The Fishermen's Mission offers the following layout of a Will for guidance only. It should not be used for the production of a Will without the advice of a legal advisor.

The Will

I (name)…………………………………   of (address)…………………………………

Hereby revoke all former Wills and Codicils made by me and declare this to be my last Will

1. I GIVE DEVISE and BEQUEATH all my estate both real and personal whatsoever and wheresoever after payment thereout of my debts funeral and testamentary expenses to my wife/husband absolutely and I APPOINT her/him sole executrix of this Will.

2. PROVIDED ALWAYS that should my said wife/husband die in my lifetime then the following provisions shall effect in substitution for those contained in clause 1 hereof

3. I APPOINT (name & address)………………………& (name & address)……………..to be executors and trustees of this my Will. I direct my executors to give effect to any writing by me however informal they may be provided they are signed by me dated after the date hereof and clearly expressive of my intention as to which my executors shall be in sole judges. Any bequests so made shall be free of interest delivery expenses and government taxes payable on my death unless otherwise stipulated.

4. I BEQUEATH the following pecuniary gifts in any form free of expenses and government taxes payable on my death but without interest namely

    £….. to (name & address)……. my…………..*list items* to ….(name & address)…

5. I BEQUEATH the residue of my estate divided by (parts) or (percentage) list all other beneficiaries (with addresses if there is doubt) list all these separately with the number of parts or % referring to each individual beneficiary.
    At the end of the list of beneficiaries add the following…" declaring that in the event of any of the pecuniary or residuary beneficiaries (excluding or including charities) failing to survive me to make over the said legacy equally between or among the surviving beneficiaries".

    When making bequests to charities the following wording may be useful.

    I GIVE, DEVISE & BEQUEATH £?   or % of the residue of my estate to (name the charities) ………..for its general purposes and I declare that the receipt of the CE or other proper officer of the charity shall be sufficient discharge therefore.

6. **Special wishes** eg   FUNERAL AND BURIAL requests………………………..

IN WITNESS hereof I have hereunto set my hand
this……………..day……………month…………..year…………

SIGNED by the said   **(your name)**………………………address…………….

IN WITNESS THEREOF
Two people should witness your signature and must not be beneficiaries of the Will

First Witness
1. Name and address……………………………………………
            Signed…………………
Second Witness
2. Name and address…………………………………………………..
            Signed…………………