Nathaniel Tatum II and Marie Robinson Timeline

Bef 1635  Charles City Co., VA. Son Nathaniel II was born to Nathaniel Tatum I & Ann.

27 Oct 1656  Charles City Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum II was shown in a record, so aged 21 by this time.¹

Prob. 1676  Charles City Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum I died.

Abt 1677  Probably Charles City Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum II married Marie Robinson (Robertson).²

Abt 1678  Charles City Co., VA. Son Peter was born to Nathaniel Tatum II and Marie Robinson.

Abt 1680  Charles City Co., VA. Son Edward was born to Nathaniel Tatum II and Marie Robinson.

Abt 1682  Charles City Co., VA. Son Henry was born to Nathaniel Tatum II and Marie Robinson.

Abt 1683  Charles City Co., VA. Son Christopher was born to Nathaniel Tatum II and Marie Robinson.

1703  The part of Charles City County lying on the south side of the James River was reorganized as Prince George County.


24 Aug 1714  Prince George Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum II made his will.⁴

12 Jul 1715  Prince George Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum II was appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Tatem [Sr., his brother].⁵


² John Frederick Doman, compiler and editor, "Adventurers of Purse and Person, Virginia, 1607-1624/5," 4th ed., Vol. 3, Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., Baltimore, Maryland, ([1956] 2007), p. 261. NOTE: He listed wife’s name as unknown. However, he stated in Note 14, p. 261: “She was probably Marie Robinson [Robertson], daughter of Christopher Robinson of Henrico County and his wife Marie (who married [2] Frances Burnell), who had sons Edward, Christopher and Henry, also the names of three Tatum sons, Nathaniel Tatum, Junr., was a witness, 4 June 1681, to a receipt Christopher Robinson, Jr., gave his mother for his share of his father's estate (Henrico Co. Wills & Deeds, 1677-1692, p. 179).” See John W. Pritchett, "Christopher and Marie Robinson Reunited," The Virginia Genealogist, XLIII, pp. 289-290."
15 Jul 1717  **Prince George Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum, Junr.,** 321 acres on s. side of Joseph’s Swamp, about 4 poles below Doby’s br., 35 Shillings.\(^7\)

15 Jul 1717  **Prince George Co., VA. Nathaniel Tatum, Junr.,** 221 acres adj. his own land and **Samuel Tatum, Junr.**, 25 Shillings.\(^8\) [Nathaniel III]

10 Nov 1719  **Prince George Co., VA.** The will of **Nathaniel Tatum II** was proved.\(^9\)

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Will of Nathaniel TATUM, dec’d, presented by **Edward Tatum**, one of the executors and proved by **Stith Bolling, Henry Tatum** and **Thomas Hood**.

Will of Nathaniel Tatum, 1714 (Deeds etc. 1713-28, page 370, Prince George Co., VA).  
In the name of God, Amen. The twenty fourth day of August in the year of our Lord God 1714.  
I Nathaniel Tatum of Prince George County being weake of Body, but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God, therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye, Do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament, that is to say, principally and first of all, I give & recomend my soul into the hands of God that gave it, and for my Body I commend to the Earth, to be buryed in a Christian like and Decent manner, at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God, and as to _____ing such worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give Devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form. Imprimis.

I give to my son **Henry Tatum** and his heirs forever the plantation and Land whereon I now live, and two hundred and nine acres of Land, Lying between the blackwater and the second swamps, joining on **Mr. Batts** Line.

2dly. I give to my son **Christopher Tatum**, and his heirs for ever, one halfe of a tract of Land that I bought of **Thomas Busby**, Lying in Surry County, with the plantation whereon my said son lives, and the other halfe to my son **Peter Tatum** and his heirs forever. **Christopher** to have the upper part of the said tract, beining on Joseph Swamp, Down the same to a branch, thence up the said branch to an old field, which branch I take to be near the middle, thence to the Land that I have taken up.

3dly. I give to my three sons **Edward, Christopher and Peter Tatum**, and their heirs forever, each of them one Hundred acres of Land, out of a tract that I have taken up on Joseph Swamp, to be divided as followeth, **Edward** to have the outer part joining to **John Doley**, and **Peter** to have the middle, and **Christopher** to have his hundred joining to his Land before bequeathed.

4thly. I give to my son **Edward Tatum**, and his heirs for ever, all the rest of my Land not before bequeathed.  
Lastly. I Llikewise constitute make and ordain **Edward Tatum and Christopher Tatum** Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, and I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and Disanul, all and every other former executors.

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\(^6\) Prince George County, Virginia, Patent Book 10, p. 309.  
\(^7\) Prince George County, Virginia, Patent Book 10, p. 322.  
\(^8\) Prince George County, Virginia, Patent Book 10, p. 341.  
testament, Wills, Legacys, Bequests & Exec'rs. by me in any waye before this time named, willed bequeathed sattisfying and confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament. 
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written. 
Nath'l. his (N) mark Tatum Seald wth red wax

Signed Seald published pronounced and Declared by the said Nath.Tatum as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers, viz:
Thomas his (H) mark Howell
Thomas Hood
Henry Tatum
Stith Bolling

At a Court held at merchants hope for the County of Prince George on the second tuesday in November being the fourth day of the said month, Anno Dom. 1719. The above written Last Will and Testament of Nathaniel Tatum dec'd. was presented into Court by Edward Tatum one of the Executors named therein, who made oath thereto, and it being proved by the oath of Stith Bolling, Henry Tatum and Thomas Hood, witnesses thereto, is by order of the Court truly Recorded. 
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