

The will of Edward Evan of Aberthin, Llanblethian, yeoman, dated 10<sup>th</sup> April 1774.

The customaryhold dwelling house, outhouses, garden and orchard with 2 ¼ acres of land in the manor and parish of Llanblethian to his wife Mary Evan and her heirs.

The rest of his goods to his wife Mary as executrix.

Signed Edward Evan.

Witnessed by Lewis Jenkin, William Sweeting , Anne Sweeting.

Proved 11<sup>th</sup> April 1774.

In the Name of God Amen I Edward Evan of Aberthaw in the Parish of Llanblethian in the County of Glamorgan Yeoman being of Sound and perfect Mind Memory and Understanding do hereby make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner following, that is to say, First I give devise and bequeath All that my customary hold Messuage or Dwelling House Outhouses Garden Orchard and other Appurtenances thereunto belonging together also with Two Acres and a Quarter of one Acre of Land, More or less, Situate lying and being within the Manor of Llanblethian in the Parish of Llanblethian aforesaid unto my beloved Wife Mary Evan her Heirs and Assigns forever. Also I give and bequeath all and singular my Goods chattels and Personal Estate whatsoever unto my said Wife Mary Evan whom I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint whole and sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the Tenth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Four

Signed sealed Published and Declared by the said Testator Edward Evan as and for his last Will and Testament in the Presence of us and Attested by us in his Presence and at his Request and likewise in the Presence of each other

Edward Evan

April 11<sup>th</sup> 1774

Mary Evan <sup>widow</sup> the Heir and sole Executrix in the above will named was duly sworn to the truth thereof and to the faithful performance of the same Before me

Wm Jenkins Surgeon

~~John Jenkins~~

William Sweeting

Aswore Sweeting

Proved at Landaff on the Seventh Day of April in the Year of  
our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Seventy four  
before the Reverend William Jenkins Clerk M. A. the  
Chancellor's Surrogate by Mary Egan. Widow the Relict and  
Sole Executrix in the within Will named who was first on  
the holy Evangelists personally sworn well and faithfully  
to execute the same to exhibit an Inventory &c and to  
render a just account of her Administration thereof  
when thereunto lawfully required.