

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Thomas Pope  
of Burton in the Parish  
of Bishops Cannings  
Will Proved  
29th May 1611*



Original reference P24/123  
Will Dated - 14 February 1610/11  
Inventory dated – 26 February 1610/11  
Buried at – Bishops Cannings St Mary

<b>Testator:</b>	Pope	Thomas	Esquire
<b>Executors:</b>			
Pope	Thomas	Son	Sole Executor
<b>Overseers:</b>			
Sloper	Thomas		
Sloper	Thomas	Of Bourton	
<b>Trustees:</b>			

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
			Lady Church of Sarum
			Parish church of Cannings Episcopi
Pope	Bridget	Daughter	
Pope	Mary	Grandchild	Surname Not Given but a PR baptism 1604 records daughter of Thomas Pope, Jnr.)
Pope	Thomas	Son	
Pope	William	Son	
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Alridge	Thomas		
Caswell	Michael		
Sloper	Arthur		
<b>Other Names</b>			
Cooke	Robert		
Coxe	John		
Haslon	Willm.		(PR as Hasland)
Pounde	Michael		

Ruddle	John		
Russe	Willm.		
Sloper	Richard		
Towler	John		

(In the name of god Amen I Thomas Pope of Burton in the Parrish of Caninge Epis. sicke and weake in bodie but thankes be to god in perfitt memorie doe ordaine and make this my last will and testament in manner and forme followinge ffirst I geve and bequeathe my soule into the hands of allmighty god my creator and to his sonne Jesus Christ my alone savior and redem[e]r and my bodie to be buried in the church yarde of Caninge Epis. aforesaid It[e]m I geve unto o[u]r lady church of Sarum vj<sup>d</sup> And to my owne parrish church of Canninge xij<sup>d</sup> It[e]m I geve to my sonne William lvj<sup>Li</sup> my will is yt willia[m] shall have x<sup>Li</sup> at the end and terme of iiij yeares and vj<sup>Li</sup> at the end and terme of viij yeares after my decease Also I geve to my sonne William iiij greate platters It[e]m I geve to my daughter Briget xx<sup>Li</sup> my will is yt is Bridget shall have x<sup>Li</sup> at the terme end and of iiij yeares and the ther x<sup>Li</sup> at the end and terme of vj yeares after my decease It[e]m I geve unto the saide Bridget iij greate platters one cowlett one frather bed one boulster and two pillowes It[e]m I geve to my granchild Mary one mirked hayfer bullocke All the rest of my goods moveables and unmoveables not geven and bequested I geve unto my sonne Thomas Pope whome I make and ordaine my whole and alone Executor of this my laste will and testament And I make and ordaine Overseers of this my last will and testament my welbe loved in [?]te Thomas Sloper and Thomas Sloper of Borton my neighbok desiringe them to see this my last will and testament in every repect and poynte kepte and fulfilled wittnesse to this will Michael Caswell Thomas Alridge and Arthur Sloper

Debte oweth to

Richard Sloper, John Towler, Robert Cooke, Willm. Russe, Willm. Haslon

The Inventory of all and singular the gode and cattalls of Thomas Pope late of Horton w[i]thin the parrish of Bishopps Canninge deceased taken and praished by John Ruddle Michael Pounce John Coxo and Thomas Sloper the xxvj of February in the eightel yeare of the Raige of I soveraigne lord King James  
Total sume xlviij<sup>Li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>