

## **Roger Tarte of Eastnor, 1564**

**Ref: Herefs. RO 40/1/53**

**In the name of God** Amen, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April the year of our lord God 1564, the 6<sup>th</sup> year of [Queen] Elizabeth, I Roger Tarte of Eastnor within the county of Hereford, being sick in body but of good and perfect remembrance, thanks be given to God through Jesus Christ his son our redeemer and creator and advocate, make my last will and testament in manner and form following viz: I commend my soul to almighty God and my body to be buried in the parish churchyard of Eastnor. **Item** I give unto Thomas Turner of the Wey Yend [Way End] in Eastnor my second best coat. **Item** I give unto my godson Turner, 4d. **Item** I give unto Robert Butcher his son, my godson, of Eastnor, 4d. **All the residue** of my goods, movable and unmovable, my debts paid and legacies, my funerals discharged, I give and bequeath the whole to Margaret my wife, whom I make my sole executrix; **in the presence of** [Mistress?] Clinton of Eastnor, Richard Clinton, Anne Scudamore

Note: Roger Tarte was buried on 24 April 1564 [Herefs. RO 40/1/53]