

In the name of God Amen I Francis Makemie of the County of Accomack in her Majty Dominion of Virginia being weak and infirm of body but in perfect soundness of mind and memory and sensible of the universall frailty of human life and an approaching desolution by death and desirous to settle that estate which God in his bounty hath been pleased to bestow upon me and for preventing future differences which may arise concerning the same comitting my body to ye dust decently to be Interred and my Imortal soule to an almighty and most mercyfull God in hopes of a Glorious and blessed resurrection unto Eternall salvation through the Efficacy of the powerfull merriits of the Lord Jesus Christ oure blessed and Glorious Redeemer I doe hereby revoake make null and voide all wills and Testaments heretofore by me made and doe make constitute and ordaine this to be my Last will and Testament in manner and forme following.

I will give and bequeath unto my Kinsman William Bogg of Accomack County one negro man Called Jupiter which he hath had and still has in his possession and to his heires for ever

I give will and bequeath un to my loveing wife Naomi Makemie and my two Daughters Elizabeth & Anne Makemie one hundred and twenty Books to be Choesen by my Executrix afterwards nomenated and appointed out of ye English books of my Library my meaning and will is that my wife and each of my Daughters Enjoy forty English Books and the Longest liver of livers to Enjoy said Books in revirtion in Case of the decease of my Wife or any of my said Daughters and there heires for Ever and the rest of my Library of Books of all sorts I give and bequeath unto Mr Jedidah Andrew Minister at Philadelphia **excepting** my Law books and after his decease or Removall from Philadelphia I Give and Bequeath said Library to such Minister or Ministers as shall succeed him in that place and office and to such only as shall be of the Presbyterian or Independent persuasion and none else my will is that as soon as said Books are remitted to Philadelphia the number and names of said Library may be put upon Record to be preserved there as a Constant Library for ye use of foresd Minister or Ministers successively for ever

I give will and bequeath unto Mr Andrew Hamilton and his heirs for ever
all my Law books to be found among my Librery of books and thoes he
already hath in possession

I give will and bequeath unto my Eldest Daughter Elizabeth Makemie and
her heires for ever eight hundred and fifty acres of marshes and Hamoke
taken up and pattened by my selfe lying being and situate upon the
south part and contigeous to Sykes Island also I give and bequeath unto
my said Daughter Elizabeth two hundred acres of swamp Comon and called
and known by ye name of Dumfreece lying and being situate near Pokamok
Bridges bought by me of William Laws Senr. and Junior also I give unto
my said Daughter Elizabeth all those marishes given and to be given or
confirmed ye Last will and testament of Mr Samuel Sandford in Exchange
for what marishes both on the South or west of Crooked Creek at Pokamok
but in case of failure of said confirmaton from Mr Samuel Sandford I give
unto my said Daughter Elizabeth and her heirs for ever that pece of Mar-
ish desired in Exchange lying on Crooked Creek.

I give and bequeath unto my youngest Daughter Anne Makemie one hundred
and seventy foure acres of Land on the Island on the south part of Watts
Island one/moyety thereof taken up by me ye other May bought of
Capt. Henry Jenkins and to her heires for ever also I give unto my said
Daughter Anne Makemie and heires for ever three hundred and fifty acres
lying on ye south side of Matchetank Creek purchased of ^{Mr} Robert Hutchins
also I give unto my said Daughter Anne Makemie and her heires for ever
one hundred and eighty acres taken up and pattened by me lying the west
part of foure hundred acres formerly belonging to James Foake excepting
that may be included in the bounds of one hundred and forty five acres
laid by me and my wife Naomi Makemie to John Hatton and his heires for
ever as also I give and bequeath unto my said Daughter Anne one Lott of
Land where ye Smithe Shopp was built on ye Land of Onancock Comonly Cal-
led Searburgh Towne and to her heires for ever and ye Lotts joying to-
gether or contiguous in said towne I give and bequeath unto my eldest
Daughter Elizabeth and her heires for ever
I order and empower my Execut'x hereafterwards nominated and appointed to
dispose of and Alien my house and lott at ye (?) tavern in Prin-

Ann County on ye Easterne Branch of Elizabeth River as also my
lott and house or frame of house in the new town on Wormlyes Creek
(?) Urbania as also my lott Joyng to ye new meeting house Lott in
pocanoke (?) called Rehoboth empowering my executrix afterwards
named to make over and alienate that Lott on which the meeting house
is built in as ample manner to all intents and purposes as shall be
required for ye ends and uses of a Presbyterian Congregation as if I
were personally present and to their successors for ever and none else
but to such of ye same persuasion in matters of Religion
I give will and bequeath unto my Beloved wife and executrix afterwards
named my Water and Grist mill on assawoman Branch during her nat-
urall life and at or in case of her decease I give said mill equally
betwixt my two Daughters Elizabeth and Anne Makemie to be kept and left
in good repaire by my sd Executrix
I give and bequeath unto Mr. Jedidiah Andrews Minister at Philidelphia
and his heires for ever my black Coverlet Cloak and my new Cane bought
and fixed at Boston
I will give and bequeath unto my beloved wife and two daughters Eliza-
beth & Anne Makemie the remainder of my estate reall and personall not
already disposed off either by ye will of Mr. William Anderson or this
will equally to be divided among them and ye revirtion of all Reall
estate to returne to ye Longest liver or livers of them and if my Daugh-
ters () die without issue of their naturall Bodes their parte
of all estate reall and personall given by this will I give and bequeath
to my youngest Sister Anne Makemie of ye Kingdom of Ireland and the ^{two} eld-
est sons of my brothers John and Robert Mekemie both of ye name of Fran-
cis Makemie and to their heirs for ever
I ordeine and appoint that all my Just debts and funerall Charges be ad-
vanced and paid out of the proffits and improvements of my estate and
debts due to said estate my will and meaning is that my estate remaine
as it is and be carried on and Improved in ye me() I now leave
it without any deviation or seperation or in such () as
may most Conduce for ye advancement thereof tell() paid or ye
death of my () or any of Children ariv())ighteen

years still remain supplying all (

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the improvement ^{or advancement} of said estate out of the proffetts of said estate

I will and ordaine by this my Last will and Testament after my decease an exact Inventory of my Estate to be taken in some Convenient time and put upon Record but nothing to be divided as above untell my debts are satisfied excepting negro slaves that my wife and daughters may know their owne (?) my Executrix afterwards nominated to make choice for my daughters or to nominate appoint & empower some person or persons to choes in their behalfe

I will give and bequeath unto my foresaid two daughters Elizabeth and Anne Makemie and there Lawfull issue and heires of their bodyes for ever my third part of three thousand eight hundred & foure acres pattered on Smith Island and adjacent marsh and Hamocks containing by computation twelve hundred and sixty eight acres of Land and further will my Executor or Executrix afterwards nominated and appointed to have ye use of said Lands untill my said Daughters arrive at full age and in case of the death of said two Daughters without any such issue I give and bequeath the revirtion of said Lands to my Sister Anne Makemie and the eldest sons of my Brothers John and Robert Makemie and their heires for ever my will and meaning is that my Executrix or Executor during my Childrens minority shall have ye use of said Lands for ye improvement and advancement of my estate

I doe Constitute appoint and ordaine my deare and well beloved wife Naomi Makemie my Executrix of this my Last will and testament Committing to her and her only the guardian ship and tu(?)ship of my aforesd Children whilst in Minority during her naturall life and in case of ye death of my deare ^{wife} Naomi Makemie before this my will is proved and executed or arrivall of my said Daughters Elizabeth and Anne Makemie at age I doe Constitute appoint and ordaine the Honorable Coll: Francis Jenkins of Somerset County in Maryland and Mary Jenkins his Lady and beloved Consort Executors of this my Last will and Testament and gardians to my said Children during their Minority and tell marriag Charging all persons concerned in ye presents of Almighty & omitient God to give and allow my said Children a sober ^{outward} and Religeous Education either here or elsewhere (?) Brittain new England or Philadelphia and that no other person or persons

Courts or Judicators whatsoever besides my Executrix or Executors nominated and appointed and whom they shall appoint in case of the mortality of Executors already appointed shall have any power to Intermeddle with my said Estate reall or personall or the tuctory or guardianship of my said Children without incurring ye penalty of the Statute of wards and liveryes and thereby liable to an accon of trespass.

