

At the same time the last will and Testament of George Burgess was exhibited
read and a true and correct copy taken in the same manner as before saying
and ordered to be returned &c. and is as followeth

In the name of God Amen the joyful day of December 2

I George Burgess of the County of Gloucestershire being very sick and weak in
body but of perfect mind and Memory thank be Given unto God for so long
wanting the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men
once to die do make & give in this my last will & Testament that is to say
principally and first of all I Give & recommend my soul into the hands of God
that Gave it & my body I recommend to The earth to be buried in Decent Christian
buriall at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the General
Resurrection shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God
and touching such worldly estate I bequeath with a happy pleased God to bless me
in this life I Give Demise & Dispose of the same in the following manner
and form

Item I Give & bequeath to Rachel my Dearly beloved Wife my whole Mer
ced & my two Cowes Calves twelve pigs & seven sheep one short chest one
small hanging Iron I Give & bequeath to my son Thomas two Squires &
their places I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Ephraim one Calf
and her in raggs and one smouldring Iron I Give and bequeath to
my son John one heifer I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Jean one
cow I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Rachel one heifer and my son John
two Sows & Piggons when he comes to the age of fully one year & twenty Courns
a Proclamation Made to be paid him but my son Thomas at the age of twenty one
years & one Iron Pot & two Plates & the Use to my beloved Wife one Iron Pot
two Dishes one basin & four Plates one feather bed & four stur and my son John one
bead & furniture & my Daughter Ephraim one bed & stur & one floufformer wheal
I Give & bequeath to my beloved Wife one Peach wheal & one wauling wheal I Give
also my Daughter Jean one hoop running wheal & my small Gilt to my son Thomas
and all the best of my estate within Doeares & with out that is not all I have Given
me I freely Devided between my wife & my more and Children & it is I
doe avow that it is now Due to pay mine I all ordain & appoin my beloved Wife and
my son Thomas my sole & sole Executors of this my last will & Testament after the signa
ture of my Goods & Chattels &c. Do hereby utterly Discontinue & Discontinue all and
any other former Testaments wills & Legacies & bequests & Executions
and any wise before named wills & bequests & Legacies & Confirming this and
it to be my last will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
the Day & year above written signed published pronounced and declared by the
said George Burgess as his last will & Testament In the presence of us his witnesses

Witnessed by Thomas Miller
William Miller
Elizabeth Miller
George Burgess and his seal
Recorded & approved the 10th Novem^r 1663.
Wm. Mearns