

November the 2. 1722

In the name of God Amen I Thomas Rose being of perfect mind & memory thanks be to God therefore calling to mind that mortality of my body knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & ordaine this my last will & testament

First I recommend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God my Creator & Redeemer and my Body to the Earth to be interred in decent manner according to the Custom of the Church of England not doubting but that I shall receive the same again at the Resurrection of the Just as for my worldly Estate which hath pleased God to bestow upon me I give & bequeath the same in the following manner.

Secondly I will & bequeath unto my well beloved friends George Thomas and William Hook my Sloop called the Rosanna about eighteen Gun now lying in Acquies Creek in potomake River Virginia with a new ten foot Boat and Rigging that doth at this time belong to her and this Sloop I bequeath jointly to them both it is my will that neither of them shall sell either part or parcell of the said Sloop or Boat without giving the other the first offer & if he to whom the offer is tendered refuseth to buy the other is hereby empowered to sell to whom he pleaseth my will is that George Cutler senior have the benefit of one tripp over to York.

I also give to George Thomas my silver shoe buckles & one Gold ring & my friend also give to my beloved friend William Hook my small Gold Ring which I now weare with all my wearing cloaths

I give to George Cutler junior ten pound currant Money of Virginia & my house at our neck for the benefit of the schooling of the sd George my son

I give to Mary Roberts five Barrels of Indian Corn & one Gold ring & to Nathanael Riggan one Gold ring following Richard Cutler senior Elizabeth

I will & bequeath to my friends following Richard Cutler junior Elizabeth Baywell Cutler John Cutler William Cutler Richard Cutler junior Comfort Lorton & Arcadia Cutler

George Cutler senior George Cutler junior Comfort Lorton & Arcadia Cutler Major George Parker Anne Parker & my william Black to each of them a Gold ring of fifteen shillings & five currant silver money of Virginia & every Ring to have the first letter of my Christian name

& my surname at large in the peesdy of every ring with my age & being at present better than thirty three all which I desire may be performed by my Executor with a ring to William Pritchett & one to John Worthington senior to both of the size & price above specified.

Lastly I do appoint constitute & ordain George Cutler senior my sole Executor of this my last will & Testament revoking by these presents all other wills by me made heretofore ratifying and confirming this & no other to be my last will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seal this second day of November & of our Lord 1722 Thomas Rose

Signed sealed & pronounced by Thomas Rose to be his last will & Testament in presence of William Whitford Henry Parker

The within last will & Testament of Thomas Rose deceased was proved in open Court of Accomack County by the oaths of William Whitford Henry Parker & two witnesses to the same December the 4<sup>th</sup> 1722 w. d. Col. Admitted to Record

Recorded December the 28<sup>th</sup> 1722 (Cha. Mead Cl. Cur.) for Recor.

Know all men by these presents that I John Littleton of the County of Accomack Planter with Sarah my wife doe constitute ordain and Appoint our trusty and well Beloved friend John Johnson of sd County Planter to be our true and Lawfull Attorney for and our Heed to make over & convey unto Rich and Barne children of the said County Planter a certain parcel of Land containing fifty Acres by acknowledging in the County Court of Accomack aforesd a deed of Sale for the said Land sealed and delivered from under our hands and seals Baring Date the second day of October in sd year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and twenty two Rectifying & allowing unto our sd Attorney as full