

In the Name of God Amen the Twentieth Day of August in the eighteenth year of
the Reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second of England Scotland ffraunce & Ireland
being Defender of the faith & Annoq; Dom 1666 I Lewis Brand of Honham in the County of
Essex Widdow being sick of Body yet of perfect minde and memory praied to our Almighty
God for the same yet knowing that my tyme here upon earth is but short and my life uncertain
I doe therefore hereby make & ordaine this my last will & Testament Revoking all other wills
by me formerly made first & principally giving & bequeath my soule into the hands of
Almighty God my maker Saviour & Redeemer And my body I comitt to the Earth from
whence it was taken and to be buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named
from giving & bequeath unto John Brand my sonne All that my Tenement wherem I now
dwoll whall the Barnes outhouses & buildings therunto belonging situate in Honham aforesaid
wth the chafways yards & garden & garden and all these my pasture grounds next therunto
adjoyning as it is now parcelled whall I have purchased therunto belonging to be and
remain to the proper use & behoofe of the said John Brand my sonne and of his heires
I assigne forever from giving & bequeath unto the said John Brand my sonne all those
my Leases & leases of all other my tenements belonging to my trade of woollenry to
be delivered unto him within one month next after my decease by my Executors here
after named being lawfully demanded and also one Linsey Dubbord standing in the
Chamber wherem I now lye from giving & bequeath unto Joane Stubbin my daughter
the wife of Edward Stubbin All these my Chattells Land situate in Honham aforesaid
lying in Plattfords Horsfords and Dorringtonfords to be and remain to the proper use
& behoofe of the said Joane Stubbin for & during the term of her naturall life and after
her decease to the heires begotten of her body forever from giving and bequeath
All that my Chattell Tenement wherem my sonne John Brand now dwollth
situate in Honham aforesaid to be and remain to the proper use & behoofe of all
those my Grandchildren sonnes or daughters of Nicholas Brand and Richard Brand
my sonnes to be equally divided betwene them within two years next after
my decease And upon condition that they or those my Grandchildren or sonnes of
them doe well & truly paye or cause to be payd unto Joane Crigg of Alden in the
County of Essex widdow the yearly summe of six shillings & eight pence during the term
of her naturall life and in case they doe refuse to paye the said summe of six shillings & eight
pence as aforesaid then I give & bequeath the said Dorringtonfords chafways &
orchard & buildings unto John Brand my sonne & to his heires I assigne forever upon the
condition of payment aforesaid to the said Joane Crigg All the rest of my movable
goods whatsoe or whatsoe whatsoever not before bequeathed I give and bequeath unto
Joane my wellbelovd wife whom I make sole Executrix of this my last will and
Testament towards the payment of my debts & funerals charges In witness where
of I have hereunto sett my hand and sealed the day and year first above written

Read & sealed and delivered
in the presence of /
Daniel Gamon
Symon Hayward

Lewis Brand



Louis Brand his Will

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monj' & ptem bis Anno
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Johs Rouy Surro et
jurament Jognas Brand
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