In the name of God Amen Anno Dmi 1626 In the Second yeare of the raigne of our soueraigne Lord
Charles by the grace of God kinge of Englande Scotland ffrannce and Ireland defendo &c I
Margarett Margesson of Orlby in the countie of Lincoln widdowe beinge in bodily health and
perfect memorie prayse be vnto god yet not knowinge how long god will graunte me soe much tyme
in this world doe ordeyne and make this my last will and Testament in manner and forme followinge
first and principally I bequeath my Soule to God my maker and my bodye to the earth from
whence it came Item I give to the poore people of Orlby Fortie Shillings Item I give and bequeath
vnto Joane my daughter the wife of John Margesson Thirty pounds of lawfull money of England
Item I give and bequeath vnto the said Joane my daughter one of my best plaine Silver Spoones Item I give to
Joane Constable and Agnes Constable the two daughters of William Constable Two paire of Tynn Sheets
and one paire of Towen Sheets and one Table cloth of Dyaper and one Towell cloth of Dyaper and
and three pewter platters and three pewter dishes and one pewter candlestick and one pewter
Salt dishe Item I give and bequeath vnto John Margesson my sonne Thirty pounds of lawfull
money of England Item I give to the said John Margesson my sonne my Buffe boddy and one paire of
Dyaper Sheets and two paire of Towen Sheets and one Table cloth made of Diaper worke and
and two pewter platters and two pewter dishes and one Salt cellor with a Cover Item I give to
my sonne John Margesson Fifteen Twenties Shillings a peece Item I give and bequeath vnto
Richard Margesson my sonne Tenn pounds of lawfull money of England Item I give to Richard
Margesson the sonne of Richard Margesson my sonne Fower pounds of currant English money Item I
give to William Margesson and Mary Margesson the sonne and daughter of the said Richard
my sonne Three pounds a peece of currant English money Item I give and bequeath vnto Mary
sonne in Law Thomas Constable Fifteen Twenties Shillings a peece Item I give to my sonne
in Law Thomas Kaye Fifteen Twenty Shillings a peece Item I give vnto my sonne in Law John
Wheeler three Fifteens Twenties Shillings a peece Item I give to William Constable Agnes
Constable and Agnes Constable the Three Children of William Constable deceased Twenty
Shillings a peece Item I give to Margarett my daughter my greate Joynde Boast Item I
give to Agnes my daughter one of my best plaine Spoone Item I give to Richard Stydman my brother Twenty Shillings Item I
give to Elizabeth Smede two Shillings Item I give to John Smede two Shillings and one Spoone
Item I give to John Stydman sonne of Thomas Stydman my brother deceased two Shillings and
Three pence Item I give to Katherine Chasemore my brother Robert Chasemoore daughter vnto the bee
by name Flower Shillings Item I give to Mary Penfold and Tomasine Bennett to two Seruants to
either of them Thomas Constable my sonne in law two Shillings a peece The residue of all my Goods and
Chattells vnbequeathed and not given Item I give and bequeath vnto Thomas Constable and Thomas
Kaye my two sonnes in Lawes whom I doe ordeyne and make my Executors of this my last will and Testament and
Executors to see this my last will and Testament fulfilled in all points as Item I trust they will
Richard Stydman my brother and Henry Steere of Orlby Lastly I doe ordeyne and make
desire them to see this my last will and Testament performed according to the true meaninge hereof In witnes whereof to this my last will and Testament I haue sett my hand
and Seale the day and yeare first above written in the yeare of

Margarett Margesson

Sealed and deliuered in the presence of

Thomas Constable

John Potter

Probatum fuit Exon Testam apud Guildford coram Venerabili viro Magro Johe Bonner Legum Doctore Surrogato officialis Curiae Prerogiue Cantuar Decimo die mensis Aprilis Anno Dni 1628 Juramto Thome Constable et Thome Kaye Executorum in huiusmodi Testamento nominat cui &c reservat potestate similr &c