

## **Will of Richard Allston senior of West Bergholt, brickmaker, 1830**

- To my wife Mary: all my household goods and furniture, and my messuage or dwelling house with one acre of land in West Bergholt, for her natural life.
- From her decease, the £30 now owed to me by my son Richard Alston, to be divided equally between himself and my sons Lawson and Joseph
- After my wife's death, the said dwelling house, land, household goods and furniture to be divided equally between my sons Lawson and Richard
- My son Joseph not to receive more than £10 because he had already been provided for
- Executors: my sons Richard and Lawson

He signs Richard Allston, but the surname is spelt "Alston" in the body of the will

Written: 10<sup>th</sup> June 1815

Witnesses: Will. Grimwood, Phebe Instance, Rich. Neville

He died in West Bergholt on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1830

Proved: 28<sup>th</sup> August 1830

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