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In the name of God Amen the 21 day of December in the year of our Lord one
Thousand Seven hundred Twenty and nine. I William Phillips Sen^r. of Accomack County
in the Collony of Virginia being Sickly and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory
thanks be to God for the same But calling to mind the mortality of my body and Knowing
that it is appointed for all men once to Dye do make and ordain this my Last will and
Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul
into the hand of God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be
buried in a Christian Like manner at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting
But at the Generall Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of
Almighty God and as touching Such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless
me with in this life, I give devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and
form . . Imprimis I give and bequeeth unto my ^{Eldest} Son W^m. Phillips the plantation whereon he
now lives with all the Land adjoining to the said Plantation to a line of marked trees mark-
ed with two notches containing one hundred and forty acres more or less to him the said
Will^m. Phillips and his heirs lawfully begotten of his body forever. Item I give and
bequeeth unto my Second Son John Phillips my Plantation whereon I now live with all the
Land I formerly purchased of Thomas Wickerson as also the Remsinder of the tract of
Land that I bought of Richard Bailey to the Line of marked trees that bounds his Brother
William Containing one hundred and forty acres the whole Land I have given him more or
less to him and his heirs lawfully begotten of his Body for ever and my will is that
the line of marked trees before mentioned may be a Division between them and their
heirs forever. I also give my son John my hand mill and my great Table my will is that
the Mill nor the Table shall not be removed of the said plantation for the heir that

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William Containing one hundred and forty acres the whole Land I have given him more or less to him and his heirs Lawfully begotten of his Body for ever and my will is that the Line of marked trees before mentioned may be a Division between them and their heirs forever. I also give my son John my hand mill and my great Table my will is that the mill nor the Table shall not be removed of the said plantation for the heir that shall enjoy it shall have them and furthermore my will is that if my Son John Phillips should dye without Such Lawfull issues as before mentioned that then my said plantation and Land thereto given shall fell to my Grand Son Jacob Phillips Son of Will^m Phillips and if he should dye without Lawfull Issue then it shall fell to Mattatias Phillips and his heirs lawfully begotten of his body for ever. I also give unto my Son John Phillips my feather Bed that I lye on my self with all the furniture thereto belonging. Item I give and bequesth unto my Daughter Mary Aurlington all that hundred acres of Land that I bought formerly of Thomas Bagwell to her & her heirs Lawfully begotten of her body for ever and furthermore I do give unto my Eldest Son W^m Phillips and my Daughter Mary Aurlington to each of them one Shilling for my will is that they should not have any more of my moveable Estate. Item I give and bequesth unto my Loveing wife Margeret Phillips and my Son John Phillips after my Debts and Legacies being paid all my moveable Estate to be Between them equally Divided. I also do ordain my wife Margaret Phillips and my Son John Phillips my only and Sole Executrix & Ex^r of this my last will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow Revoke and Disannull all and every other former Testaments wills Legacies and Executors by me in any wise before this time named willed and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will

& Testam^t In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal the day & year above
his
written Signed Sealed published and pronounced &. William P. Phillips Sen^r (~~the~~)
mark

declared By the said William Phillips as his last will and Testament in the
presence of us the Subscribers (Viz^t)

Benjamin Hock }
Richard Rogers }
Jacob Lurton }
his }
John F. Luis }
m^rk }

At a Court held for Accomack County the 7th day of Aprill 1730--
This Will was proved by the Oaths of Jacob Lurton & John Lewis
two of the Witnesses to the Same & Admitted to record.

Test:)
Recorded Test:) Jn^o Jackson CL: Cur.

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In the name of God Amen I William Major of Accomack County in Virginia being Sick and
Low in body but of Sound mind memory and Understanding thanks be to God therefor do make
and ordain this my last will & Testament in manner following first bequeath my Soule &
body into the hands of God by the blessed Oblation of my Saviour the one at the time of
my dissolution the other at the time of my Resurrection and for Such worldly Goods as the
Goodness of God hath bestowed on me I give and bequeath in manner & form following
Viz^t I give & bequeath to my well beloved Wife Mary Major half the land & plantation
whereon I now dwell during her widowhood with half the houses orchards pastures and
Benifitts to them belonging during her widowhood Also I give to my said Wife Mary Major
Six Slaves London William Joshua Sarah Elizabeth and Mary with all their increase to
her heirs and Assigns for ever I give and bequeath to my Son Wittleton Scarborough
Major all my land to him his heirs & assigns forever only the before mentioned half to

A Just Inventory of all the Goods Chattels of William Phillips, Sen^r of Accomack County,
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deceased taken the 8th day of Aprill 1730.

