

Probate for the will of William Tash of Burford - Written in 1714 proved in 1718

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Relationships

Self William Tash

Wife Mary Tash

Sister Elianor

Brother Henry Tash

 Son Thomas Tash

 Son Robert Tash

 Daughter Ann Tash

Brother Thomas Tash deceased

 Daughter - not named

 Daughter - not named

Brother John Tash of London

 Children - not named

Summary

William Tash of Burford in the County of Oxon Inn Holder

To Sister Elianor -£5

To the two daughters of Brother Thomas Tash deceased - £10 apiece

To the Children of my brother John Tash of London one Guinea a piece to buy rings

Thomas Tash the son of my Brother Henry Tash - £150 (default to his brother Robert)

Robert Tash son of Brother Henry Tash £80

Niece Ann Tash daughter of Brother Henry Tash £50

All legacies to children managed via a trust and to be paid as they reach 21

Beloved friend Edmund Fettiplace of Swinbrook in the said County of Oxon Gent to get the best Horse or mare

All his Brothers and Sisters in Law a gold ring worth 10/-

Bull Inn, Talbot and meadows and pasture (the latter from Mr Hoard late of London deceased) to his wife, if not wanted by her, then brother Henry Tash to be given first refusal to rent it from her

Messuage or tenement (lately purchased from Mr Richard Jordan of Witney) to wife

during the term of her natural life and afterwards to Thomas Tash (the son of brother Henry Tash) and his heirs forever
Mrs Mary Jordan one guinea to buy her a ring
Loving friends John Jordan of Burford Esquire and Robert Collyer of Burford, Sadler to be trustees
Residue to his wife Mary Tash
Executor: Mary Tash
Witnessed: J Eykyn /Thomas Barksdalle / George Powell
Signed – 10 Jan 1714
Proved - 09 September 1718

Text

In the name of God Amen
The tenth Day of January Anno Domini **William Tash of Burford**
in the County of Oxon Inn Holder being weak in body but of sound and~~
perfect understanding mind and memory thanks be given to Almighty
God for the same do make this my last Will and testament in manner~~
and form following that is to Say first I bequeath my Soul to Almighty ~~
God hoping and Stedfastly believing through the death and pashion of
My beloved Saviour Jesus Christ to have Everlasting Salvation for the same
my body I commit to the Earth from which it came to be decently buried
by my Executrix hereinafter named now as touching what Estate or Estates
both real and personall God Almighty has blessed me withal in this
world I give and dispose of the same as followeth Impremis I give unto~~
my **Sister Elianor** the sum of five pounds of Lawfull money of Great ~~
Brittain to be paid her within Six months after my decease Item I give ~~
Unto the two daughters of my **Brother Thomas Tash deceased** the sum
of ten pounds of a piece of like mony to be paid within twelve month after~
my decease and in case either of them shall happen to dye that then the~~
Legacy of her so dying shall go to the survivor of them Item I give the ~~~
Children of my brother **John Tash** of London which shall be living at the~~
Time of my decease one Guinea a piece to buy rings Item I give unto
Thomas Tash the son of my Brother Henry Tash the sum of one hundred
and fifty pounds of like & Lawful money of Great Britain and to **Robert Tash**
one other of the sons of my Said Brother Henry Tash the sum of Eighty pounds
of like money And in case the said **Thomas Tash** shall happen to dye~~~
then I give the said sum of one hundred and fifty pounds unto his said ~~~
Brother Robert Tash to be paid within Twelve months after my decease~
but then and in such case my Will is that the said Legacy of Eighty pounds
so devised by me to be paid unto the said **Robert** shall sink and not be paid to~~
him Item I Give unto my **niece Ann Tash daughter of the said brother**
Henry Tash the sume of fifty pounds of Like -//-//-// mony and I doe~
hereby declare and my will and meaning is that the particular Legacys
by me given before unto my brother **Thomas Tashes** Sons & Daughters and to
my brother **Henry Tashes** Sons & Daughter and to Such other ~~
Children as I shall herinafter name shall be paid by my Executrix
herein after mentioned within six months after my decease to such
Trustees as I shall herein after Nominate and Appoint and that
my Said Trustees hereinafter named shall place and let out the same

