

In the Name of God - Amen July the fourth day in the year of our Lord 1735/ I
William Bradford of Accomack County in Virginia being Sick & Weak of Body but of perfect
Mind & Memory Do make & ordain, this my Last Will & Testament in manner & form as followeth
First I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Maker hoping that thro' the
Meritorious death & passion of my Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ to receive free pardon of all
my Sins, & for my Body to be buried at the discretion of my Executrix hereafter Nominated -
I give & bequeath to my three sons namely Nath^s Bradford Will^m Bradford & Thomas Bradford
one shilling in cash a piece & also I give & bequeath to my son Bayly Bradford one
Shilling in cash I give & bequeath to my Son John Bradford two Cows & Calves & four Ewe
& Lambs I give & bequeath to my son in Law Jedidiah Bell & Sarah his Wife a piece of Land
& Marsh lying & bounded as followeth bounded southerly on the Land of West Kellum &
bounded Westerly on a line of mark't trees Northerly on the head of the Creek Road &
bounded on the Land he now possesses being by Computation Ten Acres more or less to them
& their heirs for ever & also a priveledge for them at my usual landing to make use on in
necessary manner during their Natural Lives I Give & Bequeath to my son Fisher Bradford
the plantation whereon I now live with Six hundred acres of Land belonging to it to him
& his heirs lawfully begotten of his body & for want of Such heirs to my son John Brad-
foord & his heirs lawfully begotten of his Body & for Want of such heirs to my Grandson
Will^m Bradford Gascoyne & his heirs lawfully begotten of his body only my Loving Wife
Bridget Bradford to have the proper use of it during her natural Life I also give to my
Son Fisher Bradford all my Lands that are not already given of all sorts & kind soever to
him & his heirs & also four Negroes Namely Jack Appy Hannah & Levin only my Wife to have
the use of the Aforesaid Negroes during her natural I also oblige my son Fisher Bradford

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 to pay ^{1720 1720} in the lieu of the before given Negroes As followeth he shall pay in the Lieu of
 the Negroe called Jack ten pounds Current to Bridget Addison or else deliver her the
 Negroe the money to be payd within three Years after the death of my Wife & he Shall also
 pay in the Lieu of a Negroe called Appy ten pounds Current money to the daughter of Henry
 Armitreder called Comfort Armitreder at the time of her Arriving to the of sixteen years
 old or deliver her the Negro & also he shall pay in the Lieu of the Negroe Hannah Eighteen
 pounds Current money to my daughter Anne Bonswell within two Years after Death of my Wife
 or deliver her the Negroe & he also shall pay in the Lieu of the Negroe Leven to my son
 John Bradford twenty pounds Current money within one year after death of Wife or else
 deliver him the Negroe I also give my son Fisher Bradford one young mare two iron Chains
 one Iron Crow one pair of Mill stones & three Earthen Jars I give to my Grandson
 William Bradford Gascoyne two Cows & Calves & one two horse I give to my Loving Wife one
 Negroe

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Women called Doll & all the remainder of my Estate ungiven I do make constitute & Appoint
 my Loving Wife Bridget Bradford Sole Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament Revokeing
 all other Wills & Testaments Whatsoever as Witness my hand the day & year first Above
 Written

Will Bradford (//)

Sign'd Seal'd & published in presence of us)

his)

Samuel I Benston)

mark)

John Kellum)

his)

Thomas T Bryen)

mark)

Robert Coleburn)

As a Court held for Accomack County the first day of June 1736/

This Last Will & Testament of Will^m Bradford dec^d was proved in open Court by the Oaths of Sam^l Benson John Kellum & Robert Coleburn three of the Witnessed to the same & admitted to Record.

Test:)

) Jn^o Jackson CL: Cur.

Recorded Test:)

This indenture made the second day of June Anno Domini Seventeen hundred thirty & six between Thomas Preeson of the County of Northampton in Virginia Gentleman Grandson & heir at law to Thomas Preeson late of the County aforessaid deceas'd of the one part & Thomas Stayton who intermarried with Elizebeth the second daughter of Hill Drumond late of Accomack County deceas'd of the other part Witnesseth that whereas the said Hill Drumond in his life time did pay to the said Thomas Preeson the Elder the quantity of ten thousand pounds of Tobacco in consideration that the said Thomas would afterwards convey to the said Hill his heirs & assigns a certain Six hundred Acres of Land called Wests Ridge formerly convey'd to the said Thomas the Elder by thee three sons of Coll^o John West & the said Preeson dying before he convey'd the said Land to the said Hill Drumond & whereas the said Hill Drumond afterwards by his last will & Testament did Appoint the same to be convey'd to his three eldest daughters Barbere Elizebeth & Tabitha by the heir of the said Thomas the elder & whereas Daniel Welburn & the said Barbere daughter of the aforessaid Hill & George Dougless & the said Tabitha another daughter of the said Hill Drumond have by their Deeds duly executed have conveyed to the said Thomas Stayton who intermarried with the said Elizebeth the other