I will desire and Request my trusty and good friends Mr Andrew Hamilton Capt John Watts Mr Robert Pitt and Mr James Kemp in Accomack County or any two of them to be aiding advising and assisting my foresaid Executrix or Executors in ye management of my estate ans execution of their office of Executorship or any other matter Relateing thereunto as taking an Inventory appraisment or divition of said estate

my will and pleasure is that in Case of my wife marriag she have power and authority if she apprehend it requesit or nessessary (?) before

or after Marriag to relinquish her Executor (?) (?) ye same with relation to her Children there (?) Guardianship unto ye trust

Care and manage (?) (?) Jenkins and his Lady I witness whereof I have

hereunto affixed my hand and seale this Twentie seventh day of Aprill and in the yeare of oure Soverian Lady Anne Queen of Great Britain France &

Ireland Defender of the faith Anno ye Dom 1708

Signed sealed and
Acknowledged in presents
of us as Witnesses

Francis Makemie

Seal

John Parker of Mattaponi

Mrs: Davis

Elizabeth Pihee

A Hamilton

Tully Robinson

John Lewis

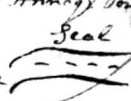
The within Last will and Testament of Mr Francis Makemie decd was proved in open Cort of Accomack County by the oaths of Andrew Hamilton Tully Robinson and John Lewis three of ye above witnesses and allowed by ye Cort for suffitient proff & ordered to be recorded August ye 4th: 1708

Teste Robt. Snead Cl: Cur)

Recorded August ye 16th, 1708 pr Robt. Snead Cl: Cur) (Com Accomack.

furthest I have hereto agreed the 1st of Febr^y 1708
the 1st day of April and in the year of our Sovereign Lady Anne
Great Britain France & Ireland Defender of the faith Anno Domⁱ

and Acknowledged
as a Witness

Francis Makemie 

John Baker of Makapani
Elizabeth Pihee
John Hamilton
Tully Robinson
John Lewis

The within last will and Testament was proved in open Court of all
each County by the oaths of Andrew Hamilton Tully Robinson and John
Lewis three of the above witnesses and allowed by the Court for sufficient proof & orders
to be recorded August 7th 1708

Test. Robt. Speed Clerk } Accomack
Recorded August 7th 1708 Robt. Speed Clerk

In the Name of God Amen March 24th Anno Domⁱ 1708

I William Wait of Accomack in y^e Colony Virgⁱ being at this present time
Sick and weak in body but of perfect memory thanks be to God Almighty
and falling to Remembrance the uncertain State of this Transitory life
all flesh must yield unto death when it pleaseth God to call doe make publick
ordaine and declare this my last will and Testament in Manner and forme
following Revoking and Annulling by these yt words all and every Testaments
and will heretofore by me made or delivered either in word or writing
is to be taken for my last will and Testament and no other last will
renewed or sorry for my sins past most humbly desiring forgiveness for
I give and commit my soule unto God my Saviour and redeemer in whom I
aspire to be saved and to have full pardon and Remission of all sins
my soule wth my body at y^e generall day of resurrection shall rise againe
joy and through y^e merit of Christ death and passion pass to y^e eternal
of heaven prepared for his Elect & chosen and my body to y^e grave to be
recent buriall and now for y^e settling of my temporall estate of y^e goods and
as to Credit as it hath pleased God I have my debts to be paid upon
I doe give order and dispose of y^e same in Manner and forme following
I will that all those debts and duties which I owe in right or conscience to any
manner of person whatsoever may be well and truly contented to paid or
to be paid within convenient time after my decease by my Executors here
named I then I give and bequeath unto my son Joseph Wait my plantation
& tract of land whereon I dwell to him his heirs and assigns forever
I then I give and bequeath unto my son Nathaniel Wait a certain tract of land
lying in Maryland called Tanners Hall to him his heirs and assigns forever
I then I give and bequeath unto my son William Wait three thousand pounds
of tobacco to be paid unto my afores^d son William Wait out of my personal
-all estate in due of his part of Land
I then I give and bequeath unto my loving wife during her whole life the
rest of my personall estate but if she should marry my desire is
it should at y^e day of marriage be divided between my three sons
three sons
I doe hereby nominate and appoint my loving wife South Sea one of the
last will and Testament
In witness of the truth hereof I have set to my hand and seal
the 1st day of March 1708
Wm. Wait