

In the Name of God Amen ~ I **ELIZABETH COLUMBINE** of the Parish of Saint Ann within the Liberty of Westminster in the County of Middlesex widow do publish and declare this to be my last Will and testament as follows first desire that all my just debts may be fully paid and satisfied and that I may be decently buried in the Church Yard of the Parish of St Ann aforesaid as near the remains of my Late dear deceased husband as conveniently may be and I give to my sister-in-law **MRS SARAH COLUMBINE** the sum of Five pounds for mourning and to Mr **NEWMAN HOOKER** of the Parish of Saint Luke in the County of Middlesex, Ribbon Weaver the like sum of five pounds for mourning. I give to my niece **ANN GARDES** one shilling and no more also I give to my servant maid **ELIZABETH WILLS** the sum of five pounds and to all such other servants as shall be living with me at the time of my death the sum of one guinea each and I direct that as soon after my decease as conveniently may be an inventory may be taken of all my household goods and furniture, plate china and wearing apparel together with all my stock in trade and that the same may be forthwith sold and that the money arising therefrom may in the first place be applied towards payment of all my just debts and funeral charges and in discharge of the legacies by me herein before given and the residue thereof I desire may be disposed of as follows (that is to say) one moiety or half part thereof to my niece **MARY ELSON** for her own proper use and that the sum of fifty four pounds and four shillings may be paid out of the other moiety thereof to the said **NEWMAN HOOKER** in discharge of the Bond debt due to him for that sum from **WILLIAM MARR** together with all interest for the same from the date thereof to the day of my death and that the said Bond may be delivered up to the said **WILLIAM MARR** to be cancelled and the residue of the last mentioned moiety after discharging the said bond debt and the interest thereof I desire may be paid to my niece **ELIZABETH** wife of the said **WILLIAM MARR** for her separate and Peculiar use and I so hereby constitute and appoint the said **NEWMAN HOOKER** sole executor of this my Will hereby revoking all others by me at any time heretofore made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this NINTH day of JANUARY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY FIVE (Her signature) Signed sealed published and declared by the said testatrix **ELIZABETH COLUMBINE** as and for her last Will and testament in the presence of **ROBERT STEELE** ~ **EDM BYRON**

This Will was proved at London the FIFTEENTH day of MAY in the year of Our Lord ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNNDRED AND FIFTY FIVE before the worshipful **Arthur Collier** Doctor of Laws and surrogate of the Right Honourable Sir **George See Knight** also doctor of Laws Master Keeper or commissary of the prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully constituted by the oath of **NEWMAN HOOKER** the sole executor named in the said Will to whom Administration was granted of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the deceased he having been first sworn duly to administer.