

The will of Richard David, yeoman, of Llanblethian dated 23rd., September 1702.

To his son David Richard, 5 acres of freehold land in Llanblethian.

To his son Richard David, a dwelling house with <sup>garden</sup> garden, orchard and two acres, being customaryhold; also a further acre of customaryhold land which had been purchased from John <sup>Robert</sup> Richard, provided he pay his sister <sup>Mary</sup> £10 within a year of inheriting the land.

The rest of the goods to his daughter Catherine as executrix.

The mark of Richard David

Witnessed by Richard Sweeting, Thomas Phillips, John Sweeting, Robert Williams.

Proved 23rd., February 1704.

An inventory of the goods belonging to Richard David of Llanblethian dated 9th., December 1703.

His wearing apparel	1- 0- 0
4 oxen	8- 0- 0
7 small kine	10-10- 0
26 sheep	3- 5- 0
3 small pigs	15- 0
A wain and other implements of husbandry	2-10- 0
5 acres of wheat in the ground	1-10- 0
By bond from Richard Llewelin	3-10- 0
By bill from Morgan John	3- 0- 0
	34- 0- 0

appraised by William Christopher, Mathew John, Robert Williams

In the name of God Amen I Richard Davie of the parish  
of Sandsthyam, in the County of Glamorgan, woman, being all flesh, indigible,  
and not well in body, but of good and perfect memory, being of good and calling  
to remembrance the uncertain estate of this transitory life, and that all flesh must  
yield unto death, whereof I have had sad experience, I do make my will, and do  
this my last will, testament, in manner and form following, hereby revoking any  
making, void, and every other former testament, or last will, or wills heretofore  
(yany) by me made and do hereby declare by word, or writing, And that only is to  
be taken for my last will, and testament, And first, being penitent and free  
from the burden of my heart, for my first part, I most humbly beseeching forgiveness  
and pardon for the same, I give and commit my soul unto allmightie God, my favour  
hoping through the merits and passion of Jesus Christ, my Redeemer, to be saved  
sould, and my body to be buried in such place and maner as I shall please my  
Executrix heretofore named to appoint, And now for the settling of this testament  
I do hereby give and bequeath the same in maner and form following, (that  
is to say) I will that all my lawfull debts and funerall expences be paid  
of and discharged by my Executrix as aforesaid, I give and bequeath my  
free hold lands being free tenements and are situate within the parish and Ham  
of Sandsthyam aforesaid, immediately after my decease, And that first and ther  
of and from any manner of incumbrances thereupon to my loving son  
Richard Davie and his right heirs for ever, I give and bequeath unto  
my loving son Richard Davie, one dwelling with a back garden and  
sethards to the said house adjacent, and two acres of land being customary  
hold to the said dwelling, and one acre more of customary lands, which  
purchased from John Davie in lieu whereof I charge my said son Richard  
to pay unto my loving daughter Mary the sum of twenty pounds to be paid  
her within a year next after my decease, And as for the rest of my goods  
of chattels, chattels and personal estate whatsoever, I give and bequeath the same  
unto my loving daughter Katherine widow, I do hereby nominate and  
appoint J. Phillipps of this my last will and testament as witness my hand  
and seal the thirte and twentieth day of September in the first year of the Reigne  
of our Sovereign Lady Queen Anne our England &c. And in the year of our  
Lord God one thousand seven hundred and two

Richard Sweeting  
Thomas J.P. Phillipps  
John J. Sweeting

Richard Davie  
RD  
23<sup>o</sup> Feb<sup>o</sup> Anno D<sup>ni</sup> 1703  
Catharina David m<sup>r</sup> & Executrix ad litem Assig-  
nat. Catharina David s<sup>ic</sup> & Execut. in  
honor. Testamto n<sup>o</sup>val. Sur. &c. Coram me  
Franc. Davie



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 A true and exact Inventory of all the goods Chattels and Effects of Richard  
 David of the City of Southwark in the County of Gloucestre late being Mad and  
 apprais'd the 9. day of December 1703 by the persons under named at the  
 C. S. S.

John	His Wareing: Apparell att	01	00	00
John	A Oxen att	08	00	00
John	7 small kind: att	10	10	00
John	26 Sheep of all sorts	03	05	00
John	3 small piggs att	00	15	00
John	1 Hair & other implem <sup>ts</sup> : of huf bandy	02	10	00
John	5 Q. of Warab in the ground:	4	10	00
John	by bond from Rich. Rowden	03	10	00
John	bill from Morgan John	03	00	00

Total is = 34 = 00 = 00 =

Appraisors

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William C Christophre

Matthew + John

*[Signature]*

23<sup>o</sup> Febr<sup>o</sup> Anno Dni 170<sup>3</sup> A  
 Gratia David Petri dicti defuncti &  
 Coniugis ad Ales. Usignat. Catharina  
 David Minor: filiae & Exci inuicem in  
 Testamento eiusdem defuncti Inuicem facti  
 tam de Veritate huiusmodi q<sup>u</sup> de  
 bene & fidelit<sup>er</sup> adstrando & ad usum &  
 duntaxat minor: etale dicti Exci Coram me.

Franc: baviar  
 S<sup>uo</sup>:

Exhibutum fuit huiusmodi Inventum apud  
 Landeshut Vicesimo = tertio die mens<sup>is</sup> Febr<sup>o</sup>  
 Anno Dni millesimo septingentesimo tertio iuxta de.  
 ff. Gratiam David Petri & Administratricem  
 de. & Vero de. Sub Preslacione tamen de addendo  
 de. Si etc.