

**W.C.R.O. Will of John Hankynes of Lighthorne 1595.**

In the Name of God Amen: I John Hankynes of Lighthorne in the diocese of Worcester, feeble, impotent, and sickly in body: but in mind thanks be to God of good memory and understanding: do ordain & make this my Last Will and Testament in manner & form following. First I commend my soul in to the hands of Almighty God and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Lighthorne in full and certain hope of the Resurrection of the same in the last day to life everlasting.

Item I give and bequeath to **Maria Mason** my Goddaughter 2s.

The rest of my goods movable & unmovable, and my debts (my funeral and debts discharged and all other necessary necessities what so ever performed and discharged) I give and bequeath to **Joan** my wife: whom I make my full and sole executrix of this my Last Will and Testament: to do therein as God shall give her grace, according to the true meaning thereof.

Mine overseers, **Thomas Mason** the elder, **Thomas Reynolds** and **Thomas Mason** the younger: the said parties witnesses hereunto with **William Smart** parson.

Proved at Worcester 21st day April 1596. before (**William Clifford?**) Deacon at Worcester.  
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