

In the name of God amen! I Elizabeth Edmondson

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of Milford in the County of Charles City Virginia, considering
the Uncertainty of human Life and being at this time in
perfect health do make and ordain this my last Will and
Testament. In the first place unworthy as I am I resign
my Soul into the hands of its Creator humbly hoping for its
eternal happiness, not from any works of my own, but through
the infinite goodness of my most gracious God, and through
the merits and intercession of our blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ. I give to my dear Husband John Edmondson
all the Land that I possess during his life. I also give him the Stocks
of Horses Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, and furniture, for ever. The Bed my dear
Mama worked I desire may be given to my Sister
Sarah Harrison. I give to my dear Husband the following Negroes, Ned,
Abraham, Charles, Pompey, Polly, Jane, Aggy, Isaac, Beckey, Moses
to dispose of as he may think proper, to my Brother Carter B. Harrison

Sarah Harrison. I give to my dear Husband the following Negroes, Ned,

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to dispose of as he may think proper, to my Brother Carter B. Harrison

I give Henry, his Wife Betty and their Children for ever, to my

Sister Sarah Harrison I give Patty and three Children Molly, Tom

and Patty, to my Brother Ben's Son Ben I give Johnny, to my

Brother William H. Harrison I give George, to William Rickman

Coupland I give Joe, Sarah Daughter of Polly I give to Betty

Randolph Harrison, my Certificates that are in the hands of my Brother

Ben. I desire may be giving to my Husband to dispose of

as he may think proper. I lend to my Dear Husband during his

Life my Negro Boy Isham at his Death to return to my Brother

Ben's Son, Benjamin Harrison, at Mr. Edmondson's death my Will

and desire is, that my Brother Carter should have the house and

land we now live on, containing by estimation Two hundred and

Eighty Acres, and that my Brother William H. Harrison should have the

Land, Dockter Rickman purchased of Tom Brown. I leave

to my Sister Ann Coupland my Watch. I desire to be

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Land, Doctor Rickman purchased of Tom Brown. I leave
to my Sister Ann Coupland my Watch. I desire to be
buried by Mr. Rickman and that the place may be enclosed
with a Brick Wall. This Will written with my own hand
I sign and seal the third day of May 1790.

Signed, and sealed
in the presence of

Elizabeth Edmondson

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At a Court held for Charles City County at the Court House
on Thursday the twentieth day of January 1791.

The aforewritten last Will of Elizabeth Edmondson deceased was
proved to be written wholly by the Deceased by the Oaths of John
Dunbar and John Colgan, and Ordered to be recorded. And on
the motion of John Edmondson who made Oath thereto according to law
and together with Carter B. Harrison his security entered into and
acknowledged their bond in the penalty of Two thousand pounds
conditioned as the law directs. Certificate is granted him for
obtaining letters of Administration on the estate of the said Elizabeth
with her said Will annexed in due form.

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