

Charles Gordon

Will

In the Name of God Amen I Charles Gordon of
Saint Andrews in the County of Brunswick being sick and weak but of
sound and memory praise be to God for the same do make this my last will
and Testament in manner and form as followeth that is to say First I
Principally recommend my Soul into the hands of my great and wise God
which gave it me and my body to the Earth from whence it was derived to be
decently Buried according to the discretion of my executors not doubting but a
Resurrection both Soul and Body shall be Revived and glorified together
and as for my worldly estate which the Lord hath Blessed me with I give and
Bequeath as followeth Item my will and desire is that all my Just debts
be truly paid Item I lend unto my loving wife Anne Gordon all my estate
during her Widowhood and then to my Children James Gordon and John
and the Child she is big with let it be Male or Female to be equally divided
between them and their Heirs for ever my will and desire is that if either of
my Children should die without an heir the Receiver to enjoy the whole
my will and desire is that if my Children should die with^{out} an heir that my
whole estate to be equally divided between my Sisters Children to them
and their Heirs for ever Item I likewise constitute and appoint my
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Executors of this my last will and Testament absolutely recoking all other
will or wills heretofore made by me. Signed sealed and delivered as my
last will and Testament this 14th Day of September one thousand seven hundred
and sixty nine

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In the presence of us
James Fisher

Charles Gordon

At a Court continued and held for Brunswick Co. Va.
the 20th Day of November 1769

This will was presented in Court by Anne Gordon
one of the Executors therein named who made oath thereto according to law in
the same being proved by the oath of James Fisher the Witness thereto and order
to be recorded And on the motion of the said Executrix who together with James
Fisher and Benjamin Ingram her securities entered into and acknowledged
their Bond in the penalty of one thousand pounds with condition according to
law certificate is granted her for obtaining a probat thereof in due form And
Benjamin Ingram the other Executor in the said Will named personally appeared
in Court to qualify as such

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Edw. Fisher