

Boosman
William
Will.

In the Name of God Almighty of William Boosman of
Halifax County being weak in Body, but of sound memory, thank
be to God for the same, And Considering the Inevitable incident to
human nature, Do make this my last Will and Testament in
Manner and form as follows: Viz. I give unto my beloved
Wife Wilmette Boosman all my Estate both Real and personal dur-

ing her life Except my tract of Land that lies on Bradley Creek con-

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ting of one hundred and fifty Acres before more adjoining James W.
Learns John Laxs and Robert Lobs Lines, The said tract of Land
I give unto ^{my} son Booker, I also give to my son Booker a Horse, saddle and
bridle After my Wife death all my Land except the aforesaid tract which

I give unto my son Booker is to be equally divided among my five Daughers, Sally, Meeky, Susan, Polly and Valley. All the rest of my Estate
after the Death of my Wife is to be equally divided among my six living
named children Lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my Sons
John Boosman and Fielding Boosman to be my executors

and wherein lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my sons John Boman, and Fielding Boman to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament; hereby revoking all others I am witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
In Presents of
Thomas Boman
John Boman
James F. Boman

William F. Boman
his mark

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At a Court held for Halifax County the 29th day September 1797
The will herein written last will and Testament of William Boman
Dec^d was exhibited in court & proved by the Oath of the wife
thereunto subscribed to be the last will of the said Boman Dec^d
was ordered to be Recorded

John Boman, Betsy Boman holding Boman the Executors
named in said will personally appeared in Court & refused to take on them
either of them the oaths of the Executrix said wife

have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of June in
the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety four
Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of

Thomas Bowmer

John Bowmer

Frances F. Bowmer

match

William F. Bowmer his
mark

In a Court held for Halifax County the 29th day September 1774
The will of William Bowmer late of this County deceased and Testament of William Bowmer Dec^d was exhibited in Court & pronounced by the Clerk of the Court
Thereunto Subscribed to be the last and will of the said Bowmer Dec^d
was Ordered to be Recorded

John Bowmer, Robt Bowmer & Fielding Bowmer the Executors
named in said will personally appeared in Court & refused to take on them
selves or either of them the burden of the Execution of said Will
Therefore on the Motion of Wm Bowmer his son & next of

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The Said William Decesas to whom the Right of Administration
and Settlement of the said Willmott having made Bath according to Law,
for the sake of Obtaining Administration of the Said Estate with this will
Annoed is granted her in due form the giving security whereupon she to
get her Yeare do a more & Elias Palmer the Securities entered into & ack-
nowledged Bond for that purpose in Penalty of £100 conditioned as the
Law directs.

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John G. Farnington C.R.C.

True Recorded

Date

M. Thompson A.B., J.B.

Dr Elizabeth & Robert Eastley in Occasion

1792

with Isaac Eastley Under Seal

Item	Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Total
To 1 pair of Ribbons at 1/6	A pocket do. do.	1	1/6	1/6
To 1 Muslin Handkt. do. 1/6	A knife g.	1	1/6	1/6
To 2 Blankets 10/6	Paper Pins. 1/6	1	1/6	1/6
To 3 yds. Calico at 5/6		0	0	0