

*The Last Will and Testament of  
Alice Blake  
of Stowford, South Newton  
Will dated 1566*



Probate Court of: N/A  
Source: Swindon & Wiltshire Record Office  
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<b>Testator:</b>	Blake	Alice	Stowford, South Newton
<b>Executors:</b>			
Blake	Mariam	Daughter	
Sowthery	Edmund		

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
			All Grandchildren
Blake	Mariam	Daughter	
Blake	John	Grandson	Son of William
Blake	William	Son	
Swothery	Edmund		
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Blake	John		
Boldy	William		
Hurde	William		
<b>Other Names</b>			
Deane	John		

In the name of god amen in the yere of o[u]r Lorde god MCCCC lxvi the xxth daie of October I Alice Blake of Stofford in the p[ar]yshe of Southe Newton sicke in body but of p[er]fit memory make my last will and testame[n]t in mann[er] and forme folowinge First I bequeathe my soule to almightie god and my body to be buried in the churche yard of south newton aforesaid.

Also I geve to Will[ia]m my sonne a quarter of wheate and a quarter of barley my carte and my plowghe and the voon [?] geve to them belonginge, and to ev[er]yone of my childrens children a busshell of barley. Also I geve to Will[ia]m my sonne all my haye and my fatches [?], my wood a platter and a candlestick also I geve to John Blake the sonne of Will[ia]m Blake my cosbard [?] the Resydewe of my goods and chattalls not bequeathed.

I geve and bequeath to mariam my dawghter and to Edmund Sowthery whom I make my Executors of this my last will and if the said Edmunde Southery dye a w[ith]in the age of xvj yeres they his parte to remaine to his brethren witness Will[ia]m Hurde Will[ia]m Boldy John Blake with mee Also I will that John Deane shall have the ge[ar]dnince of the said Edmunde Sothery and his goods tyll he come to the goods age of xvj yeres thes beinge