

HISTORY OF WOMEN IN THE LAW

Please read:

Background on Women's Legal Disabilities and Coverture. Read

1. Anon, The Hardships of the English Laws in Relation to Wives (1735) available online at:

https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/The_Hardships_of_the_English_Laws_in_Relation_to_Wives

2. Also read selections from William Blackstone, The Commentaries on the Law of England, (ed Tucker, 1803), Bk I, Chapters 15 and 16, also available online. http://oll-resources.s3.amazonaws.com/titles/2140/Blackstone_1387-01_EBk_v6.0.pdf