

Oxfordshire

HENLEY PROBATE DOCUMENTS

William BRAMLEY, of Henley on Thames

Will (2nd copy) proved 1531

Oxfordshire Record Office, Oxon. Arch. Reg. 178.86

Compare with will (first copy), 178.55

Numbering at left identifies line of original document

1 Test[amente] Willi[am] bramley de henley
2 In the name of god Amen the xxxth day of August the
3 yere of o[ur] lord god m^t v^c xxx^{ii[eth]} [1531] I Will[ia]m Bramley of the
4 parisshe of Henley upon Tammys beyng of p[er]fit &
5 goode reme[m]brennce make this my testament & last Will
6 in man[ner] & forme folowing First I bequeth my soule to
7 Allmyghty god to our blyssed lady saynt mary. & to All
8 the holy cu[m]pany of hev[y]n my body to be buried in the
9 churcheyarde of Henley. It[e]m to the mother churche of
10 lincoln iiij^d It[e]m to the hy awt[er] of Henley iiij^d. It[e]m I gyve
11 to Richard my son[n] xl^s It[e]m to John my son[n] xl^s It[e]m
12 to Will[ia]m my son[n] xl^s And iff it fortune Any of them
13 to fayle & to decesse. that then I will that the xl^s
14 bequethed unto hym so decessed shall remayne unto
15 the other ij children lyvinge And if it shall fortune
16 ij of them to fayle & to decesse that then I will that the iiij^{li}
17 bequethed unto them so decessed shall remayne to
18 the longer lyver of my said childern The rest of
19 my goodes my dettes content & paid I gyve unto Agnes
20 my wiffe whom I make my true & sole executrix
21 she to dispose them Aft[er] her discrecion as she
22 shall se moste beste & expedient for the welthe of my soule
23 & All cristy[a]n sowles Also that this my last wyll
24 may be truly executed & p[er]formyd I orden & make
25 Herry lewen of henley to be ov[er]seer Thies being

26 witenesses S[ir] John dyar curate there M[aster] John
27 Ireland p[ar]son of Cuxh[a]m Robert Kenton w[ith] others

[Summary of the Latin probate clause]

Date of probate: 5th October 1531

Inventory value: none given

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