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In the Name of God Amen

I Robert Ray of Leicestershire County the 30th day of April in the year of One Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty nine, for being in perfect memory and mind, praise be given to Almighty God for the same and knowing the uncertainty of this life on Earth and being desirous to settle my affairs as make consonant and declare this my last will and testament in a manner & for the following, that intoday, First and principally I command my soul to Almighty God my creator & specially believing that I shall receive full pardon and remission of all my sins and be saved by the merits of my beloved Saviour & Redemer Christ Jesus and my body to the Earth from whence I was taken to be buried in a decent Christian like Manner as my Executor here after shall think fit named, and as touching my Immoveable Estate wherewith the Lord of his mercy hath been pleased to bless me I dispose of in manner and form following. I give and bequeath to my wife Anne Ray all my Estate during her widowhood and remaining single to her sole and portion to each one of my children as they stand in age or course of age to be equalized to my daughter Susannah Ray to the value of One thousand pounds and bid if it can be spared of not every thing to be equally divided at my wife's death of becoming single, and so appoint my wife Anne Ray & James Ray William Ray Executors of this my last will and testament to witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand seal the day and date above written

his
Robert Ray seal
Mark

Signed sealed & delivered
in presence of us)

Arthur Brooks John Brooks July Court 1786

This will was proven in open court by
the oath of Arthur Brooks & John Brooks, subscribers
present & ordered to be recorded

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Inventory of the Estate of David Hall deceased July Court 1786
for Sale and Loss of Land more or less Two Manns Four Bushels
of Turnips Head of cattle Seven Head of Hogs four Feathers bed and
Furniture and three bedsheets Two Chests four chairs Four tables
Chair 1 Chair one Chest two one Hand and Two Ploughs &
spades four Horing axes 1 Gounding hoe Three spuds four Axe
two shovels two Spades two Augers one Tool Box one Prow
one Hatchet one Gimlet one Saw one Sledge iron and two
Screws one Plain iron bar and one Yellow plain and Brown
one Drawing knife one Hatchet two spuds one Pazer some bottles
of Old Wine and a small piece of Steel one pair of Scissors
some Nails and some Tacks some fishing Hooks one Hammer
Two pair of Cornshakes Two Young Boxes one Grind stone one
Dish Glass one Looking Glass Two Potts and Two Fish Traps
one Lion kettle one Try ing glass four Spoons Three Drags
one Bell Two Metal Potters Two Wheat Potters Two Pewter
Potts one Baking Dish Three Pails one Peggins Three
Hogheads Three Bottles and Rapping Hooks Three Pair of
Leads, one Sconce four Wheels Two Potters Pans Three
Kitchens one Bee Iron one Heater Two Saddles and Two
Brades nine Knives and Two forks one Pick Peggins one
Ranckell Two Basskets one Table six Teacups Miscellaneous
one Coffe Bowl Two Punch Bowls and one Broken Punch
Bowl Two Earthen Plates kept five Earthen Plates Two Sides
Two Jam Jars Two Potts and Two Glazies one Gage and Metal
Cup one Box one Water Pitcher one Butter Pottel Clean Books
one Mackle one Pincushion one Potpourri one Thimble one
Glove one Trunk one Iron Hinge Two Keys and one Hattel
one Headstock and Two Slags some Wassing Shuttles
One Lin Strainer Two pair of Knitting Needles one Flax
Brake Two Lambes one Round Shave some Sewing Needles
Two Sodden Two Brushes Two pair of Scissors one candle
Two Towels Three Dishes Three Pasons six Gold plates and
five other plates Twelve spoons one Paragon