

Wills

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In the name of god amen I Nicholas Giles of Manchester in Chesterfield
County being of perfect sence and memory do constitute this writing as my last
will and Testament in manner and form following, first it is my will and
desire that all my just debts shall be paid by me Executors all the remainder
of my Estate of every kind whatsoever. I give and bequeath unto my beloved
wife Sarah for the purpose of maintaining herself and our children and
for the purpose of Educating our children in the first place and after accom-
-plish- ing those purpose then it is my will and desire that my wife Sarah dispose of
my said Estate amongst our said children or their representatives either by
deed or by will in such manner as she may think them most deserving from
their conduct to her in the same manner I could dispose of it to them was I
living. Lastly I do appoint my beloved wife Sarah Executor and my
friend Daniel Vandervall Benjamin Markham and his son John Markham
and James A. Pattison Executors of this my Will in witness whereof I

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Signed & published

in presence of —

Nicholas Liles

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