

In the name of ^{God} Amen

I Maria Clara of the State of North Carolina in
Salem Stokes County being weak in body but of sound
and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God, do this day
the fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and sixteen make and publish this my last will
and Testament in manner following that is to say —

1. I give & bequeath unto Carolina Charkara in cash Ten dollars one under feather bed, two pillow, two pillow case two sheets, one gray cloak, one habit & pair of thin stockings some made shawl, one white habit & on bedstead -
2. I give and bequeath unto Betty Borer daughter of Isaac Borer one under feather bed one bed tick laying in my chest belonging to Isaac bed two pillows, two pillow cases, two sheets one pair of cotton stockings one shift, one with umbrella and chaff bag and pillow
3. I give and bequeath unto Elizabeth Butner daughter of John Butner ten dollars in cash and three yards of calico
4. I give and bequeath unto Mary Butner daughter of Thomas Butner ten dollars in cash payable to John Butner who is to apply said sum towards giving said Mary schooling one pillow two pillow cases one lining petticoat one dark blue cotton petticoat one old habit dyed with annette one dark cotton petticoat one coarse black apron one white fine handkerchief one small chest two wheels & spindle
5. I give and bequeath unto Mary Elora daughter of Christopher Elora ten dollars cash on fine light blue habit (red & blue) one new handkerchief one new silk bonnet my best chest one bonnet box two large blue edged plates
6. I give and bequeath unto Mary Butner daughter of Christopher Butner one cambric habit one white under petticoat one white handkerchief one under handkerchief one bed quilt lined with blue one old counterpane one brown petticoat one sheet

apron (cotton) one black silk Handkerchief (without fringes)²⁹
and ten dollars in cash

7. I give and bequeath unto Lidia Erod daughter Christopher Erod one blue and white silk handkerchief
8. I give and bequeath unto Lily Eberhard one red checked habit two old dark handkerchiefs one pair of stockings
9. I give and bequeath unto Lease Bonar one large blue quilt one feather bed to cover with two cases for said bed & unto said Bonar wife Dorothy one silver snuff box one pair of cotton stockings two shifts one Dutch oven one pair of mixed gloves
10. I give &c. unto William Bonar son of Lease Bonar from Dallas ^{one}
11. I give &c. unto Joshua Bonar one desk & book case one large Bible six towels two chairs one washing tub
12. I give &c. unto my beam companions living in my room one glass tumbler each
13. I give &c. unto Dorothy Manner one white silk shawl
14. I give &c. unto Margaret Kruger one green checked apron
15. I give &c. unto Sophana Kolder one red striped apron two white short gowns & two shifts
16. I give &c. unto my sister Lidia McKnight one black habit one black cloak one white counterpane two shifts one new shawl (double wool) one new pair of stockings one fine muslin apron
17. I give &c. unto my sister Margareth Bonar one large yellow shawl one flannel petticoat one habit checked with red one old silk bonnet one white shawl one white apron two shifts two shirts two pillow cases one large rose blanket & all my English fashioned caps
18. I give and bequeath unto my sister Frank Butner one calico habit dark with red spots one blue and white checked counterpane one white bed case two one flannel petticoat one coffee pot one white apron one white shawl & all my German fashioned caps
19. I give &c. unto Frank Butner one old black shawl one old black shawl

20. I give & unto Denny Elrod son of John Elrod one silver tea spoon
21. I give " unto James McBright son of Roger McBright 1 silver tea spoon
22. I give & unto Mary Elrod daughter of John Elrod one silver tea spoon
and ten dollars in cash 23. I give & unto Sarah Hansen wife
of Benjamin Hansen one silver tea spoon 24. I give & unto
Alisa Johnson one silver tea spoon 25. I give & unto David
Elrod son of Christopher Elrod one silver tea spoon
26. " Mary Schmitt seven yards of calico - 27. " Sarah Elrod
wife of Christopher Elrod one white linen - 28. Sarah Elrod
wife of John Elrod 1 one calico habit two shifts on handkerchiefs
29. Elizabeth Elrod wife of Robert Elrod one habit two shifts one handkerchief
30. Elizabeth Evans wife of Job Evans ten dollars in cash
and if any of my clothing left which has not already
been disposed of one habit and two shifts to go to her part
31. All the linen which is not made shall be divided between
my three brothers Robert John & Christopher Elrod
32. My cups & saucers shall be divided between Thomas and
Sarah Elrod Christopher Elrod children
33. Christina Boner one shawl yellow ground two shifts two
towels three old silk handkerchiefs one tea pot two
coffee pots one coffee mill - 34. Elizabeth Gussaman
one pair of silk gloves - 35. Betty Butner daughter
of Christopher Butner one pair of leather gloves -
36. one Pocket handkerchief to each of my brothers and sisters
37. I will that if in case any of my property (as to the things)
should remain after the articles herein given are divided my
Executor shall divide it agreeable to the list of names I have
given to my executor
38. I will have after my just debts are paid that all the
money heretofore disposed of by me in this will shall
be equally divided between my Brothers Christopher John
and Robert Elrod & my sister Sarah Butner, Margaret Boner
& Lucia McBright share & share alike

25. And I hereby make and ordain my worthy friends Joshua
Boner & John Butner Executors of this my last will & Testament
In Witness whereof I Maria Elrod have hereunto to this my last
will and testament set my hand and seal the day and year
above written

Signed, sealed, published and
declared by the said Maria Elrod
the testator as her last will and
Testament in the presence of us
who were present at the time of
signing and hearing thereof

Mary Elrod *(Signature)*

John L. Blum
I Jacob Blum Just

P.S. the words as to clothing
being intended before signing

Stokes County December term A.D. 1819

The within last will and Testament Mary Elrod (of which the
 foregoing is a true copy) was duly proven in open Court
 by the oath of Jacob Blum and ordered to be recorded

Matthew R. Moore *(Signature)*

By C. L. Baumer D.C. *(Signature)*