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In the name of God Amen the third day of December One thousand
Seven hundred and forty eight I William Stone of y^e Co^y of Gateigh
the County of Amelia being Sick & weak in Body but of perfect
Mind & memory Thanks be given to God therefore Calling to mind
y^e mortality of my Body & knowing y^e is appointed for all men
once to die Do make & ordaine this my last Will & Testament
in manner following That is to say First of all I give my Soule
into the hands of God that gave it me not Doubting but at y^e Gen^l
Resurrection I shall receive the same again & my Body to y^e earth
to be buried in a Christian & Decent manner at the Discretion of my
Ex^{ors} hereafter named. And as for what I lawfully Esteem it hath
pleased God to bless me with I give Devise & Dispose in manner following
My Discreet Intent of this my last Will & Testament is for my Land &
all my Estate which I have or ought to have in the Northern Neck of
Virginia be sold by my Ex^{ors} for money & the money to be equally divided
between my Children which are viz. Ann Manire, Margaret Hammond
Phillis Stone, Elizabeth Taylor, Henry Stone, Katherine Stone, Sarah
Harper & Lucey Green. As likewise my desire is y^e them my above
mentioned Children have what money Mr. Debedall shall now owe me, &
to have the first & second years Rent to be divided equally as is above mentioned
to them & their Heirs for ever. Item I give & bequeath to my two
Sons Philip & Henry y^e second years Rent of my Plantation on Mattawoman
which was before mentioned to be equally divided between them my two
Sons & their Heirs forever. Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter
Lucey Green & her Heirs for ever the third years Rent of my Plantation
above mentioned. Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter
Katherine Stone & her Heirs for ever Two hundred Acres of Land lying
between or on the lines of George Still, Robt. Paythrips & Rich^d Parr,
& down Danuels branch for Complement as likewise my Bay breeding mare
& her Increase And the fourth years Rent of my Plantation above mentioned
I give & bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Harper & her Heirs for ever
Two hundred Acres of Land lying between Lewis Hammonds & Rich^d Parr
of my Bay mare y^e I gave my Daughter Katherine & my negro boy
Vincent. Only my desire is y^e y^e Boy continues with his mother
till April next. Item I give and bequeath to my son William

to be buried in a Christian & Decent manner at the Discretion of my
Ex^{or} hereafter Named. And as for what I lawfully Estate it. hath
pleased God to bless me with ^{Amelia County Wills 1734-1781} ~~www.ameliacountywills.com~~ I Promise & Dispose in manner following
My Desire & Intent of this my last Will & Testament is for my Land &
all my Estate which I have or ought to have in the Northern Neck of
Virginia be sold by my Ex^{or} for money & the money to be equally divided
between my Children which are viz. Ann Manire Margaret Hammond
Phillip Stone Elizabeth Taylor Henry Stone Katherine Stone Sarah
Harper & Lucey Green. As likewise my desire is if than my above
mentioned Children have what money Mr Daball shall now owe me, &
to have the first 8 years Rent to be divided Equally as is above mentioned
to them & their Heirs for ever. . . . Item I give & bequeath to my two
Sons Phillip & Henry y^e Second years Rent of my Plantation on Mattawoman
~~which now before mentioned to be equally divided between them my two~~
Sons & their Heirs forever. . . . Item I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter
Lucey Green & her Heirs for ever The third 8 years Rent of my Plantation
above mentioned. . . . Item I Give & bequeath to my Daughter
Katherine Stone & her Heirs for ever Two hundred Acres of Land lying
between or on the lines of George Still Robt Paythrops British Town
& Down Daniels branch for Compliment as likewise my Bay breeding mare
& her Increase and the fourth years Rent of my Plantation above mentioned
I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Harper & her Heirs for ever
Two hundred Acres of Land lying between Lewis Hammonds & Rich Davis
lines & Down Daniels branch for Compliments And y^e Bay Colt y^e name
of my Bay Mare y^e I gave my Daughter Katherine & my Negro Boy
Vincent. Only my desire is y^e y^e Bay continues with his mother
till April next. . . . Item I Give and bequeath to my son William
my Plantation whereon I now live being Three hundred & thirty Acres and
one hundred adjoining & Peter my Negro Boy & Bob Brother to y^e Peter & Bob
Lucey Sister to Peter & Bob. And my young Horse Ball & five good Cows
& Calves & my Philadelphia Gun & Two Sows & Pigg to him and his Heirs forever
I Give & Bequeath to my Two Sons Phillip & Henry & their Heirs forever
y^e Fifth years rent of my Plantation above mentioned.
I Give & Bequeath to my beloved Wife Elizabeth One feather Bed &
furniture & her Chest Spinning wheels & Cards I likewise lend to my
Beloved Wife during her natural life or widow hood my Negro Girls
Winny & at her Death or marriage to go she & her Increase except
her son Vincent which is already given to my son William and his forever

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Item I Give to my Daughter Sarah Harpur & her Heirs half of the Part
of my Plantation above mentioned Due for y^e Sixth Year And y^e other to
be divided between my Wife & Son William if my Wife live the
containe unmarried

Item Give & bequeath to my Son Henry & his Heirs forever my Riding Saddle
& Bridle & my Saddle Gun Only my Desire is y^e if William be
Father of my Son's Wife & so on giving them a Legacy or con-
sistance toward a living That then my Horse Saddle & Bridle & Gun
be returned to my other Children My Desire is y^e my Son Henry
have all my wearing apparel

Item All the rest of my Estate I Give to Equally divided between my Children
Phillip & Henry & Sarah Harpur & my Son Katherine & William I Give
them & their Heirs for ever Only the Estate which is y^e remainder y^e is here
mentioned not be divided till y^e expiration of y^e Lease to Dibdall Holt
Only my Desire is y^e if either of my Children die without Heir y^e the
their part or parts be Equally divided between the rest of my Children
My Will & Desire is that my Estate be not Appraised

Item I Give & bequeath to Joshua Hightower & his Heirs forever Two hundred
of Land y^e I thought of y^e Captains of Wyat which is known by y^e Name of
Wyats Land on the Harpurs Only my Desire is y^e if Joshua pay me
£. y^e Sum of Twenty pounds & if not for my Son Henry to have the same
I Make & Ordaine constitute & Appoint William Manier & Joseph Harpur
to my whole and sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament
Disavowing & Revoking all other Wills by me made In witness whereof
I have set my hand & Seal y^e day & Year within written

Dibdall Holt
Hugh Williams
Pindexter Mosby

Wm Howe

At a Court held for Amelia County the 2^d day of April 1749
The last Will and Testament of William Howe was presented into Court
by William Manier and proved by the Oaths of Dibdall Holt Hugh
Williams and Pindexter Mosby Witnesses thereto and ordered
to be recorded

Samuel Gibbs Sec