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In the name of God amen I Abraham Chappell of Chesterfield County & Parish of
King William being very sick & weak but of sound & disposing mind & memory do make &
ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner following

First & principally I resign my Soul to God & my Body to the Earth to be buried in
a christian like manner at the discretion of my Executors & my worldly Estate I give & bequeath
as in manner following

Item I leave to my dear & well beloved Wife Anna Chappell the Land whereon I now
live with all the Houses & profits & furniture belonging with my two Negroes Sam & Quill
with all my Stock of Horses cattle sheep & Hogs during her natural Life or Widowhood
But should she marry it is my Desire that my Estate be sold & equally divided
among my ten children & beloved Wife but if she dies without marriage it is my
Desire that it be equally divided among my children It is also my Desire that if
either of my children dies without a lawful issue that their part be equally divided
among the survivors of the said children

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either of my children dies without a lawful Issue that their part be equally divided
among the Survivors In case of ^{any} my children marry before the Death of my beloved
Wife & she cause she may help them as far as their part of my Estate will be but
not farther

I constitute & appoint my dear Wife Ann Chappel & my Son Robert Chappel
Execs. of this my last Will & Testament & I do hereby disannull disallow & make void
all former Wills by me at any time before made In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & affixed my seal this twelfth Day of April one thousand seven
hundred & eighty one

Signed sealed & delivered
In presence of

James Smith Ann ^{her} + Godson
John ^{his} + Godson
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Abraham Chappel