

Oxfordshire

BURFORD PROBATE DOCUMENTS

Walter ROSE, shoemaker of Burford

Will proved 1560

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Testamentum Walter Rose de Burford

1 In the name of god amen the xth daye of Januarye in the yere of o(ur) Lorde
2 god 1559 and in the fyrst yere of the reigne of owr Soferane Ladie Elizabeth
3 by the grace of god Quene of Englande France and Irelande defender of
4 the faith etc I water(*sic*) Rose of Burford in the Countie of oxford shomaker being
5 sicke in bodie and good and parfytt of remembrance laude and prayse
6 be given unto allmyghtie god make this my last wyll and Testamente
7 in maner and forme following Fyrst I commende my soule to the m(er)cye
8 of allmyghtie god and my bodie to the earth to be buried in the parisshe
9 churche yard of burford. It(e)m I bequethe to the mother churche of Oxford iiijd
10 It(e)m I bequeth to the repaying of the belles of burford aforesaid xijd It(e)m I
11 bequeth to Margerie my wyffe my howse in burford w(hi)ch I nowe dwell
12 in w(i)t(h) nyne acres of lande with thappurten(a)nces for terme of her lyffe and after
13 her deceasse to remayne to John Rose my eldest sonne and to his heires for
14 ever And for lacke of heires of his bodie lawfully begotten to remayne to
15 Symon Rose my seconde sonne and his heires for ever etc. It(e)m I bequeth to
16 Symon my sonne fyve pounce in money to be payed to hym by myne
17 executrix whose name hereafter followith when he cummyth to the age
18 of xxj yeres. It(e)m I bequeth to Barbara my daughter fyve pounce of money &
19 goodes It(e)m I bequeth to Marrion my daughter four pounce in money and goodes
20 It(e)m I bequeth to Margaret my daughter four pounce in money and goodes It(e)m
21 I bequeth to Annys my daughter three poundes in money and goodes. Allso my
22 wyll and mynde is the foresaid goodes to my foresaid daughters bequeathed
23 to be payed to theym by myne executrix when they cu(m)mith to the
24 full age of xxj yeres And yf anye of theym happen to marrye before
25 they cume to that age then to have have (*sic*) their p(ar)te or porc(i)on at the daye
26 of ther mariage to them delyv(er)ed providede always that if hit happen

27 any of my five said children departe forthe of this naturall worlde
28 before they have ther parte I will and my mynd is that his or her part
29 so departed to remayne amo(n)gst the rest the beinge alyve.
30 All the residew of my goodes unbequethed my deptes funeralles
31 & legacies donne and paid I geue and bequethe to Margerie my
32 wyffe whome I do ordaine and make my sole executrix to dispose to
33 the poore for the love of god and the wealth of my soule and all
34 christon soules as She Shall thinke good and co(n)venient with the
35 ov(er)sight of Rob(er)t bruton and John hanis of burford to whome I geue &
36 bequethe iijs iiijd apece to be my ov(er)seers to se this my last will and
37 testame(n)t fullfyllled and donne In wyttnes wherof this my last
38 will and testame(n)t I have Sined w(i)th my owne hand yere (*sic*) the day
39 and yere above said in the presence of John Heming etc

[Summary of Latin probate]

Probate granted 3rd May 1560 to the executrix

by Walter Wright – clerk

Inventory value xxv^{li} ix^s iiij^d [£25 9s 4d]

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