

The Will of
Alexander Lock late of Wykehall doord
proudd 3 Day of February
1743
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sub. sub sigillo

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In the Name of God Amen - - the 28th day of May 1743:
According to y^e Computation of the Church of England: I Alexander Lock
of Ryhall in y^e County of Rutland, Carpenter, being in perfect
Memory, & Remembrance: (praised be God) doe make and ordain

this my Last Will & Testament; in manner & form following: Viz:

First I bequeath my Soul into y^e hands of God who gave it: & my Body
to be Decently buried in Ryhall Church-Yard

Item: I give all my board; shellboards: & all y^e sawn wood fitt for Carpenters
use, to be equally divided between, Thomas Lock my Eldest Son, and
Alexander Lock my Second Son;

Item: I also give all my working-tools to William Lock my Youngest Son
when he shall come to y^e age of one & twenty years; & which-soever
of his Brothers Will be so kind to learn him his Trade shall have
y^e free use of all y^e said tools untill he shall come to that age; working
for his Mother all that term of time; & keeping y^e tools in good repair:
by him that have y^e use of them

Item: all the Rest of my Goods and Chattell I give to Ann my beloved Wife
whom I appoint Sole Excecatrix of this my Last Will & Testament, paying
all my Debts; Revoking all other Wills & Testaments whatsoever;
in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seall y^e day
& Year above Written ~

Witnesses

Alexander Lock

Thomas Bedford

Lawrence Swilley

On the Third Day of February 1744³
Ann Lock of the Parish of Ryhall in the
County of Rutland Widow & Relict of
Alexander Lock Carpenter lately deceased
(being y^e Sole Executrix appointed in y^e
within-written Will) made Oath con-
cerning y^e true & faithful Discharge of
her Executrixship before me

N. Popple Surrogate

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