

In the Name of God Amen I Jampeon Sanier of
the Parish of Saint Ananias in the County of Brunswick calling to mind
the Mortality of Man do make and Ordain this to be my last Will and
Testament Revoking all former Wills by me made and this only to be
my last Will and Testament to wit I give and bequeath unto my son
Thomas Sanier all the Tract of Land whereon I now live Containing
one hundred and fifty Acres to him and his heirs forever but it is my
desire that my wife should have the use of the Plantation whereon I
now live with the Land on the East side of the Branch during her Natural
Life making no part on the same also give unto my said son Thomas
Five Pounds Cash and all my Cooper Tools I give unto my son
Jampeon Sanier one Negro Man called Mungo my wife to have
the Use of the said Negro during her Widowhood I give unto my
son Richard Sanier two Cows and Calves two sows and Piggs one
Feather bed bolster a blanket and Ruggs and a pair of sheets two
Pewter dishes three Pewter plates one good but one Iron pot
also one Negro Woman named Jada

one hundred and fifty acres to him and his heirs forever but it is my
desire that my wife should have the use of the plantation whereon I
now live with the Land on the East side of the branch during her Natural
Life making no part on the same also give unto my said son Thomas
Five Poundes each and all my Cooper's Tools I give unto my son
Samuel Lanier one Negro whom I called Mungo my wife to have
the Service of the said Negro during her Widowhood I give unto my
son Richard Lanier two Bowes and Barres two fowls and Pigeons one
Feather bed bolster a blanket and a Rugg and a pair of sheets two
Pewter dishes three Pewter Plates one good but one Iron pot
also one Negro woman named Lida my wife having the Service
of the said Negro woman during her Widowhood I give unto my
Daughter Elizabeth one Negro you called Moll the said Negro
give and her increase to the use of my said Daughter and the heirs
of her body forever I give to my son Samuel Lanier one Negro
you called Agge to him and his heirs also one feather bed and
bolster a pair of sheets a Rugg and a blanket two pewter dishes
and three pewter plates two Bowes and Barres one heifer one

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Young Ware bride and Saddle and all the hoggs that is called his and a
gang of hoggs that you used with the same one Iron pot and frying pan
I give to my son James Sanier two cows and calves two fowls and Pigg two
Dew too Dishes two Wenter plates one Iron pot one Kettle one Young
Ware one small saddle and bridle one feather bed bolster a pair of
Sheet a rugg and a blanket and one Negro man called Brandol to him
and his heirs but Samuel Sanier to have the Labour of the said Negro
till my son James come to the age of Twenty one Years I give unto my
beloved Wife Twenty pounds bank which she hath in her possession
to her and her Divorciat also let the use of all the Remainder part
of my Estate to my beloved Wife during her Natural life or widowhood
and after her death or Marriage I give all that part of my Estate to my
five sons to be equally divided among them to them and their heirs my
will and Devoes that my Estate may not be brought to an appraisment
I also constitute and appoint my two sons Thomas Sanier and Sampson
Sanier Executors of this my Last will and Testament In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighth
Day of January 1749/50.

James Esq. of this my Last will and Testament In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this eighth
Day of January 1742/3.

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Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of us above
Last will and Testament

James M. Actin

Peter f. Eldams

Richard Lanier

Richard Lanier

James Lanier R.S.

A Court held for Brunswick
County May the 5th 1743.

This will was presented in Court
by Thomas Lanier and James Lanier

Lanier the Esq. therein named who

made oath thereto according to Law and the same being proved by
the oaths of James M. Actin and Richard Lanier two of the witnesses
thereto and Ordered to be Recorded On the motion of the said Esq. Certificate
is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form.

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