 forme folowing fyrste I bequeth my sowle to allmyghtie god and to o[u]r Ladie and
- 5 to the blessed companye of heaven and my bodie to be buryed in the churche
- 6 yarde of Burforde Allso I make my sole executor Thomas Heygreff of
- 7 Longwoordes for the behoffe of John Hyggyns my sonne It[e]m I bequeth to the
- 8 high alter of Burforde iiij<sup>d</sup> It[e]m to the mother church of Oxon ij<sup>d</sup> It[e]m allso
- 9 I wyll at my funerall daye that I be browght to the grounde honestly
- 10 These wytnesses S[yr] Thomas Meykecke the wryter hereof Thomas Auflat
- 11 Richarde Lace Richarde Crampe with other ones

*[Summary of Latin]*

Probate granted by Walter Wright 26 May 1547 to the executor.

Inventory sum: £3

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**Oxfordshire Record Office, MSS Wills Oxon Reg. Archdeaconry Wills 184.278**

- 1 In the name of god amen the xxiiij daye of Maij in the 1547 yere of o[ur] Lorde god I Joan
- 2 Hyggens dreading the howre of death constitute and ordeyne this my laste
- 3 Testamente and wyll as in forme following Fyrst I bequeth my sowle to
- 4 allmyghtie god and our Ladie and to the blessed companye of heaven And my
- 5 body to be buryed in the churche yarde of Burforde of St. John the Baptiste
- 6 Also I make my sole executor Thomas Heygreff of Longwoortes for the

7 behoofe of John Hyggyns my sonne the sonne of Wyllyam hyggyns It[e]m  
8 I bequeth to the hyg alter of Burforde vj<sup>d</sup> It[e]m to the mother churche of  
9 Oxforde ij<sup>d</sup> And allso I wyll at my funerall daye that I be brought to the  
10 grounde, Hereof these wytnesse S[ir] thomas Meycocke the Curate hereof  
11 Thomas Auflat Richarde Laye Richarde Crampe w[ith] other moo  
W[ill] p[roved] 26 May 1547

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