

In the Name of God Amen the Second day of January in the
 Year of our L^d 1754. I John Wallace Senior of Nottoway Parish and
 County of Amherst County. Being very sick and weak of Body but of perfect mind
 and Memory Thanks be given unto God therefore Calling to mind the mortality of
 my Body and knowing it is appointed for all Men once to die 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 hands of God that
 gave it, and for my Body, I recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in a
 Christian like and Decent manner 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 hath pleased God to bless me in this life I Give Devise and Dispose of the
 same in the following manner and form.

Impress I Give and Bequeath to Mary my dear & beloved Wife whom I
 likewise constitute make and ordain my only and sole Executrix of this my
 last Will and Testament. The Plantation whereon I now dwell as also my
 two Negroes Elbow and Abram and four hundred acres of Land lying
 in Lunenburg together with all my Household Goods and movables to be
 all sold after my Decease and my Debts paid out of the money and my Wife,
 to keep the remaining part in her hands till my youngest Child be com-
 of Age and then to be Equally divided among them. And in case my Wife,
 Mary again then to be divided and my Children viz^t Matthew, Jane,
 Jane, Sally, Mary, & Susanna and Dillany to have each an equal part. And
 they that are not come to Age nor married to be bound out. Item I Give
 my well beloved son Matthew Wallace Two hundred acres of Land lying in
 Lunenburg, & Item I Give my well beloved Daughter Ekady Dickson one
 Shilling. Item I Give to my well beloved son John Wallace one Shilling.
 Item I Give to my well beloved son Jeff Wallace one Shilling. And I do
 hereby utterly disallow revoke and Disannul all and every former
 Testaments Wills and Legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any way
 before this time named Will'd and Bequeathed Testifying and confirming
 this and no other to be my last Will and Testament in witness whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Day and Year above written.

Christian like a decent manner 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 hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give Devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form.

Impress I give and Bequeath to Mary my dear & beloved Wife whom I likewise constitute make and ordain my only and sole Executrix of the my last Will and Testament. The Plantation whereon I now dwell as also my two Negroes Elbow and Abram and four hundred acres of Land lying in Lunenburg together with all my Household Goods and movables to be all sold after my Decease and my Debts paid out of the money and my Wife, to keep the remaining part in Her hands till my youngest Children come of Age and then to be Equally divided among them. And in case my Wife, Mary again then to be divided and my Children vizt. Father, Jane, Jane, Sally, Mary, & Lucretia and Dillory to have each an equal part. And they that are not come to Age nor married to be bound out. Item I give my well beloved son Mathew Wallace two hundred acres of Land lying in Lunenburg, & Item I give my well beloved Daughter Echoby Jackson one Shilling. Item I give to my well beloved son John Wallace one Shilling. Item I give to my well beloved son Jeff Wallace one Shilling. And I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and Disannul all and every former Testaments Wills and Legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any way before this time named Will'd and Bequeathed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Day and Year above written.

Signed Sealed, Published, Promulgated and Declared by the said J. Wallace as his last Will and Testament in the presence of the Subscribers.

Patrick M'quaid
John Dobbs
George Wallace

John Wallace

At a Court held for Amherst County the 23 day of January 1768 the last Will and Testament of John Wallace was presented by the Executors therein named who made oath thereof and proved by the Witnesses and ordered to be recorded.

Samuel Cobb Clk.