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Will of Elizabeth Adderton, Widow, of Churchill, 1649

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Adderton al[ia]s Ralphe of Churchill in the County of Oxon Wydow beinge Sicke in body but of perfecte minde & memory Thanks be given to god Doe make my last will and testament the Eayth day of May An[n]o Dom[ini] 1638 in manner & forme as followeth First I Comitt my soule into the hands of Almighty God my maker hopinge to be saved by the Merritts of Jesus xp[Chris]te my redeemer And my body to be buried in the Church yarde of the parish church of Churchill aforesaid. Item I doe give & bequeath unto my Grandchildren Thomas Shurleyes children of Churchill afores[ai]d beinge seaven of them vizt Thomas Elizabeth Anne William Jane Mary & Robert to every and each of them Twenty shillinges of lawful money of England to be payde unto them within halfe a yeere next after my decease Item I doe give and bequeath unto my grandchildren Thomas Hull his children beinge two of them vizt Thomas and Anne to each of them twenty shillings to be payde unto them within halfe a yeare next after my decease Item I doe give and bequeath to my grandchilde John Beacham the son of John Beacham of Kingham the sume of Ten shillings to be payde unto him within halfe a yeare next after my decease Item I do give and bequeath unto my grandchilde John Jett the son of John Jett of Churchill aforesaid the sume of Ten shillings to be payde unto him within halfe a yeere next after my decease Item I doe give and bequeath unto my grandchildren Thomas & Anne Hull aforesaide All the goodes and household stuffe I have about my chamber or about the house & backside of my son in law John Jett in Churchill aforesaid Item I doe give & bequeath unto my son in law Thomas Shurley the sume of 20 s

And I doe Constitute appoynte and ordeyne the said Thomas Shurley my son in law to be my sole Executor In wyttnes wher[e]of the sayde Elizabeth Adderton al[ia]s Ralphe have hereto sett my hand and seale the day & yeare first above wrytton

Wrytton read sealed and subscribed in the presence of John Jett Thomas Glyme The marke of Elizabeth Adderton ali[a]s Ralphe

Sworn by Thomas Shurley Executor 26 Jan 1649 Mars Hirst surrogate

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