

Blow  
Henry  
will

In the Name of God amen. I Henry Blow of the City of Sampson being  
sick and low in body but of sound mind & memory thanks be to God for the same,  
do make & ordain this my last will & testament in manner & form following (Swit)  
first I recommend my soul unto the hands of the Almighty God who gave it me,  
my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named, & as  
touching such worldly goods as it hath pleased God to bless me with I dispose hereof  
in the following manner Vizt -

Imp. I lend unto my loving wife Sally Blow during her widowhood (or untill one of my two  
Children namely Susan Blow & William Blow shall come of lawful age or marry)  
the use of all my slaves with there increase from the date hereof also two Feather beds &  
furniture one horse saddle & bridle two Cows & calves twenty five Barrels of Corn & one thousand  
lbs of pork out of the crop which is now growing & that my loving wife for the use of  
the above estate which I have lent her shall board school & maintain my two Children  
as above named during her widowhood, and further it is my will Desire that when my  
loving wife shall marry or one of my Children shall come of lawful age or marry that  
all that part of my estate which I have lent my loving wife be equally divided between  
my wife & Children

Imp. I further lend unto my loving wife that part of my estate which shall then fall to her  
after a division shall take place between her & my Children during her natural life & at  
her death to be equally divided between my Children to them & theirs for ever -

Imp. It is my will and desire that all the residue of my estate be sold by my Executors & the  
money arising therefrom to satisfy my just debts & the surplus if any to be apply'd for  
the support of living & Children by my Exrs. -

Item I do constitute and appoint my two brothers Micajah Blow Thomas & Blow  
& my brother-in-law Owen Myrick my whole & sole Executors of this my last will and testament  
revoking all others wills by me heretofore made declaring this to be my  
last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereto set my hand & affix my  
seal this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May Anno<sup>r</sup> 1796 -

signed sealed & delivered  
in the presence of us

William Chambliss

Mich Blow

✓ Janny Myrick &

Henry Blow  
At a court held for the county of Santa  
Cruz on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 1796  
this will was presented in court by Micajah  
Blow & Thomas & Blow two of the subscribers thereto named  
before by the oath of William Chambliss & Janny Myrick of the  
jurisprudence that to and caused to be recorded. I on the motion  
of the executors who made oath according to law a certified  
true copy is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due  
form giving security whereupon be J. J. J. J. J.