

Elizabeth Nash of Upton Grey, widow, 1615.

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In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Nashe of Hoddington in the parish of Upton Grey in the county of Southampton widow, being sick in body but whole and in perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God for it, do ordain and make this my present last will and testament in manner and form following. **First** and principally I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my maker and creator hoping by the death and passion of Jesus Christ my merciful redeemer to be made partaker of the kingdom of heaven and my body to be buried by my late husband Robert Nashe in Upton Grey church aforesaid. **Item** I give unto the cathedral church of Winton four pence. **Item** I give unto Upton Grey church aforesaid ten shillings. **Item** I give to the poor of this parish six shillings eight pence. **Item** I give to John Nashe my eldest son twenty pounds of lawfull English money to be paid him immediately after my decease. **Item** I give to Joan Blunden my daughter the wife of John Blunden of Basingstoke five pounds of English money to be paid her as above said. **Item** I give to my daughter Elizabeth Green the wife of William Green of Basingstoke aforesaid ten pounds of lawfull money of England to be paid her as aforesaid. **Item** I give unto my daughter Margerie Elridge the wife of William Elridge of Sherborne twenty pounds current English money to be paid her as above written. **Item** I give unto my said daughter Anne Nashe twenty pounds of lawful money of England to be paid her in like manner as above is written. **And** I do also give unto my daughter Anne my best bedstead standing in the outward loft and 2 fustian feather pillows, a new table and a frame thereto standing in the same loft with 4 joined stools; and also a brasen mortar, my biggest brass pot and biggest brasen kettle and one of my greatest broches. **Item** I give and bequeath unto Doratie Wilce my daughter's child twenty pounds of lawful money of England to be paid her as afore I have said. **More** I give unto her my second best bedstead and a feather bed, two feather bolsters, a coverlet, two blankets, one pair of sheets and two feather pillows. **Also** I give her my best brass pan and my best cupboard, my second best table and a frame to it. **Item** all the residue of my household stuff unbequeathed I give unto my daughter Anne Nashe and Doratie Wilce aforesaid to be equally divided between them. **Item** I give unto every one of my sons' and daughters' children to each of them one ewe sheep or five shillings of money at their parents' choice. **Item** I give to my kinsman John Eiles of North Warnborough clothworker, ten shillings of current English money. **Item** all the rest and residue of my goods cattles and chattels, my funeral performed, my debts paid and this my last will performed and the legacies therein given paid, I give unto Robert Nashe my younger son whom I make my full and whole executor of this my present last will and testament. **And** I make and appoint John Kinge the younger of Weston Patrick and Bryan Mathew of Hoddington overseers for the performance of this my will and for their pains herein to be taken I give to each of them ten shillings apiece and their charges born. **In witness** whereof I the aforesaid Elizabeth have hereunto set my hand and seal the two and twentieth day of August in the thirteenth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord James by the grace of God King of England France and Ireland, defender of the faith etc and of Scotland the nine and fortieth AD 1615.

Read, sealed and signed in the
presence of [Johes] Eiles the
writer and

Elizabeth Nash, her mark

Elizabeth Nashe of Hoddington, 1615

John Barnard, his mark

Probate granted 24 February 1615 to Robert Nash, son.

A true inventory of all the goods, cattles and chattels of Elizabeth Nashe late of Hoddington in the parish of Upton Grey in the county of Southampton widow deceased, praised the 29th of January 1615 by John Kinge, Bryan Mathewe, William Dunce and Edward Ranger.

	£	s	d
Imprimis in the hall two tables, two chairs, one cupboard, 10 joined stools and a form	0	16	0
Item two dozen of platters, one dozen of saucers, four candlesticks, five pewter dishes, five salts, a basin and a dozen and a half of spoons	3	0	0
Item in the loft over the chamber one bedstead, one feather bed, two feather bolsters, five feather pillows, two coverlets and a pair of blankets	5	0	0
Item more there one other bedstead, two flock beds, a pair of blankets and a coverlet	1	0	0
Item more there five pairs of sheets, half a dozen of table napkins, two tablecloths, two pillowberes, a Holland sheet and one chest	3	0	0
Item more one chest and four coffers with some small piece of linen in them	0	13	4
Item in the outer loft a joined bedstead, one cupboard and a joined table	1	10	0
Item in the chamber within the hall a bedstead, one flock bed, one pair of sheets, a pair of blankets, one coverlet and an old cupboard	0	16	0
Item in the buttery cheese and butter	40	6	8
Item more there 6 firkins and other lumber	1	0	0
Item in the kitchen 6 kettles, 3 brass pots, one brasen mortar, two dripping pans, one brass pan, 3 bell skillets and other small brasen things	5	0	0
Item more there 4 kivers, 2 bowls, one brewing vat with other lumber	1	0	0
Item in the loft over the hall 3 quarters of wheat threshed and winnowed	1	0	0
Item more there a basket and six pounds of wool in it	0	6	8
Item two great broches and lumber	0	13	4
Item malt in the garner	1	10	0

Item 6 hogs of bacon and a breast of beef	5	6	8
Item more in the kitchen two trivets, one broche, 3 andirons, 2 pairs of hangers, a frying pan, a gridiron a fire pan, one axe, one hedging bill, augers, shovels and other working tools	0	13	4
Item in the malting house one trow, one kiver, a mill to [trie] corn with one garner with 18 bushels of barley and 22 bushels of oats and the well bucket, chain and rope, 8 sacks with some lumber	5	0	0
Item in the barn one sack of wheat for threshing	10	0	0
Item more of barley for threshing one sack	13	0	0
Item in one other barn a heap of oats in the hulls	1	0	0
Item a small sack of peas and vetches	0	13	4
Item in the yard two pairs of cart wheels, one long lade and two dung pots, one pair of harrows, a pair of plough wheels with a heap of coppice wood	4	0	0
Item in the stable two horse beasts, one pair of harnesses, a corn rope, one wood rope and utensils of husbandry	4	10	0
Item five kine and a bullock	11	0	0
Item one hog and four young shoots	1	6	8
Item four score sheep	20	0	0
Item 11 acres of wheat and vetches on the ground	8	0	0
Item 2 geese and a gander, 6 hens and cocks	0	5	6
Item one lease found for certain years yet to come therein mentioned	50	0	0
Item all her wearing apparel and 22s 10d found in her purse	5	0	0
Item debts owing unto the said Elizabeth by her son Roberte Nashe	3	0	0
Sum total	224	7	6
Debts which the said Elizabeth owes as appears by bond	32	0	0

John Kinge, William Duncce his mark
 Brian Mathew his mark
 Edward Ranger his mark