

Cary
will

In the name of god amen I Archibald Cary

of Amptkull in the county of Chesterfield and commonwealth of Virginia
being at this time weak and sick in body, but of sound memory and
of disposing mind do make publish and ordain this my last will and
Testament hereby revoking and annulling all other and former wills
or testaments by me at any time heretofore made, and disposing of
all my worldly estate in manner following viz.

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Jane and to the Survivors of them, during life, the land and plantation
whereon they now live in the county of Buckingham called and known
by the name of the Great Oak containing one thousand acres already
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remainder to my Executors herein after named and to the Survivors
and Survivors of them in fee Simple In trust for the purposes in the
ordinary clause of this my will herein after to be inserted and expressed

I give and devise to my wife ~~Ann~~ Mary Dilling and to her heirs
for ever provided she shall live to attain the age of twenty one years or shall die
young of her long lawfully begotten living at her decease one thousand acres of land
in the said county of Buckingham, adjoining to the aforesaid tract called the Red
Oak, to run down the Mountain Creek from the lower line of the red oak tract so far
that a parallel line with that last mentioned to the back line on the north west
shall include the said one thousand acres. I also give and bequeath to my said wife
son and to his heirs subject to the aforesaid proviso and contingency the following
to wit, Harry and Flora Ned and Sarah with their increase at the time of my death
I give to my daughter Ann Randolph da Yee mother to her two Mulatto women and
in failure of both the aforesaid contingencies I give devise and bequeath the remains
of the said land and Slaves to my Executors herein after named and to the
Survivors and Survivors of them or for simple Trust for the uses of my will
as herein after in the residuary clause thereof will be expressed.

Now I give and devise to my son in law Carter Page and to his wife Mary and to the survivor of them during life, all that my tract of land in Buckingham county on the north side of Hatcher's Creek and on the south side of horn quarter road containing about two thousand Seven hundred acres, remaindes to my Executors herein after named and to the Survivor and survivor of them in fee simple. In trust immediately from and after the decease of the Survivor of the said Carter and Mary Page, for the son of the said Carter and Mary (if but one) who shall be then living and his heirs forever provided he shall attain the age of twenty one years or shall have issue of his body lawfully begotten living at the time of his death, and in case the Survivor of the said Carter and Mary shall leave two sons of the present marriage living at the time of the decease of such Survivor, then he trust as to eight hundred acres of the said tract at the lower end thereof for the second Son of the said Carter and Mary who shall be then living and his heirs forever.

shall not be more than in trust for the daughter and daughter of the said
batter and Mary Page who shall survive the said batter and Mary
to be equally divided among them if more than one, and the legal legal
representation of any and each of them daughters of the said batter
and Mary who may be then dead, in fee simple, but in case there shall
be no issue of the said batter and Mary Page living at the time of the
decease of the survivor of the said batter and Mary, then I intend for
the general benefit of my estate, to be appropriated as will be expressed
in the residuary clause of this my will

Item I give and bequeath to my said daughter Mary Page and to her heirs
power the following negroes to wit, my maid Christian, her son
Mandeville and her daughter Julie, Daniel Coachman Dick his wife
tally with her youngest child only except such as are named Tony and

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Lucy Isaac and Nancy and Theophora son of Polly and Stephen, also
her maid Sally and Rachel with all their increase living at my house
them I give and devise to my executor herein after named one to the Turners
and Survivors of them in fee simple All that part of my tract of land
in Buckingham county called the fork of Willers which lies between the
mountain creek of Willers, the great branch the line of Alexander Hinson
the younger, of Alexander Hinson the elder, and Bollings line to
where my upper line crosses the ^{mountain} creek, is also a tract or parcel of land
beginning at my lower line where it joins Peterfield Trants on the lower
side of Willers creek, thence crossing the creek along said Trants line to
a branch called the barren lick, then up the said branch to a road
leading from the fork to Buckingham, thence along the said road

There is much land as will make up the first tract my deceased wife Rebecca
living agrees to wit. I leave my daughter Betty's maid Betty daughter of John
and Betty daughter of my. Nathaniel then son Daniel, Mary and Isabella, Lemuel
Abby with all their increase living at my death In trust for my said daugh-
ter Betty during her natural life. and from and after her decease for her first
son living at her death who shall attain the age of twenty one years or shall leave
issue of his body lawfully begotten in fee simple and in default thereof in trust
for such daughter or daughters ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~issue~~ ^{issue} of the said Betty lawfully begotten
and their legal representatives as shall be living at her decease to be equally ~~part~~
of more than one in fee simple But in failure of a son who shall so as aforesaid
attain the age of twenty one years or leave issue living at his death and of a daughter

ter or the issue of a daughter as ^{sterling County, Virginia Wills 1785-1800} ^{www.virginiapioneers.net} ~~as proposed~~ then in trust for the use and purposes to be expressed in the ordinary clause of this my will hereon after inserted —

