

In the name of God Amen I Robert Smead of the County of Guilford
 weeks & aged following in an estimation of my life & how all flesh is mortal
 all must submit when it pleases almighty God to send his messenger home
 he has to make this my last will & testament & my desire is that w^{ch} God
 has bestowed on me be given as followeth first I recommend my soul
 into the hand of God from whence it came depending only on his
 compassion of my sinners only for salvation next I bequeath my body to
 be decently buried as my executor has fitt & doe appoint this to
 my last will & testament making void all other will or wills made of
 gifts or dowry what soever made by me

My Will & desire is that all my Just debts be truly & honestly payed -
 Item I Give & bequeath unto my well beloved wife & John fish my hole
 & if either of them dye then I Sumner to have all but my desire is
 there be no deviation between them & if they live together

Item I doe make nominate & appoint my wife to be executrix and John
 fish executor with her of this my last will & testament In witness
 whereof I set my hand & Seal this sixte day of february. 1721

Item I doe appoint Francis Boston & Ralph Linney
 to be overseers over this my will

Francis F. Boston
 Elizabeth Walker
 William Sawans - } Testis
 The within last will & testament of
 John Dyer dec^d was proved in open Court
 of Guilford County by the oath of Francis Boston
 Elizabeth Walker & William Sawans the three
 witnesses to the same June 14th 1721 w^{ch} w^{ch}
 admitted of same to Record

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Know all men by these presents that I Comfort Dwell wife to
 within named Solomon for and in Consideration of the Sum of ten
 the receipt whereof I doe hereby acknowledge & for better good uses and
 Considerations the hereunto moving have as by these presents I doe
 release & quit claim all my right title & Interests of in &
 to my third of of within mentioned to be granted lands & premises
 unto the within named Thomas Reley his heirs & Assigns for ever
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the
 sixte day of June Anno dⁿⁱ Seventeen hundred & twenty one
 Comfort Dwell

Sealed & delivered in the
 presence of Wm Sawwell
 Samuel Simson
 The within Relinquishment of Dower
 was acknowledged in open Court of Guilford
 County by Comfort Dwell & Lawfull wife
 of Solomon Dwell as her voluntary Act & deed
 to Thomas Reley June 14th 1721 w^{ch} w^{ch}
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In the Name of God Among this Seventh day of Aprille in the year of our
 Lord one thousand seven hundred twenty one I Robert Smead of Guilford
 County & Division of Virginia being sick & weak thought of good lenes & memory
 thanks be to almighty God & calling to mind that it is appointed that
 all must die I doe make this my last will & testament in manner & form
 following first I Comitt my soule to almighty God, & through his mercy
 & Resurrection of our blessed Saviour Jesus Christ to obtain pardon & forgiveness
 of all my sins, & to Receive of blessing with his given to all Come yeerly
 Children of my Father Inheritance & Kingdom prepared for you from
 beginning of the world, all w^{ch} I hope & shall Receive, and after my
 if my loving wife Margaret Innes daughter of John fittgardd Speaker
 may give my poor body a decent funerall as they shall see fitting

Item I doe order that what soever debt or debts I doe owe or may be Justly proved
 may be fully satisfied & paid: & I Give & bequeath to my three Sons Robert
 Smead Thomas Smead & Charles Smead, one hundred & fifty Acres of Land being
 on w^{ch} I now live upon to them & their heirs for ever

I give to my loving wife Margaret Smead during her natural life
 all my now dwelling house & land together with five head of Cattle & my own
 riding horse, & my saddle to be for it plantation wages, as also in her
 debt or due shall become due or accruing to me to take & receive to her
 own proper use & behoofe. A. C. I give to my loving wife Margaret Smead
 during her life my mallatto boy named James but if it should happen
 she should dye then it Remained of his time to come to my afore said son
 I give & bequeath to my son John Smead my Gun, sword & silver beed cane
 to gother with my Pistol & houlsters & w. Rest of my personal Estate to be
 Equally divided amongst of Rest of my Children. I give bequeath to my
 son Robert Smead all my Coopers tools to his proper wife & behoofe but if it
 tools to be kept in Custody of my Aunt John Fitzgerald till my son
 Robert attains to age of fifteen years, & then to be delivered to him
 and singly. And lastly I doe make ordain & appoint my loving
 wife Margaret Smead with both & sole executrix & my loving Brother Charles
 Smead & John Fitzgerald Executors of my w. Estate to be ading & assisting
 to my w. Executor as they shall or may see fitting or convenient of the
 my last will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand & seal the day & year aforesaid.

Sealed signed & Delivered
 in presence of
 Catherine Smead
 Mary Smead
 John Morrough

Robt Smead
 The within last will & Testament
 of Robert Smead dec: was proved in open Court
 of Anamack County by the oaths of Catherine
 Smead Mary Smead & John Morrough w. three witnesses
 to w. Lane June w. 6th 1721 w. ad. Court admitted to Record
 Teste Cha: Smead C. C. for Anamack

Recorded June 14th 1721 (Cha: Smead C. C. for Anamack)

In the Name of God Amen I make my will I Henry Towles Being
 very weak & Sick out of a Perfect sense & memory am very willing to
 settle up little estate w. Lord has ben pleased to bestow upon me in
 manner & form as follows first I bequave my soule to the allmi-
 te God w. have it me in hope of Salvation throen w. merits of our
 Savior Jesus Christ. & my body to w. mother Earth from whence it
 came. Secunde I deliver all my just debts should be made paid
 Thirde I desire my body should be buried in a decent Christian like manner forthin
 I give unto my son Kendall Towles w. my now dwelling plantation beginning
 at the lower end of part of land w. was down on Galas w. bought off
 Rabely Porbin & taking length & breadth proportionall as my land is off
 I give unto my son Rowall Towles unto the first gulle for dearth
 + the King & his Lawfull heirs Lawfully begotten of his body for dearth
 my loving wife shall have it during her naturall life fiftle I give
 of to my son Job Towles & my son Thomas Towles all the Remain-
 part of my land from w. gulle or Branche before mentioned to be
 Equally divided betwixt them I give it to them & there Lawfull
 heirs Lawfull begotten of their bodies for ever Seple I give unto my
 son Honary Towles one Shilling sevenle I give unto my son Stackle
 Towles one Shilling eightle I give unto my loving wife all the Re-
 mainer part of my Estate of house hold stuff and all movables during her
 naturall life & after her decess I give it to my son Thomas Towles
 lastly I make my loving friends and neighbours Thomas Jenkinson & Thomas
 Jonkin. son Junior my two Executors of my Estate & to be my will full
 of this I doe I doe acknowledge as my Reall Act & deed & my last will
 & Testament as with my hand & seal the 17 day of January 1720
 signed

Sealed & Delivered in presence of us
 John Glading
 Howell Rootie
 William Bradwatter

Henry Towles
 The within last will &
 Testament of Henry Towles dec: was
 proved in open Court of Anamack County
 by the oaths of Howell Rootie & William Brad-
 watter two of w. witnesses to w. same who also
 made oath w. they saw John Glading dec: signe &
 same as a witness to w. will June w. 6th 1721
 w. ad. Court admitted w. will Record
 Teste Cha: Smead C. C. for Anamack

Recorded June 15th 1721 (Cha: Smead C. C. for Anamack)