One hand mill, one Grest Table, one Couch, four feather Beds and furniture, Six Chests,
Two Boxes fifteen Casks and Tubs, Six flag Chairs, one Gun, four Pewter basons, one
Looking Glass, thirty one pewter Spoons, one pewter Chamber pott, three pewter porringers,
one Tankard, one Spice mortar and pestle, three Spinning wheels, five Iron potts, four
pair of pot hooks, three frying pannes, one pair of bellows, four Trays and Four Basketts,
Fifteen wooden Trenchers, one Can, one Hackell, one pair of Saw Combs, Four pair of old
Cards, one Runlet, one tin pott, two Ladles, one tin penn, one broad/sx, five Knives,
one tin Sauce penn, two Spades, three wheat Sifters, four meal Sifters, two Table Cloths,
two Lests, Seventeen glass Bottles, twenty Six peices of Earthenware, one mens Saddle,
two hatts, Seven pair of Britches, two Coats, two Jacketts, one weast Coat, two pair of
Stockings, Seven axes, two Drinking Glasses, thirteen hoes, one plow, one Harrow, one
Bress Kittle, Twenty nine Indian Basketts, three yards of Virginia Linnen, one pair of
Stilliards, one hide, one paid of Fire Tongs, one hand Saw, Thirty two pound of Flax, one
hundred and Thirty & a Quarter pounds of Tobacco, Thirteen pound of Leather, two peck of
Playing Cards, two Drawing Knives, twelve Bushells of Sheld Corn, one Berrell of Corn in
Ears, a percell of old Ropes, one horse Coller, one pair of hames and Cert Saddle, five
twenty foot planks, three Augres, three Chizells, one Peck Bucket, one hone and razor,
a percell of old Irons, Thirteen pound of Tallow, one Coard of hogs Fett, two Bags, one
Small Leather trunk, thirteen head of Cattle, one horse & one Mare, Eighteen head of
Sheep, Four Bridles, nine head of hogs, Four Bedsteads, Twenty three peices of meat, one
Flax break, two Bushells of Salt, one Grind Stone, three Sheafes of Flax, two old Books,
two hundred Glabberies, one in Table, one in the kitchen, eight small Iron

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two hats, Seven pair of Britches, two Coats, two Jacketts, one weast Coat, two pair of Stockings, Seven axes, two Drinking Glasses, thirteen hoes, one plow, one Harrow, one Brass Kittle, Twenty nine Indian Basketts, three yards of Virginia Linnen, one pair of Stilliards, one hide, one paid of Fire Tongs, one hand Saw, Thirty two pound of Flax, one hundred and Thirty & a quarter pounds of Tobacco, Thirteen pound of Leather, two pack of Playing Cards, two Drawing Knives, twelve Bushells of Sheld Corn, one Barrell of Corn in Ears, a parcell of old Ropes, one horse Coller, one pair of hames and Cart Saddle, five twenty foot planks, three Augres, three Chizells, one peck Bucket, one hone and razor, a percell of old Irons, Thirteen pound of Tallow, one Coard of hogs Fett, two Bags, one Small Leather trunk, thirteen head of Cattle, one horse & one Mare, eighteen head of Sheep, Four Bridles, nine head of hogs, Four Bedsteads, Twenty three peices of meat, one Flax break, two Bushells of Salt, one Grind Stone, three Sheafes of Flax, two old Books, two hundred Clebbords, one Ly Tubb, two Twelve foot planks, Eight poultry, two ^{Iron} Bolts and Iron Cane for Cart, one half Skin of Leather, to one Crown & half bitt in Cash, to two Sets of weaving Geers, to Some Broken Reeds, to one old Cross cut Saw, to one box Iron & two old Locks, to Forty five half pence.

Accomack ss: January Court 1730

The within Inventory of the Estate of William Phillips deceased was returned to Court by John Phillips his Executor and admitted to record.

Recorded

Test:)

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Jn^o. Jackson Cl: Cur.

This Indenture made this first day of December In the year of our Lord God one thousand Seven hundred and Thirty and in the fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord