

London, England, Wills and Probate, 1507-1858, DW/PA/S/1617/45.

Abstract of the Will of William Franke of the Parish of Walton on the Hill in the County of Surrey, Husbandman, written 30 Oct 1616, proved 1617.

Wills that his body be buried in the churchyard of Walton on the Hill.

Gives to widow Weeler half a bushell of wheat.

Gives to Robert Caner's widow half a bushell of wheat.

Gives to Edward Wotson half a bushel of wheat.

Gives £26 13s. 4d. to his eldest son Thomas.

Gives £26 13s. 4d. to his son John.

Gives £26 13s. 4d. to his youngest son Robert.

Gives £13 6s. 8d. to his daughter Elizabeth.

Gives £13 6s. 8d. to his daughter Anne.

Gives to his cousin Julyan Hacher one bushel of wheat.

All the rest of his goods he gives to his wife Anne, appointing her sole executrix of his last will and testament.

(his mark)

Witnesses: George Franke the elder*, John Darbye

* George Franke the elder was of Walton on the Hill and a brother of William. He left a Will dated 10 Jul 1625 in which he made bequests to his brother Thomas Franke and his children.