

*The Last Will and Testament
of Mary Pope
of Lockeridge in the Parish of Overton
Will Proved
27 October 1708*



Probate Court of Marlborough
Original reference: WSHC - P3/P/612ii
Will Dated – 24 March 1707
Buried at – Fyfield on 8 August 1708
“19 August 1708, Affidavit for Mary Pope being buried in wollen brought &c.”

Testator:	Pope	Mary	Widow
Sole Executor:			
Pope	Nicholas	Fyfield	Son

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Stanmer	Mary	Daughter	Married Edward Stanmore 1700
Pope	Nicholas	Son	
Pope	Mary	Daughter	
Pope	Joan	Daughter	
Pope	Sary	Daughter	
Pope	Rebecka	Daughter	
Witnesses			
Coleman	William		
Pope	Joan		
Dimer	Ann		

In the Name of god Amen. The Twenty fouerth day of march In the year of our Lord one Thousam Seven hundred and Seven I Mary Pope of Lockeridge In the County of Eilts widow; being very sick and weak In bodey but of perfect mind and memory. Thanks be given to god Therefore Calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing It Is apointed for all men once to dye doe make and ordain this my Last will and Testament that Is to say Principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul Into the hands of god that gave It and for my body I Recommend It to the Earth to be buried In Christian like an decen maner att the Diseretion of my Executor nothing doubting but att the general Resurrection I shall receive the Same again by the myty power of god and as touch Such worldly Estate where wit It hath pleased god to bless me In this life I give advice and Didpose of the Same In the following maner and form

Imprimus: I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary: Daughter Mary Stanmore my feather bed and Every Thing be Longing to It, and my Chest and my best Brass pott and one of my pewter platters If Ever she have or when Ever shee have occasion to make use of It: and I further bequeath her the said Mary Stanmer tenn pounds of good and Lawfull money of England to be left In the hands of my Son Nicholas Pope for and toward the breeding of her up , also I give to her the Sum of forty shillings of good and Law full money of England to be paid to her when Shhee curns to the age of Twenty one years old

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Nicholas Pope – Daughters Mary Joan Jane Sary and Rebecka the Sum of twenty Shillings a piece of good and Lawfull money of England

Item I Give to my Son in Law Edward Stanmer of five three pounds that he owes to me

Item I give to my Dearly beloved Son Nicholas Pope whom I likewise Constitute make and ordayne my only and sole Executor of this my Last will and Testament all and Singular my goods and Chattels and Tennements Revoke and disanul all and every other former Testaments Wills and Lagacies Requests and Executors by me In any wais before this time named – my Last will and Testament

In witness hearof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year above written

X her mark

(Attestation Clause)