

Robert Weston of Dummer, 1555

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In the name of God Amen the 17th day of November in the year of Our Lord God a thousand five hundred fifty and 4 and in the first and second years of the reign of Philip and Mary by the grace of God King and Queen of England, France, Naples, Jerusalem and Ireland, Defenders of the Faith, Princes of Spain and Sicily, Archdukes of Austria, Dukes of Milan, Burgundy and Brabant of Habsburg, Flanders and Tyrol, I Robert Weston of the parish of Dummer within the diocese of Winchester being of good mind and memory make this my last will and testament in manner and form following. **First** I bequeath my soul unto Almighty God, to Our Lady Saint Mary and to all the Blessed Company in Heaven and also to the suffrages of All Holy church and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Dummer aforesaid. **Item** I give and bequeath to the church of Dummer 4d. **Item** I give and bequeath to Jone Weston and Margarytt Weston the children of Wyllym Weston to each of them a coffer. **Item** I give and bequeath to Nycolas Weston the son of Wyllyam Weston a loom. **Item** I give and bequeath to Elsabet, Alyce and Suzane the children of the said Wyllyam Weston to each of them one sow. **Item** I give and bequeath to Thomas Weston the the son of Rychard Weston one pewter plate. **Item** I give and bequeath to Jane Weston the child of Rychard one pottinger and all other my goods not given nor bequeathed, my debts paid and will performed I give and bequeath to Wyllyam Weston and John Weston my sons whom I do constitute and make my full executors there being present and bearing witness to all the promises Wyllyam Reddyng, John Kystell and John Styntte with others more.

Probate granted 18 July 1555 to the named executors.

The inventory of all the goods and cattle of Robert Weston of the parish of Dummer within the diocese of Winchester deceased, praised by Wyllyam Reddyng and Rychard Halle the 18th day of December in the year of Our Lord God a thousand five hundred fifty and 4 and in the first and second years of the reign of Philip and Mary by the grace of God King and Queen of England, France, Naples, Jerusalem and Ireland, defenders of the faith, Princes of Spain and Sicily, Archdukes of Austria, Dukes of Milan, Burgundy and Brabant of Habsburg, Flanders and Tyrol.

	£	s	d
First in wearing gear as at two gowns, one doublet, two shirts, two pairs of hose, one cape, two coats and one pair of shoes	0	17	4
Item in bedding one flockbed, one bolster, two pairs of sheets, one coverlet, one tester, two coffer and one cupboard	0	12	4
Item in pewter, platters 8, pottingers 6, saucers 3 price	0	9	6
Item in latten, basins two and in candlesticks one price	0	1	3
Item in board cloths one, table board one, stool, chairs one, trestles two and in ale tubs two	0	1	8
Item in brass pots two, bell pots one, pot-hooks, pothangers and pans one, kettle two, cauldrons one price	0	13	0
Item in stalls of bees 4 price	0	3	4

Item in looms one, sleys two, warping bars two
pairs, two sets of shuttles and other thereto belonging
Sum

0 10 8
3 10 1

Item 3 yards of kerseys
Item ready money

0 5 0
2 11 8
Sum 6 7 3