Item I give and bequeath to my son in law Thomas Randolph my faithfull Servant commonly called Black Polly. her husband Nephew and all such children of the said Polly and her daughter. ~~Having~~ as shall be living at my decease to him and his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to my grand daughters. Mary Randolph daughter of the ~~deceased~~ Thomas Randolph agreeable to the request of my deceased wife the sum of three hundred pounds current money in Specie; likewise my negro girl named Amy daughter of ~~the~~ with her future increase. to my said grand daughter and her heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to my son in law Charles Page in case of my death before the houses which I am about building for him are finished the sum of four hundred pounds current money in Specie for the purpose of finishing the said houses

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From I give devise and bequeath all my Execution herein after named unto
the Survivors and survivors of them in fee simple all the rest and
residue of my estate real and personal moveable or immovable, not
already mentioned and disposed of, which together with all and
every of the devices herein before made to them upon certain contingencies
shall be in trust for to sell the whole or such part thereof as may be found
 requisite for the payment of the charges of the funeral my last debts and
the legacies hereby bequeathed and the residue of the said estate and
profits which may remain unsold or of the proceeds of the sales to be
equally divided between my daughter Anne Randolph or if she be dead
her eldest surviving son my Grandson Archibald Cary Randolph one
in case he be dead his brother John and Thomas or the survivors of them
and if they are both dead, then my daughter Mary Randolph my grandson
Archibald Cary Pollard my daughter Polly and my daughter Mary Page
and if they shall be dead

and if she shall be dead her eldest surviving son to each in fee simple
except as to my daughter Betty. These herein after spoken of With the
previous, that the lands and negroes already devised to my grandson
Archibald & my daughter Betty my son in law Carter Page and Mary the wife
or to either of them, and to my Executors in trust for my daughter Betty,
shall be valued by three disinterested persons to be chosen by my acting
Executors or Executor and my said devisee their legal representative
or guardian, and the value of the said lands and negroes so appraised
shall be added to the whole amount of my residuary estate after
payment of my funeral charges, my debts and the legacies aforesaid
to be ascertained either by the Sale thereof or by appraisement
thereof by the persons and in the manner aforesaid at the option of
my Executors and the appraised value of the lands and negroes as
before devised shall go and be considered as part of the distributary

None of my said daughters being dead, I do hereby give and bequeath unto
my grandson Nathaniel Cary Bellamy of their representations and my will and desire
further is that my said grandson's part be kept in the hands of my said Executor
until he shall attain the age of twenty one years and the interest thereof be expended
on his education. It is also my will and desire that my daughter Betty's part shall
continue in the hands of my Executors for her sole and separate use, free from all
disposition and controul by Robert Finkhouse in case he shall become her husband
but in case she shall marry any other man or shall become a widow, then to
red in her absolutely and unconditionally, and to be paid over to her to dispose
of as she pleases. Lastly I nominate and appoint my son in law Thomas M
Randolph Thomas Randolph and Carter Page to be Executors of this my last
will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
my Seal this 19 day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred
and one eighty Seven

and and rightly Given

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Signed Sealed published and declared

by the said Testator to be his last will

and Testament in our presence whom

he requested and in his presence have

Signed our names as witnesses hereto

Frederick Frazer

Isaac F. Vaughn

M. Randolph

Archibald Gary (D)

I Archibald Gary of Chesterfield County being sick and weak but of sound mind & memory do make this Codicil to my last will and Testament bearing date the twelfth day of February 1787 hereby revoking every thing in my said Will which is contrary to this Codicil whereas I have by a clause in

my faithfull servant commonly called Black Polly her husband
Stephen and all such children of the said Polly and her daughter
Mary as shall be living at my decease I hereby give and bequeath
to my daughter Mary Page and her heirs my negro boy Stephen son
of the said Polly and her husband Stephen

