

Dunstan Simmons/Symon of Up Nately, 1558

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In Dei nomine Amen the 16th day of August the year of our Lord God 1558 I Dunstan Symon of whole mind and perfect remembrance ordain and make this my testament and last will in manner and form following. **First** I bequeath my soul to the great mercy of Almighty God and to all the blessed company of heaven and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Up Nately near unto the burial of my father. **Item** I bequeath to the Cathedral church of Winchester 4d. **Item** I bequeath the church of Up Nately 2 ewes. **Item** I bequeath the said church of Up Nately the maintenance of the light before the sacrament, one heifer. **Item** I will that there be three masses said at my burial and five masses at my months mind. **Item** I give to my boy John Raynes one lamb and to James Hunte another lamb. **Item** I give to every of my godchildren 4d. **Item** I give to Amye [Groves] 10 sheep. **Item** I give to Thomas Marshin 4 sheep. **Item** I give to Mychyll Walker my best furred coat. **Item** I give to [Osvold Stryfe] my old cloak. **Item** I give to John Gosden my coat laid with white lining. **All the** residue of my goods I give to Amye my wife whom I make and ordain my sole executrix of this my last will and testament being witness here of Sir John Rycharde Nycholas Jaques and Bartholomew Pulter being present the day and year above written.

Probate granted September 1558.

The inventory of all the goods and cattles of Dunstane Simon of Up Nately in the county of Southampton deceased, taken, made and appraised by Robert Felder, Bartillmewe Pulter and James Lancaster the first day of September in the year of our Lord God a thousand five hundred fifty and eight.

	£	s	d
The hall			
Imprimis a round table, a plank, a pair of trestles, 2 forms, 2 stools and 2 shelves	0	1	8
Item one andiron, a trivet a coal rake, a gridiron and a pot hanger	0	2	4
Sum	0	4	0
The kitchen			
Item 6 platters, 4 pottingers, 4 saucers and one salt cellar	0	4	0
Item 4 candlesticks and a chafing dish	0	3	4
Item 2 brass pots, one posnet, 3 kettles, a frying pan and a broche	0	10	0
Item 14 tubs and vats, 3 bowls and 6 treen dishes and a vargis barrel	0	6	0
Item 4 tods of wool	2	13	4
Item a spinning wheel, a reel, 2 sieves and a clensieve	0	1	0
Item a half bushel measure, a peck and 2 iron wedges	0	1	0
Item an axe, a bill, a hatchet and a shovel	0	1	0
Item 4 rip hooks and a sheep hook	0	0	8
Sum	4	0	4

The chamber

Item 4 pairs of sheets and a sheet, 2 coverlets and a pair of blankets, a flock bed, a bolster and 3 pillows	0	12	0
Item 2 coffers and a cupboard	0	5	0
Item 2 coats, 2 cloaks, a doublet and 2 pairs of hose	0	16	0
Item a tablecloth and a towel	0	1	4
Sum	1	14	4

The cattle, the corn and other implements of household

Item 4 score and 7 sheep	10	0	0
Item 12 lambs	0	12	0
Item 3 heifers and a cow	3	6	8
Item 7 hogs and pigs	1	0	0
Item 10 ducks and 4 hens	0	2	6
Item 6 acres of corn	1	16	0
Item hurdles	0	1	0
Item 2 loads of hay	0	10	0
Item a little rick of vetches and peas	0	6	8
Item a cheese press, a vat and a trough	0	1	0
Item his wood	0	6	8
Sum	18	2	6
Sum total	23	1	2