

In the name of God Amen the Twenty first day of
February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred &
seventy two I David Greenhill being sick & weak but of
perfect mind & memory do make and ordain this my last Will
& Testament Inprimis I lend to my loving wife Catherine
during her natural life y^e. Dwelling house I now live in
with the Plantation this side the creek & all the other out houses
thereon likewise the Land that I bought of the Hinton's where
Thomas Wilkinson is now Overseer with five feather beds &
furniture for the use of my family with all the Stocks of
Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, on both the plantations & four Work
Horses & one Riding Horse Item I lend to my loving
Wife during her natural life Peter a Negro man the
Cook wench Judie Jacob Charles Lett Beck Chloe
Rose Phill & his wife Tiller & at the Death of my said
Wife they and their Increase to be equally Divided
betwixt my children hereafter named or the survivors of
them Joseph Greenhill William Greenhill Samuel Greenhill
Philip Whitehead Greenhill Sarah Greenhill Lucy Greenhill
& Martha Greenhill to them and their heirs for ever
Item my desire is that my Mother may have the same
priviledge in my Dwelling house as when I was alive
& the room that is called her Room as long as she lives to
her own use & two Feather beds & furniture as long as she
lives & if she allows her Negro's to work on my Plantation
as usual that she be maintain'd out of my Estate at
the discretion of my Executors Item I give & bequeath
to my son Joseph Greenhill on Christmas in the Year
of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy three
all my Tract of Land on Mcherrin in Brunswick county
containing seven hundred and eight three Acres more or
less to him & his heirs & assigns for ever with Twenty head
of neat Cattle, the mare & Colt that is called his
and the four Work Horses belonging to the s^d. Plantation
& at the receiving the said Plantation that he be allow'd
as much corn off the plantation as will serve him

and his people one Year,

Item I give and bequeath to my son William Greenhill when he shall arrive to the Age of Twenty one Years & at the death of my Mother all my Land lying on the South side of the lower Gellar Creek where Solomon Wiles now lives & Dublins to him and his heirs & assigns for ever likewise Twenty head of Neat Cattle & two good Work Horses & the Colt that is call'd his

Item I give & bequeath to my son Samuel Greenhill at the Death of my loving Wife all that Tract of Land whereon Thomas Wilkerson is Overseer known by the name of Hinton's Tract to him and his heirs & assigns for ever and at the Death of his Mother Twenty head of Neat Cattle & two Work Horses

Item I give and bequeath to my son Philip Whitehead Greenhill at the Death of his Mother the Tract of Land I now live on containing Two hundred and ninety seven Acres more or less with the Mill adjoining to him and his heirs & assigns for ever & at the death of his said Mother, twenty head of neat Cattle & two Work Horses

Item I give and bequeath to my son Paschal Greenhill Joseph Greenhill William Greenhill Samuel Greenhill & Philip Whitehead Greenhill all that Estate that descended to me at the Death of my Uncle Joseph Greenhill both in Great Brittain and Rose Island to be equally divided between them to them and their heirs and assigns for ever Item I give and bequeath to my son in Law Nelson Jones over and above the nine I have already given him a Negro Boy about seven Years old at the discretion of my Executors to him & his heirs & assigns for ever Item I give and bequeath to my son in Law Thomas Williams over and above the eight I have already given him two Negro fellows at the discretion of my Executors or any two of them to him and his heirs & assigns for ever Item I give and bequeath to my son Paschal Greenhill in Trust for the use of my son in Law John Leigh & my Daughters

Elizabeth Leigh & their Children all that Estate that Tackham
Leigh & myself bought of the said John Leigh & at the Death
of the said John Leigh and Elizabeth his Wife to be equally
divided between their Children for ever, but in case the said
John Leigh should be consenting I do hereby empower the
said Paschal Greenhill my Son to sell all or any Part of
the said Lands in Trust to pay of the old debts due from
the said Estate & then after my Debts are paid I give
and bequeath all the residue of my Estate & that of my
Father's Estate now in the hands of my Mother that is not
already given to be equally divided between my seven Children
following Viz Joseph Greenhill William Greenhill Samuel
Greenhill Philip Whitehead Greenhill Sarah Greenhill
Lucy Greenhill and Martha Greenhill in manner
following, that is that the said Estate be kept together
untill the first of my said seven Children arrive to the
Age of Twenty one Years or Married & then the said
Estate to be divided in seven Lots equally at the direction
of my Executors & the Children of Age or Married to take
one seventh Part by drawing it by Lot and the other
lots to be put together in order to support the rest of the
Children & when the next of the said Children is Twentyone
Years old or Married to divide again by the aforesaid Method
always making as many Lots as there are Children that have
not received their Part & so to continue till the last of the
said Children is of age or Married & the said Lots to the
said Children I give and bequeath to them and their heirs
for ever & then my Will and desire is that my said seven
Children be maintain'd out my Estate as usual when I
was alive till they receive their Part of my Estate allotted
them by this Will & then I hereby constitute & appoint my
Son Paschall Greenhill & Joseph Greenhill and my Son
in Law Thomas Williams Executors of this my last Will
& Testament whom I do Authorize by the consent of
my loving Wife to sell all or any Part of my Land
thereby given and the Money arising therefrom

62 to be laid out in land for the advantage of the
Particular Legatee whose land was sold & I
hereby revoke and disannul all other Wills heretofore
made by me this day and Year above written

signed Seals pronounced &
declared to be the last Will &
Testament of David Greenhill
before Us

David Greenhill (ES)

Law^r Wills
Philip Jones
John McKie
Daniel DuVal

At a Court held in Amelia County the 27th day of September 1749
This Will was proved by the Oaths of Laurence Wills &
Philip Jones two of the Witnesses thereto sworn to by
Caschal Greenhill Joseph Greenhill and Thomas
Williams the Executors therein named and Ordered to be
Recorded And on Motion of the said Executors who
entered into Bond as the law directs Certificate for
obtaining a Probate in due form was granted them

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John Cude

In the name of God Amen I George Foster of Amelia
County on Matt Creek being of perfect sound memory do
make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament
and do give demise and dispose of in manner and
form following Viz I give and bequeath to my Son James
Foster One hundred and twenty five Acres of land in the
County of Prince Edward it being part of a Tract of land
which I purchased of James Atwood I desire he may
have it joining the plantation on which he dwells on
I also give to my Son James Foster one Negro man call'd
Gloster to him and his heirs for ever I give and bequeath
to my Son Abraham Forrest Foster Two hundred acres of