I give and devise to my nephew Henry Bell and his heirs Seventy
acres of land already surveyed lying on the north side of Ketchen
Creek between the lines of Colo Nathaniel Gist and the said Henry Bell
and Ketchen Creek aforesaid on condition that he pay to my Executors
the sum of Seventy pounds current money for the same

I give and devise to my daughter Anne Randolph and her heirs and
assigns my faithfull servant named Aggy also all the negroes which
I have heretofore given her together with all their increase which are

now in the possession of the said daughters or any person or persons claim-
ing under her or her husband my son in law Thomas Mann Randolph

I also give and devise to my son in law Thomas Randolph and his heirs and assigns all the negroes and their increase which I have heretofore given him or my dear daughter Jane Randolph, and are now in his possession or the possession of any person claiming under him.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Page all my Rocks wagon, best and plantation utensils at or belonging to my plantation called the half way branch. and it is my will that my said daughter shall live in my house at the fork of Willing's until her dwelling house and necessary out houses shall be finished on the lands devised in my said Will to my said daughter and her said ^{husband} daughter Mary Page and for the life of the Survivor of them and shall in the

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary these four beds and furniture at
Smiths Hill to be chosen by my daughter Anne Randolph. I also give to my son
daughter Mary my. Bureau at Smiths Hill now in her possession and her bed
and furniture and my old Bureau at the fork of Willis.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth four beds and furniture at Smiths
Hill to be chosen by my daughter Anne Randolph, but they are to be under the
same regulations as all the estate given in trust for her use in and by my said
last will and testament.

I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Anne Randolph and her heirs
my. Nullets girl named Priscilla now in her possession.

Lastly I do nominate and appoint my worthy and esteemed friend David
Hays one of my Executors in addition then named in my said last will
and testament requesting him in the strongest terms to exert himself on

and testament, requesting him in the strongest terms to exact himself in
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Settling my accounts ~~trusts~~ ~~and~~ ~~these~~ ~~business~~ Set my hand
and affixed my Seal to the bodied to my said last Will and testament
bearing date the 12 day of February one thousand Seven hundred and
eighty Seven ~~apropos~~ of the nineteenth day of February 1787

In presence of

Wm Fleming

Roderick Taylor

John F. Vaughn

Archibald Long

After signing the bodied the testator added these words, "I forgot to give
Betsy her Bureau, take notice that I give her her Bureau desk trunks
and such things" being asked if he meant his daughter Betsy, he answered
Yes

Wm Fleming
Roderick Taylor

I give and devise to my Executors and to the survivor and survivors
of them in fee simple my tract of land in Buckingham County on
the north side of Holston Creek and on the South Side of Mann
quater road, containing about two thousand Seven hundred acres
being the said tract of land devised in my said will to my son
in law Charles Page and to his wife Mary and to the survivor of them
for life. It trust to be by them or the ~~Survivors~~ or survivors of them
their executor or executors sold at their direction and one moiety
of the money arising from the sale thereof to be laid out in the purchase

chase of slaves for the use of my daughter Mary Page and her heirs
and the other moiety thereof to be laid out by my said son in
the purchase of slaves for the use of my daughter Elizabeth Cary
during her life and after her decease to be equally divided among
such issue of her body as shall be then living and if she shall die
without issue then to be equally divided between her sisters or their
legal representatives.

Item I give and devise to my son in law brother Page and to my daughter
Mary Page and to the survivor of them for life one moiety of the land
mentioned in my said will to my Executors in trust for the use of my
daughter Betty for life; the said moiety to include my dwelling house
and orchard at the fork of Willers and to be laid off at the direction
of my Executors. The remainder to my said Executors in fee simple
to be used to the same uses as the lands lying on the north side

said last will

I give and devise to my said Executors and to the Survivors and Survivor of them in fee simple the other moiety of the aforesaid land at the fork of Willers Inland for my said daughter Betty during her natural life and from and after her decease to the same use and purposes as are mentioned and contained in my said last will and testament respecting the whole of the said last mentioned tract of land, And whereas the affairs of my estate are extensive and complicated and the settling thereof will be attended with great trouble and expense I therefore give to my Executors five per centum on all the money which they shall receive from my outstanding debts and from the sales of my estate which shall be paid away in discharge of my debts, *Trustee* whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty first day of February one thousand Seven hundred and eighty Seven

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In presence of

Robt Goode

Jos Leitch

Wm Fleming

Archibald Cary (D)

Exam'd

The Estate of Tho Cuthbert dec'd Adm John Cuthbert Administrator