

*The Last Will and Testament of  
Maud Blake  
of Stoverd, South Newton  
Will proved 28th October 1616*



Probate Court of Salisbury  
Original reference

<b>Testator:</b>	Blake	Maud	Of Stofold, South Newton
<b>Executors:</b>	Blake	Robert	Son
			Sole Executor

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
			3 children of Marian Lane
			Cathedral Church at Sarum
			Parish of South Newton
			Parish Church of Wishford
		Daughter in law	Wife of John Blake
		Daughter in law	Wife of Henry Blake
	John	The tacker	
Abbott	Thomas		
Adlam	Robert		
Adlame	Dorathe		
Adlame	Joane		
Adlame	Mary		
Blake	Anne		
Blake	Elizabeth		
Blake	Francis		Daughter of Henry Blake
Blake	Giles		Daughter of Henry Blake
Blake	Henry		Son of Henry Blake
Blake	Henry	Son	
Blake	John		Son of Robert Blake
Blake	John	Son	
Blake	Mary		
Blake	Mawdelin		
Blake	Robert	Son	
Blake	Soveran		
Blake	Thomas		
Blake	William		Son of Henry Blake
Lane	Marian		
Lane	Thomas		
<b>Witnesses</b>			

Horne	John		Overseer to the will
Plenty/Plentie	Henry		Overseer to the will
Symes	George		Overseer to the will
<b>Other Names</b>			

In the name of God Amen, I Maud Blake of Stoverd in the p[ar]ishe of Southnewton sicke in body but whole and p[er]fect of mind thanks bee unto God doe make this my last will and testament in manner and forme following: First I give and committ my soule into the hands of Allmightie God my Creator and doe trust to bee saved throughe his free mercy by the onely means and merrits of Jesus Christ my savio[u]r and bequeathe my bodey to bee buried w[i]thin the Churchyard of Southnewton in sure and certeine hope of a ioyfull resurrecton Item I give unto Joane Adlame five pounds thirtene shillings and fower pence of good and lawfull money and one flockbedd and a blew cov[er]led and one brasse panne the best faveinge one and a bell skillett Item I give unto Dorathe Adlame five pounds thirtene shillings and 4 d in good and lawfull money Item I give unto Mary Adlame five pounds thirteene shillings and fower pence of good and lawfull money to bee paide unto them w[i]thin halfe a yeare after my decease Item I give unto John Blake the eldest sonne of Robert Blake one redd cowe Item I give unto Robert Adlam one sparked cowe Item I give William Blake the sonne of Henry Blake the little white faced cowe Item I give unto Anne Blake and Mary Blake twenty shillings a peece and each of them one platter and one pottinger a peece of Item I give unto Giles Blake and Francis Blake the daughters of Henry Blake twenty shillings a peece and each of them one platter and one pottinger Item I give unto John Blakes two maydes First I give unto Elizabeth Blake my feather bedd and one bolster and my coffer standing at my beds feete Item I give unto Anne Blake a white cov[er]led the best and a blanket and two sheetes a pillow and a lye for the pillow Item I give unto Robert Blakes two sonnes I give Thomas Blake one sheepe and unto John Blake one sheepe Item I give unto Henry Blake the sonne of Henry Blake one sheepe and one yeareling bullocke Item I give unto my sonne Henry Blake one aker of wheate and one aker of barley growing in the field a cov[er]ledd a paire of blankets and a paire of sheetes and a boulster and a brasse pott and half my wooll in the backside and half my wheate and halfe my maulte that is in the howese at my decease and one little Cowle and a beerell and an yearelinge bullchett one cov[er]ledd that is upon the childrens bed and my greate hogge pigge and a flitch of bacon and a muilinge pigge a shede board bloke and each of your maides one platter and a pottinger Item I give unto John Blake my sonne all the thirds of my corne growinge in the fielde and two meaweling piggs and a flitch of bacon and a board bloke Item I give unto Soveran Blake a blacke trendell and a bowell and a barrell and a brasse kittle and a brasse skillett and a platter and a pottinger Item I give unto my sonne John Blakes wife my best gowen lyned w[i]th blew and a smocke and a double kerrcher and a hollen apron Item I give unto Henry Blakes wife my next best gowne and a smocke and an apron and a kerrcher Item I give unto Marrian Lane my best redd petticoate and a smocke and a kerrcher and an apron and a s[k]illett and a meuling pigge Item I give unto Lanes three children each of them one sheepe Item I give unto the Cathedrall Church of Sarum xii d Item I give unto my p[ar]ish of Southnewton three shillings and fower pence Item I give unto greate Wisheford church xii d Item I give unto Henry Blakes two maides Francs and Gyles my three wearinge coates twoo of them to Gyles and one to Francis Item I give unto John the tacker my best candlestick Item I give to Henry Blakes two sonnes William Blake and Henry Blake each of them one candlesticke And I appoint George Symes John Horne and Henry Plenty Ov[er]seers of this my last will and testament and I doe give them three shillings and fower pence apeece Item I give unto Mawdelin Blake my white fustian wascoate and to Thomas Abbott my blew wascoate Item I give unto Thomas Lane my best cloake All the rest of my Goods moveable and unmoveable I give and bequeath unto Robert Blake my sonne whom I make my sole and onely Executor of this my last will and testament written the first of July 1616 Maude Blake her marke Witnes *George Symes John Horne John Plentie*