

HOLT, ROBERT (Castleton)

26 Nov. 1673 W.
24 Dec. 1675 bur.
19 Dec. 1676 P.

W I L L 26 November 1673 ROBERT HOLTE of Castleton co
Lanc Esquire to bee buried in the psrish church of Rachdall
in my Buriall place there And whereas

I have by Indenture 30 July in the Twelfth yeare of the
late King Charles and made betweene mee by the name of
Robert Holte of Stubley co Lanc Esquire of the one part
and John Bullocke of Darley co Derby Esquire and John
Bullocke (sonne and heire apparent of the said John
Bullocke of Darley) and Katharin Bullocke since deceased
eldest daughter of the said John Bullocke the Father and
late wyfe of the said Robert Holte of the other part
Reserved to myself power to grant any Rent out of my
Manors Messuages Lands &c therein menconed (saveinge soe
much thereof as was by the said Indenture lymitted to the
use of her the said Katharine and that only dureing her
lyfe) Now in pursueance of the aforesaid power I hereby
give

unto Dorothy daughter of mee Robert (by Mary my first wife
who was daughter to Sr Robert Blindlosse^[sic] Knight deceased)
one yearly Rent of £40 out of my capitall messuage called
the Hall of Castleton for life And further I give
unto James Holte gentlem' (my yonger sounne now lyveing)
that one messuage called Stansfeild being in Hundersfield
heeretofore in ye tenure of Thomas Dawson and now in the

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houlding of Henery lord And one messuage &c called
 Marled Earth being in Little Wardle within Hundersfield
 now in the occupation of John Millnes And the messuage
 Stables &c being in Rachdall heeretofore in the tenure
 of John Smith Woollman deceased and late in the houlding
 of William Sydall Innekeep^r deceased my Will is that
 the Residue of my goods and personall Estate shall bee
 devided in Two equall partes whereof I will that
 my yonger sonne James Holte and my Daughter Isabella Holte
 shall have the moyetie thereof And the other moyetie I
 reserve to myselfe which I will shall bee disposed of as
 followeth (that is to say) I give
 unto my said daughter Isabella Holte £1000 my chaine of
 Pearle and all my Jewells with her Mothers wedding Ring
 haveing ingraven in itt this motto (in te acquiesco) I
 give
 unto Thomas Holte my eldest sonne all my Bookes and my
 greatest peice of Gold which formerly was my fathers and
 Two of my best Horses or Meares with all my Armour and
 pistolls And all the Tables stooles formes &c &c in the
 Hall and great Parlour att Castleton &c &c I give
 unto Richard Entwisle my Grandsonne £100
 unto Bartin Entwisle another of my grandchildren £100
 unto Edmund Entwisle one other of my grandchildren £100
 unto Dorothy Entwisle another of my Grandchildren £200

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the legacies given to my said Grandchildren to be paid unto their Father John Entwisle Esqre to bee by him putt forth for the best profitt of my said Grandchildren till they attaine their yeares of discrecon or bee married Provided that yf hee the said John Entwisle or Dorothe his wyfe shall attempt to disanull this my Will Then ytt is my will that the legacies given to my said grandchildren shall cease and I give the same legacies last menconed

unto my said yonger sonne James Holte and to my said Daughter Isabella Holte equally betwixt them

I bequeathe all the Residue of my said moyetie of my said goods &c reserved to my selfe as aforesaid unto my children James Holte and Isabella Holte equally

Executors Thomas Holte my eldest sonne and heire apparent and the said James Holte my yonger sonne

I give the Tuition of my Daughter Isabella Holte and the Tuition of her Estate unto my Exors And I desire my Brother in lawe Roger Nowell Esqr and my Cousin Edmund Jodrell Esqr to bee overseers

Robte Holte (l.S.)

Witnesses Jos. Dureden Josh. Brooke, Rich. Haworth, Ga:
Gartside

Proved C. C. C. 19 December 1676 (presumably by the Exors named)