

**Joan King/Kinge of Cliddesden, widow, 1576**  
**Ref: Hants. RO. 1576B/043**

**In the name of God Amen**, the 24th of February in the year of our Lord God 1575, I Jone Kinge of the parish of Cliddesden in the county of Southampton widow, do make, ordain and appoint this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say, **first** I commend my soul unto God the Father my Creator and Maker, and to his Son my sole Saviour Christ Jesus, by whom only and by no other means I look and hope to be saved, and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Cliddesden aforesaid. **Furthermore** I give and bequeath to the cathedral church of Winchester 2d. **Also** I give and bequeath to Jone Bayly my daughter 2 bushels of wheat, and 2 bushels of barley or malt, a great pan, a little brass pot, a posnet, 2 candlesticks, the one of them to be one of my best, a white kettle, 4 platters, the one of them to be one of my best, one pottinger, a saucer, a quart pewter pot, a broche, a gridiron, a cupboard, the bed that I lie on, a bolster, a pillow, a red coverlet, a white ceiling with the bedstead, a pair of sheets, one sheet of Holland, a blanket, a coffer, an ale tub, a barrel, a bowl, 4 stalls of bees and half my pig. **Also** my will is that my cow shall be sold and the price or sum of money that she shall be sold for, to be equally divided between John my son and Jone my daughter. **Also** I give and bequeath to Clement Kinge the son of John Kinge a stall of bees. **Also** I give and bequeath to John Kinge the son of Thomas Kinge a stall of bees. **Also** I give and bequeath to Christian Kinge the daughter of Thomas Kinge a sheet. **Also** I give and bequeath to Thomas Baylye the younger a stall of bees and a coffer. **The residue** of all my goods not given nor bequeathed I give and bequeath unto John Kinge my son whom I ordain and make the only executor of this my last will and testament and by this will I revoke all former wills, gifts and legacies by me in anywise heretofore made, given and bequeathed. **Witnesses** to this will John Allen clerk and Willyam Woodeson the elder.

**The inventory** of all the goods and chattels of Jone Kinge widow taken and appraised by John Wrath (Wroth), Willyam Woodesone and others the 25th of June 1576.

<b>The hall</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>s</b>	<b>d</b>
<b>First</b> there a cupboard, 2 benches, a form and 2 stools priced	0	3	2
<b>Item</b> an old brass pot and old cauldron and 3 little kettles priced	0	8	6
<b>Item</b> four old candlesticks, a quart pewter pot, seven platters, 3 pottingers and four saucers priced	0	11	2
<b>Item</b> 2 salt cellars, a little pewter dish, 6 spoons and a skimmer priced	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> 3 treen platters, 4 trenchers, six dishes and a			

ladle priced	0	0	8
<b>Item</b> an andiron, a pair of pothooks, a gridiron, 2 pairs of pot hangers and a broche priced	0	2	8
<b>Item</b> a hatchet, a hammer, a pair of pincers, 4 augers, a little hand saw with other like trumpery priced	0	1	8
<b>Item</b> a tub, 3 kivers, 2 bowls, 3 ale tubs and 2 old firkins priced	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> a bushel, a bucket and 2 cheese vats priced	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> a flitch of bacon priced	0	1	4

### **The chamber**

<b>First</b> 2 dry vats and 3 coffers priced	0	4	10
<b>Item</b> 3 simple flock beds, 3 bolsters, 3 pillows, 3 old coverlets and 2 blankets priced	0	16	0
<b>Item</b> 3 lockram sheets, a pair of canvas sheets, a white tester and a tablecloth priced	0	15	4
<b>Item</b> 8 kerchiefs, 2 smocks, 2 aprons and 3 table napkins priced	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> in money	0	7	10
<b>Item</b> 2 silver rings and a pair of tach hooks priced	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> her apparel	0	5	0

### **The loft**

<b>First</b> 3 pecks of wheat and four bushels of malt priced	0	6	6
<b>Item</b> 2 old sacks	0	0	8

### **The backside**

<b>First</b> 37 stalls of bees priced	1	5	0
<b>Item</b> a cow priced	1	15	0
<b>Item</b> a pig priced	0	3	4
<b>Item</b> 2 hundred of faggots priced	0	3	4
<b>Item</b> a grinding stone priced	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> half an acre of wheat and as much of barley priced	0	6	8

Sum total	8	17	2
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