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Will of John Harvey, the Elder, of Churchill, 1672

In the name of God Amen the twelwe day of December according to the Computation of the Church of England One Thousand six hundred seventi And two I John Harvey the elder of Churchill in the county of Oxford dayt[e] being weake in body but of perfect memory and Remembrance praised be to god doe here make my last Will and Testament in man^[n]er and forme following

First I bequeath my soule into the handes of Almighty god my maker and to Jesus Christ my Saviour and Redeemer hopeinge to be saved through his Death and passion and my body to be buried in Christian buriall at the discretion of my Executrix hereafter nominated Also I give unto Mary my wife All that my house and halfe yard land in Churchill during her naturall life And after the Decease of Mary my wife Then to my two sonns Thomas and Peter as I shall hereafter nominate Also I give unto my sonn Thomas aforesaid The half with all the howses edifice and buildings adjoining thereunto on the North side with the backside and halfe the arrable land com^[m]ons and pastuers thereunto belonging and to his heiers made be him lawfully to be begoten and for want of such heiers to the Right heiers males for ever (Except the butt of arable adjoining next unto the land Northside Also I give unto my sonn Peter the howse commonly called the kitchin with the entry with the garden and o[r]chard as it is now bounded and sett out with a passage from the yard kitchin of fower foot Broad to the land orchard or garden w^hin the Posedut or other part of the said halfe back land with the commons and pasture and the butt before Excepted and to the heiers male by him lawfully to be begoten

And for want of Such heiers to the Right heier males for ever condicoly And upon
Condicon that the said Thomas shall pay unto John Harvey my naturrall sonn the
sum of Tenn pounds of lawfull money and Tenn pounds of life money unto William
Harvey my naturrall sonn and the land Peter shall pay unto Anne Harvey my naturrall
Daughter the sum of Tenn pounds and Tenn pounds unto Mary my naturrall
Daughter and Also I give unto my Sister Katherine Lee howse room to be with Thomas
in case shee be in necessity upon condicon shee makes all her goods to my children as
for all my goods and Chattles not given I give unto Mary my wife whom I make
whole and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament revoking All other wills
and Testaments

In witness whereof
I have sett to my hand
And marke the day and John Harvey
Yeare First above written

George Dodford
His marke of
John Nevill

Probate granted in Chipping Norton Ano Domini 1672 to Maria Relit (widow) and Executrix

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