

Jesus Christ Amen Item, give and bequeath to my daughter
Elizabeth Crenshaw my Riding Mare, -- Item give to my
Grand Daughter Mary Crenshaw my bed & Furniture
Item give to my daughter Mary Bates one Negro woman
Named Jane and six pounds Cash

Item I give to my son Abner Bates all the Remainder of my
Estate be it money or money's worth, -- I Appoint my son
Abner Bates my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will
and Testament

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John Bailey
William ^{his} ~~Good~~
mark
Joseph Cheely,

his

Thomas Bates ^{Esq}
Mark

In the Name of God Amen June the 17th date 1769
I Elizabeth Matthis in the County of Amelia being Sick and Weak
in body but in Perfect mind and Memory thanks be to Almighty God
therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it
is Appointed for all flesh once to die, do make and ordain this my last
Will and Testament, that is to say principally & first of all I give
and Recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave
it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Chris-
tian Burial at the discretion of my Executors Nothing Doubting but
at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the
Mighty Power of God, and as touching such worldly estate wherewith
it has pleased God to bless me with in this life I give demise and dispose
of the same in the Following Manner and Form:
Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann Hughes one Negro

Girl Named Janey the Daughter of Sue
 Ilem I give and bequeath to my son Gregory Matthis two Negroes
 Vizt one A young Fellow named John and in another fellow named Joe
 to him and his Heirs freely to be possessed and Enjoyed and I do hereby
 Utterly disallow revoke & disallow all and every other Former Testaments
 Wills Legacies and bequest and Executors by me in any ways before nam-
 ed Willed and bequeathed ratifying & Confirming this and no other to be
 My last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand & seal the day of the Above Written I Appoint my son
 Anthony Matthis and my son in law John Hughes to be my Execu-
 tors of this my last Will

Signed sealed in the presence of
 Charles Hundey
 Mary Ann Hughes
 Lewis Ford

Elizabeth ^{his} Matthis ^{LS}
 mark

In the Name of God Amen I Anne Stern of the County of Small
 being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind & memory do make
 this my last Will & Testament, First I recommend my Soul into the
 hands of Almighty God that gave it hoping to receive pardon and
 remission of my sins through the merits of my ever blessed Saviour Jesus
 Christ and my body to the Earth to be Buried in such decent Christian
 like manner as my Executors hereafter named may think proper, and
 as to such worldly Goods as it has pleased God to bless me with I give
 and dispose of as followeth, --- Ilem I give and bequeath to my
 Daughter Mary Long one Negro woman named Fester with all her
 Children to her & her Heirs Forever, --- Ilem I give and bequeath
 to my Daughter Tabitha Stern one Negro Woman named Lillina
 and all her Future increase that may happen after my decease