

Will of Joseph Worland (1703 - 1761)

Worland Joseph late of Meddeth
Dealer Dored

In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Worland
of Meddeth in the County of Cambridge Dealer being infirm in Body but of
Sound & Disposing Mind Memory & Understanding praised be Almighty God
for the same but calling to Mind the Inconstancy of this Mortal Life Do make
& Ordain this my Last will & Testament in manner & form following
Inprimis I Give & Devise to my eldest son Thomas Worland All that my
Fire Cottage or Towne lately purchased of George Gains Situate Standing
& being in Shopwell to him his Heirs & assigns forever I Give & Bequeath to my
Eldest Daughter Elizabeth Worland All that my Eleven pounds I have lent on
Mortgage on the Land of Widd. Fishings to be paid her by her Guardian when
& as soon as she shall arrive at the full age of Twenty one years of age but
she she dies before she arrives at the said age of Twenty one years of age
then my desire is that the sd. Eleven pounds or Estate if so much should come
to my youngest Daughter namely Mary Worland when and as soon as she shall

at the full age of Twenty one Years of Age I Likewise give &
Bequeath to my aforesaid Next Daughter Elizabeth Whorland
the Sum of Ninety Pounds more of Good & Lawful Money of
Great Britain to be paid her by my Executors and Executor when
& as soon as she shall arrive at the full age of Twenty one Years
of age But in case she the said Elizabeth Whorland should die
before she arrives at the full age of Twenty one Years of age
then my desire & real meaning is that the said Ninety Pounds
last mentioned and bequeathed to my said Daughter Elizabeth
Whorland should come to my two Sons Namely the Whorland
& Joseph Whorland Equally & jointly between them I give &
Bequeath to my youngest Son Joseph Whorland the Sum of
Sixty Pounds of Good & Lawful Money to be paid him by my
Executors & Executor hereafter Named when & as soon as he
shall arrive at the full age of Twenty one Years of age, but in
case he the said Joseph Whorland should die before he arrives
at Twenty one Years of age Then my Desire & real meaning
is that the said Sixty Pounds given & bequeathed to him
should immediately come to all the rest of my Children which
shall be then alive equally & jointly between them (I
give & Bequeath to my youngest Daughter Mary Whorland
the Sum of Thirty Pounds of Good & Lawful Money of
Great Britain to be paid her so soon as she shall arrive
at the full age of Twenty one Years of age, but in case
she the said Mary Whorland should die before she
arrives at the full age of Twenty one Years of age then my
Desire & real meaning is that the Thirty Pounds should
come immediately to all my other three Children if living
Equally & jointly between them And lastly as to all the
rest Residue & Remainder of my personal Estate Goods
& Chattels of what kind or Nature whatsoever I give and
Bequeath the same to my Beloved Wife Elizabeth Whorland
& my eldest Son Thomas Whorland whom I hereby do
appoint jointly and Equally Executors and Executor
together hereby revoking & making void all former & other
Wills by me made in witness whereof I have hereunto
set my Hand & Seal this fourth Day of March in the

Thirty third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third
in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred & sixty. Joseph
Whorland & signed Sealed Published & Delivered by the above Named
Joseph Whorland to be his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us
George Palmer Robert Emery Thomas Dodson — I appoint my beloved
wife Elizabeth Whorland to be Guardian to all my Children during
their Minority & not to be charged any thing for Board during their
Minority —

The Inventory by the
Probate made
and to one of the
Executors the Whorland

5th Dec^r 1761

Proved on the Oath of Elizabeth Whorland &
The^r Whorland the Exec^rs within Named in due
form of Law —

Witness my Hand & Seal
Robt Walker Sur^r