

# Anne Taylors Will

In the Name of God amen I Anne Taylor of Northampton County & State of North Carolina are at present very Sick and weak of Body, But of Sound Mind & memory thanks be to God my God strengthens and calling to mind that it is appointed for all people once to die I do make & publish this my last will & Testament in manner & form following to wit.

First of all Give my Soul to Almighty God that gave it and my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in a Christlike manner at the direction of my Executors hereafter mentioned And as to my worldly goods that it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow on me I do give & devise in manner & form following to wit.

I Give & bequeath unto my grand son William & to his heirs male forever Stephen or Peter or by the name of Dick a black carpenter his Executor to him & his heirs forever.

I Give & bequeath unto my grand son John & to his heirs male forever by the name of James to him & his heirs forever.

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Item My will & desire is that the residue of my Estate of all kinds or commodities what ever not herebefore given should and the money arising from such sale after paying my just debts I should dispose to be disposed of in the following manner to wit.

Item I Give to my grand son John & to his heirs male forever by the name of John to him & his heirs forever.

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Stm.

I have bequeathed unto my son James & his heirs all the remaining part of my Land in the State of Tennessee it being the same I bought of Col<sup>d</sup> Manges to be equally divided between them & have a like to them their heirs & assigns forever  
 It is my will & desire that all the remainder of my property by every kind death hereafter shall be equally divided between my living wife & three Children Viz) Richard Moore James Alfred & Caroline Moore That my wife Richard have the first share after a division to them & their heirs & assigns forever  
 I do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made & hereby this my last will and Testament, and nominate & appoint my loving wife Rebecca Moore Executor Long Another my dear wife Elizabeth Manges Thomas Moore to be joint & John Burges Executors to this my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal this 26 day of July 1800.

Spred before me  
 Isaac Backer  
 Joseph Hill

James Moore & his heirs  
 Northampton County 26 September Court 1800  
 This Will was proved by the Affirmation of Isaac Backer at the same time & place then qualified Executor of said Estate & is  
 Collyer & Recorder

William Sears

In the name of God amen I William Sears of the County of Northampton & State of North Carolina being very Sick of body but of sound mind & memory & being to me the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Die do make & Ordain this my last will & Testament VIZ) - first I do hereby recommend my soul into the hands of God Creator with a throne & certain hope of future resurrection & my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner nothing assisting but at the General resurrection which recover the same by the mighty power of God, and as touching such worldly Estate as has pleased God to bestow on me I give over & assign of the following manner

Stm

First to my beloved wife Phillander the Land & plantation whereon I now live with all my Stock and thereunto appurtenant with all my Household & Kitchen furniture and three negroes namely Jenny, Nancy, & Ben, during her life or till she shall prefer her will and I desire that my property be equally divided among my three Children, namely James, Oliver & Delany & the half, or whatever which my wife is now due with to them their heirs & assigns forever

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I give & bequeath unto my three Children namely Oliver Delany & Phillander or William which my wife is now due with all the Land whereon I now live to be equally divided among them to them & their heirs & assigns forever  
 I nominate and Ordain Thomas Lancy and Richard Moore Executors of this my last will & Testament. I do hereby utterly disavow revoke & annul all and every other former Testament with legacy bequeathed Executor by me in any way manner or condition I made bequeath & assign from this to be my last will & I make this in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal this 26 day of July 1800  
 Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of us  
 Henry Lee  
 John Harding

William Sears & his heirs

Northampton County 26 September Court 1800

This Will was proved by the oath of John Harding before me & do certify the same  
 The Executors are sworn to qualify administration is granted George Rice with the will annexed

Isaac Backer

Rich Weavers Will

In the name of God Amen I Rich Weaver of the County of Northampton & State of North Carolina being Sick of body but of perfect recollection & knowing how I do make & Ordain this my last will & Testament in manner & form following to wit

First

It is my will & desire that my Executors hereafter named sell at their own discretion such of my Estate as they shall think most convenient to be sold, sufficient to raise the sum of five hundred Dollars and the same I desire put on Interest which said sum of five hundred Dollars with the Interest thereon I give & bequeath unto my Son James & his heirs & assigns forever

2d

I give unto my loving wife Sarah I Weaver the whole remaining part of my Estate after paying the above sum of five hundred Dollars, both real & personal during her life or until my son Richard Henry Weaver arrives to full age, and upon the first of these events taking place, I desire my Estate be divided in the following manner to wit

3d

I give unto my living wife half of my Land & plantation on the East part enclosing the building whereon I now live, for during her term of natural life

4th

At the Death or Marriage of my said wife or at the decease of my full age of my Son

Richard