

Lyddington Manor History Society

Michael CLIPSHAM, yeoman of Thorpe by water

Will proved 1606

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1 In Dei nomine Amen, octavo Augusti Anno
2 millesimo Sexcentesimo Sexto I Michaell Clipsham of Thorpe by water in the County
3 of Rutland yeoman beinge sicke in bodye but of perfecte remembrance (thanks be to God)
4 do make this my laste will and testamente in manner and forme followinge. First I
5 bequeathe my soule into the handes of Allmightye God by whose mercye in Christe Jesus
6 Jesus I truste to be saved/ And my bodye to be buryed in the Chancell of Seaton./ Item
7 I geve unto Michaell Clipsham my sonne my beste bedd with the furnytüre that belongeth
8 to the same. / Item I geve unto Nicholas Clipsham my sonne Twentye poundes./ Item I
9 geve unto theis his children, Michaell, Nicholas, William, Margaret, Elizabeth, and
10 Mary Twentye pounds to be equally divided amongste them. / Item I geve unto
11 Edmond Clipsham (my sonne Nicholas his sonne, Twentye marcke./ Item I geve unto
12 Richard Clipsham my sonne a nagge or fyve marcke in money. / Item I geve unto
13 his wife a nagge, or fyve marcke. / Item I give unto Richard Clipsham his children
14 Foureteene pounds to be equallie devided amongste them. / Item I will that whereas Henry
15 Hynman oweth me Twentye sixe pounds, that he shall paye unto John Nicholls Ten
16 pounds, and the remaynder thereof which is Sixeteene pounds shalbe devided amongste his
17 children. /Item I geve unto Henrye Hynman and his wife Fower poundes./ Item I
18 will that whereas Edward Wrighte oweth me sixeteene pounds that his sonne Michaell and
19 his daughter Elizabeth shall have Eighte pounds thereof in this sorte Fyve pounds to Michaell
20 and Three pounds to Elizabeth. / the other eighte pounds I geve to Edwarde Wrighte and his
21 wife in consideracion of a nagge whiche I had of him./ Item I give to Thomas Hollande
22 Twentye poundes. Item I geve to Katheren Holland his daughter Tenne poundes./
23 Item I geve to Michaell Holland and Thomas his sonne Fortye shillings a peece./ Item
24 I geve unto Edmond Clipsham my sonne Twentye poundes. / Item I geve unto my sonne
25 Edmond Clipsham his wife my third featherbed./ Item I geve unto Richard Clipsham and
26 Margarete my sonne Edmond his children all that my lease which I take of Erasmus
27 Catesbye of Wyndemyll hill peese and meadowe specified in the said lease./ Item I geve unto
28 Edmond Clipsham of Duddington my brother Three pounds and my beste Coate./ Item I
29 further geve unto my daughter Holland a third parte of all my houshold stuff./ Item I

30 geve unto my daughter Wrighte two silver spoones and to her daughter Elizabeth one
31 silver spoone./ Item I geve to Thomas Hollande his yongest sonne one sylver spoone./Item
32 I geve to the poore of Thorpe to everye of them a stryke of corne./ Item to the poore of
33 Seaton Fortye shillings./ Item to the poore of Lyddington Twentye sixe shillings eighte
34 pence./ Item to the poore of Gretton Twentye sixe shillings eighte pence./ Item I geve
35 Unto Richard Key a coate and a payre of hose./ Item I geve unto Anne Spence Thirteene
36 Shillings foure pence./ Item I geve to Ellen Fowler Sixe shillings eighte pence./ Item to Magery
37 Walker three shillings foure pence./ Item to Zacharye Barker Twelve pence./ Item I geve to
38 Margarett Beck *alias* Harrison my kynswoman Sixe shillings eighte pence./ Item I geve unto
39 Richard Clipsham and Margaret Clipsham my sonne Edmonde his children Tenne shillings a
peece
40 to buye them an kine and a lambe./ Item I geve further unto Edmonde Clipsham my sonne all
41 the lands which I purchased of Erasmus Catesbye in Seaton and Thorpe to him and his heires
42 forever./ Item I will that my sonne Nicholas Clipsham shall have my black nagge payeng to
43 my Executor Three pounds sixe shillings eighte pence./ Item I geve unto Michaell Harrison
44 his wife Thirteene shillings fower pence that he oweth me./ Item I geve unto Mr Horneby
45 Tenne shillings./ Item I geve unto Thomas Hey[?mes] of Haringworthe a Carte./ Item I
46 geve to William Howlat a coate./ Item I geve to Alice Harrison tenne shillings./ Item I geve
47 unto Thomas Southorpe Three shillings fower pence./ All the reste of my goods unbequeathed
48 I geve unto Michaell Clipsham my sonne whom I make sole Executor of this my laste will and
49 Testament / Item I constitute and appoynte Edmonde Clipsham my sonne and Henrye
50 Hynman my sonne in lawe supervisors of this my will./ And for their paines I geve them Three
51 shillings fower pence a peece./ In wytness whereof I have sett to my hande the daie and
52 yeare afore wrytten in the presence of William Hornebye and John Dasce Michael
53 Clipsham his marcke./

Summary of Latin Probate clause

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