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Will of Samson Rawlings, yeoman, of Sarsden, 1627

In the name of God Amen I Samson Rawlinges of Sarsden in the countie of oxon yeoman being sicke in body but of p[er] fecte memorie thankes be given to god Doe make my last will & testamente in manner & forme as followeth the xijth day of June An[n]o D[omi]ni 1627 I com[m]end my soule into the hands of allmightie god my maker & Reedemer hopinge to be saved by the merrite of Jesus xp[Chris]te and my body to be buries in the p[ar]ish Church of Churchill in the countie of oxon aforesayde It[e]m I doe give & bequeath unto my sonne Thomas Rawlings the Sum[m]e of Twentie poundes of good & lawfull money of Englande to be payd unto him w[i]thin sixe monthes after my decease It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my sonne Francis Rawlings the Sum[m]e of fourtie Poundes of good & lawful money of England vizt the Sum[m]e of twentie pounds to be payd unto him w[i]thin one yeare after my decease and also I doe give and bequeath unto the sayd Francis Rawlinges one Flockbedd the best I have and one coverlette two Blankettes w[hi]ch lye in A Coffer that Ihave & also I doe give the sayd Francis thirteene pewter dishes the w[hi]ch lie in the sayde Coffer w[i]th th[e] one cov[er]lett & two Blankettes and also I doe give unto the sayd Francis two brasse Potte the lesser that I have It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my sonne Thomas Rawlings foure payre of sheetes & halfe a Douzen of napkins and to Francis Rawlings foure payre of sheetes & halfe a Douzen of napkins It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my brother John Rawlings of Charlburie the sum[m]e of twentie shillings of good and Current English money (to be payd to him) w[i]thin one month next after my Decease It[e]m I doe constitute appointe and ordeyne my sonn John Rawlinges to be my sole executor I doe intreate my son in law Thomas Hacker of Churchill in the countie aforesayd and John Clapton of Sarsden aforsayde to bee ov[er]seers of this my Will & testamente In Wittnes whereof

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I have herunto sett my hand & seale the Day and yeare above written

It[e]m I doe give untoThomas Hacker sonne of the aforsayd Thomas Hacker and to Judith Rawlings daughter to John Rawlings aforesayd to each of them tenne shillings of Currante English money to be payd unto them w[i]thin sixe

weekes next after my Deceasse

The ma[r]ke of Samson Rawlings

Written reade sealed and subscribed in the p[re]sence of us John Clapton The ma[r]ke of Thomas Hacker

Probate was granted 4th October 1627 at Chipping Norton Oxon to the Executor: Son John Rawlings by Hugh Barker

Inventory Sum 17^{li} 6^s 8^d

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