

*The Last Will and Testament
Of Catherine Palmer
of Bemerton
Will Proved
15th October 1747*



Probate Court of London
Original reference PCC Prob11/757
Will Dated 14th August 1747

Testator:	Palmer	Catherine	Bemerton
Executors:	Palmer	Nathaniel	Son
			Sole Executor

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Barry	Catherine	Daughter	Wife of Richard Barry of Bitten, Gloucestershire
Barry	Richard	Son in Law	Reverend, Clerk of Bitten, Gloucestershire
Hawes	Henry	Son in Law	Reverend, Clerk of Bemerton
Hawes	Rachel	Daughter	Wife of Rev. Henry Hawes of Bemerton
Palmer	Edward	Son	Reverend, Clerk
Palmer	Nathaniel	Son	
Palmer	Samuel	Son	Reverend, Clerk of Dublin, Ireland
Palmer	Thomas	Son	Surgeon
Witnesses			
Cooper	John		
England	Sarah		
Other Names			

In the Name of God Amen I Catherine Palmer of Bemerton in the County of Wilts calling to Mind the Uncertainty of this transitory Life but being at this time of sound disposing Mind Memory and Understanding thanks be given to Almighty God Do for settling my Worldly Estate make and Publish this my last Will and Testament And ffirst I Recommend my Soul to Almighty God my Creator hoping most humbly to receive remission of my Sins thro' the Mediation of my Saviour Jesus Christ And my Body to the Earth therein decently to be interred by my Executor hereafter appointed And as to my Worldly

Substance I give and dispose thereof as followeth (that is to say) I Give and bequeath to my Son the Revd Edward Palmer Clerk the sume of five shillings and my pair of silver salvers Unto my Son the Reverend Samuel Palmer Clerk now residing at Dublin in the Kingdom of Ireland the like sume of five shillings and my best Diamond Ring Unto my Son Thomas Palmer Surgeon the sume of five shillings And I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Catherine the Wife of Richard Barry of Bitten in the County of Gloucester Clerk the sume of five shillings and to her said Husband the Reverend Mr Barry five shillings to my said Daughter Catherine I also give my Worked Sampler Quilt and my Mother's Wedding Ring and my blew Gown and the silk belonging to it Unto my Daughter Rachael the Wife of the Reverend Henry Hawes of Bemerton Clerk I Give the sume of five shillings and her said Husband five shillings Also I give the said Mrs Hawes my Gold Watch Chain and Gold Seal and my second best Diamond Ring and my Wedding Ring and five Silver Tea Spoons And all my Apparell both Linnen and Woollen Except the above Gown and Silk and Except such of my Velvet as is not made into Apparell which Velvet I give to my Executor All the rest residue and remainder of my Estate Goods Chattels and Effects whatsoever as well as my Moneys and Securities for Money I Give and bequeath to my Son Nathaniel Palmer whom I do hereby make constitute and appoint full and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made In Witness whereof I the said Testatrix have to this my said last Will and Testament have hereunto sett my hand and Seal this ffourteenth day of August in the Year of our Lord 1747 *Cath: Palmer*

(Attestation Clause)

Sarah England _ John Cooper

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