monyes to interest to such person or persons the shall
think most proper and come**ent in their names and the name of the ~
Survivor of them in trust for my said nephews and neeces and untill~~
my Said nephews and nieces and Every one of Them shall respectively ~
Attain to the age of one and twenty years and then the said particular
Legacys by me given and bequeathed shall be paid to tem or the~~
Survivors or Survivor of them at their Severall and respective Ages ~
of one and twenty years Item I give Unto my **beloved friend~~**
Edmund ffettiplace of Swinbrook in the said County of Oxon~~
Gent the best Horse or mare I shall dye possessed of at the time~
of my decease to be at his H***e and Election and to be delivered
to him or his order within one month after my decease Item I~~
give unto my own Brothers and Sisters in Law and to my Brothers and Sisters in Law
and to each~

and every of them A gold ring of the price of Ten Shillings~~~

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and whereas I hold by lease from the ffoeffoes of Burford afore~
said the Bull Inne whereas I now live with the Appurtenances and
also a messuage or tenement adjoining the same Bull Inne
called the Dog or talbot and also maintain Grounds and inclosures~~~~
being meadows & pasture of and from one **Mr Hoard late of London**
deceased for the Impedement of which said grounds and Bull Inn~~~
aforesaid and the messuage called the Talbot I have laid out and~~~
expended a great sum of money by reason whereof the rents of the ~~~
said premises may be much advanced now my will is that in case my
Executrix hereinafter named shall not be minded to hold the same Inn and
Talbot and the said grounds and inclosures aforesaid then I do desire my ~~~
Executrix hereinafter named to lett my **brother the said Henry Tash** have
the first refusal of the same Inn Talbott and grounds upon the advancing
of such rents over and above what I now pay for the same as she in her~~
discretion shall think fitt and reasonable but I desire her to be kind to my Said~~
Brother Henry Tash in the advancement of such rents Item I give the ~
messuage or tenement I lately purchased of **Mr Richard Jordan of Witney**
to my dear wife during the term of her natural life with all the ~~~
appurtenances thereunto belonging and the rents issues and profits of ~
them and after her decease I give and bequeath the same messuage or~
tenement with the appertenaces unto the said **Thomas Tash** the sonn
of my said brother **Henry Tash** and his heirs forever Item I give unto **Mrs**
Mary Jordan one guinea to buy her a ring Item my will is that all my
just debts which I now owe or which I shall justly owe at the time-----
-----of my decease be first paid and discharged out of my personall and
which I shall dye possessed of before any of the Legacys I have herein given
and before bequeathed and also my ffunerall Expenses I do hereby make
and nominate my Loving friends **John Jordan of Burford aforesaid**
Esquire and **Robert Collyer of Burford aforesaid Sadler** my trustees to See
the several trusts herein before by me raised and Declared to be justly done
and performed according to the trusts I have in them reposed and I~~~
desire the to see --- that the Legacys before by me given be justly~~
paid and performed and that they or the survivor of them will assist my wife

in all things as occasion shall require Item Lastly all the rest of my Estate or Estates both real and personall and all other my Goods Chattels and Cattells whatsoever and wheresoever and not by me before disposed of I give and devise to my dear **wife Mary Tash** whom I make sole Executrix of this my Last will and Testament Hereby revoking all former Will and wills testament and testaments whatsoever heretofore by me made~~~ and Executed and do hereby declare this to be my Last will and Testament and no other In witness of whereof I the said **William Tash** have to~~ this my Last Will and Testament contained in three Sheets of paper to the first sheets whereof I have set my hand and to the Last my hand and Seale the day and year first above written~~
William Tash his mark Memorandum that the three last lines and a half of the first sheet of this will and the three first lines of the second sheet was blotted out by the direction of the said **William Tash** the testator before his Sealing and publishing this his Will and then Signed Sealed published and declared by the said **William Tash** for and as his Last will and testament in the presence of us~~ who have Subscribed our names in his presence **J Eykyn /~~ Thomas Barksdalle / George Powell**

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