

Eleanor Bradley's Will

In the Name of God. Amen, I Eleanor Bradley, of Halifax County, State of N. Carolina, being at present in sound mind & Memory, thanks be to God for the same, but calling to mind the Mortality of Man & that it is appointed for man once to die, do this Tenth day of April. One thousand Seven hundred & Ninety. make & ordain this to be my last Will & Testament in manner following. —

Item; I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Kiziah Bradley all my Wearing Jew, one pair of flat Irons, one Dish & Basen, two plates & four spoons, one pitcher, one white bed Quilt one Tow, one Iron Rack, one Iron shovel, & Iron poker, one p. Cotton Cards, one sermon Book, one Case & Case box. & one sifter. —

Item: I Give and bequeath to my son Samuel Bradley, ten shillings to be paid by my Executors. —

Item: I Give to my Grand Child Mary Pitt Bradley, One Chest to be delivered by the Executors, upon her coming of Age, or Marriage, but if she dies in her non age, I Give it to my Son Henry Lewis Bradley. —

Item; I Give unto my daughter Temperance Bradley, one Bed Furniture, one pot & pot hooks, one Iron Rack, one Dish & Basen, two plates, four spoons, one butter pot, one Cow by the name of Nan, & her increase except the calf she is with, one Tow, one Chen, one Flesh Hook, & Ladle, one funnel, — Bed Clothes Equally divided between Temperance & Kiziah, one Book one Valer book, one House Laid, one Flax wheel & Tool

one fow, one Iron rack, one Iron shovel, & Iron spade, one
 one Case & Case box, & one sister. —
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 one Chear, one Flesh Hook, & Ladle, one funnel, — Bed & Clothes Equally divided between
 Temperance & Lydia, one Box, one Galen book, one fowse Tub, one glass wheel & Vell.
 Item: I Give to my son Henry Lewis Bradley, one Mare, & her increase except the
 first colt, one Cow, one fow, one Chear, one Case & Shells, one prayer Book & Testament —
 Item. I Give to my Daughter Lydia Bradley, one walnut Bedstead & Table, One
 pot, & hooks, one Rack & Rack Hooks, one Dish & Basin, three plates, four spoons, one fow
 one tea ware, One side saddle, one fow, & one Cow by the name of Peggy, one Kettle, one
 Chear, one Candle Stick, & all my wearing Clothes — it is my will that after my
 debts is paid, all the rest of my Estate, to be Equally divided between Mary
 & Lydia.

109 I Impudence, Henry Lewis & Lydia Bradleys, & Lastly I nominate & appoint
James Baker & Eliza Bradley Executors, of this my last will & Testament revoking
& disannulling all former will or Wills heretofore by me made, I declare this to be
my last will & testament, In presence of } Eleanor Bradley
Letticia Long, & Ruth Shelton - }

Halifax County N.C.

November sessions 1790. Then this Will was exhibited in
Open Court & duly proved by the Oath of Letticia Long, a Witness thereto, & on Motion
Ordained to be recorded, whereupon Hannah Bradley the Executrix, named in the Will
Came in & was duly qualified, Test, Wm. Crother C. C.

In the Name of God. MEN, I Thomas Rogers of Halifax County
State of N. Carolina, being very sick & weak, but of perfect sense & Memory, both make
Institute & Ordain this to be my last will & Testament in manner & form following
First, I will & positive order that all my just debts be paid. Then I lend to my wife
Charity Rogers, the use of my Negro Girl Sal, for Twelve Years to raise her Children or
also lend to my wife, One bed & Furniture, & One Mare Colt Lane, two Cows & Yearlings also
half dozen plates, one pewter dish & Churn, half dozen spoons, one Woolly Wheel, & Cards,
& natural Lin or wire shoe, &