

Charlotte

Robert Henry of the County of York in the Colony of Virginia being in
perfect health and of sound mind and disposing memory do make
my last will & Testament in manner and form following. In presence
I bequeath my Soul to God who gave it and my ^{Body} to the Earth from whence it was
Taken to be buried in a Christian like manner by my Executors hereafter
mentioned and what Temporal Estate it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow
on me with I Give and bequeath as followeth; I Give and Bequeath to my
Loving wife Jean Henry my Negro Man Man and my Negro woman Catherina
all my Stock of Cattle and Horses and my Plantation whereon I now live all
my household Furniture &c with all their Appurtenances During her Natural Life and
her Descendants I Give my Land to be sold with my Negroes Stock &c and the money
Equally Divided among my Children Lastly I appoint my Loving Friends
John Burdett and William Norton of Charlotte the Executors to this my last Will
and Testament Witness my hand & seal this Ninth day of December 1766.

Robert Henry Esq.

signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of George Pattillo, John Bunt, Catharine Davis

At a Court held for Charlotte County the Sixth day of July 1767,

The within written last will & Testament of Robert Henry, Dec'd was
Exhibited in Court by John Bunt one of the Executors therein named and
the same was proved by the oath of Catharine Davis a Widow Thence Subscribed and
Ordered to be Certified And on the motion of the said John Bunt (who made oaths
according to Law) Certificate is Granted him for obtaining a probate of the said
Will in due form the giving Security whereupon he ^{to wit} with Peter & Quakers
his security entered into and acknowledged their bond for that purpose bearing
Liberty to William Norton the other Executor to Join in the probate thereof
he shall think fit.

And at another Court held for Charlotte County the 8th
of March 1768. The within written Last Will of ^{of Robert Henry deceased} was further proved by the
oath of George Pattillo a Witness Thence & in which is ordered to be & now

Teste Court held 6th. J.

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