

Mirror Will — Example for Spouse A

I, [Full Name], resident of [City], Michigan, declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

1. Revocation. I revoke all prior wills and codicils.

2. Family. I am married to [Spouse B Full Name]. I have the following children: [names] (or “none”).

3. Executor. I appoint [Executor Name] as Executor. If unavailable, appoint [Alternate Executor Name].

4. Debts and Expenses. I direct payment of my just debts, funeral expenses, and estate administration costs.

5. Specific Gifts. I give the following specific bequests: [item — beneficiary].

6. Residue. I give, devise, and bequeath all the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, whether real or personal, to my spouse, [Spouse B Full Name]. If my spouse does not survive me, I give the residue to [contingent beneficiaries — e.g., our children, equally, per stirpes].

7. Guardianship (if applicable). If I am the parent of minor children at my death, I nominate [Guardian Name] as guardian of the person and estate of such minor children.

8. Powers. I grant my Executor all powers allowed by law to administer my estate, including selling property without court approval if necessary.

9. No-Contest Clause (optional). If any beneficiary contests this Will, that beneficiary shall forfeit any share given by this Will (except as required by law).

Signed on this [day] of [month], [year].

[Spouse A Full Name], Testator

Witnesses

We, the undersigned, hereby state that [Spouse A Full Name], known to us, signed this Will in our presence and declared it to be his/her Last Will and Testament. At the time of signing, he/she appeared to be of sound mind and under no undue influence. We sign as witnesses in the presence of the Testator and each other.

_____ **Date:** _____
[Witness 1 Name], Address: _____

_____ **Date:** _____
[Witness 2 Name], Address: _____

(Notary acknowledgment if desired)

Mirror Will — Example for Spouse B

I, [Full Name], resident of [City], Michigan, declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

1. Revocation. I revoke all prior wills and codicils.

2. Family. I am married to [Spouse A Full Name]. I have the following children: [names] (or “none”).

3. Executor. I appoint [Executor Name] as Executor. If unavailable, appoint [Alternate Executor Name].

4. Debts and Expenses. I direct payment of my just debts, funeral expenses, and estate administration costs.

5. Specific Gifts. I give the following specific bequests: [item — beneficiary].

6. Residue. I give, devise, and bequeath all the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, whether real or personal, to my spouse, [Spouse A Full Name]. If my spouse does not survive me, I give the residue to [contingent beneficiaries — e.g., our children, equally, per stirpes].

7. Guardianship (if applicable). If I am the parent of minor children at my death, I nominate [Guardian Name] as guardian of the person and estate of such minor children.

8. Powers. I grant my Executor all powers allowed by law to administer my estate, including selling property without court approval if necessary.

9. No-Contest Clause (optional). If any beneficiary contests this Will, that beneficiary shall forfeit any share given by this Will (except as required by law).

Signed on this [day] of [month], [year].

[Spouse B Full Name], Testator

Witnesses

We, the undersigned, hereby state that [Spouse B Full Name], known to us, signed this Will in our presence and declared it to be his/her Last Will and Testament. At the time of signing, he/she appeared to be of sound mind and under no undue influence. We sign as witnesses in the presence of the Testator and each other.

_____ **Date:** _____
[Witness 1 Name], Address: _____

_____ **Date:** _____
[Witness 2 Name], Address: _____

(Notary acknowledgment if desired)
