

In The Name of God Amen I James Spencer of Charlotte County
of the Colony of Virginia being Low in health but in perfect mind and memory do now make my
Last Will and Testament that ~~gene~~ follows. and first I give my body to the dust from whence
I came, and my Soul to God that gave it my widow and Children to God that first gave them
to me. and as touching my Worldly Estate that it has pleased God to invest me with. I dispose of
as follows. Imprimis I desire that all my Lawful Debts be paid, and what Remains after my
Debts are paid I lend unto my beloved wife Ellender Spencer all that remains (to Wit)
Land household furniture Stocks of all kinds and all other goods or Chattles whatever during
her Life. after her decease I order and ordain that whatsoever May remain shall be sold to
the best advantage and be Equally divided amongst all my Children, and in order that this
my Last Will and Testament may be properly Executed I leave and constitute my beloved
Wife ~~Ezzene~~ ^{Ezzene} Spencer and my beloved
Son John Spencer, — — — — — and Edward Robertson the Sole Executors of this my Last
Will and Testament In witness whereof I doe hereunto Set my hand this Sixth day of Septem-
ber in the year one thousand seven hundred and Eighty. James Spencer

Signed and declared in presence of John Weatherford, Richard Weatherford. ~~James Spencer~~

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and Executors who made oath according to Law, Certificate is granted them for Obtain-
ing a probate of the said Will, they giving Security, whereupon they together with
John Weatherford, Robert Allen and Ino Holland their Securitys entered into and
Acknowledged their bond for that purpose according to Law

Recorded

Test Thomas Read Clerk