

149 In the name of God amen I Edward Bush of the
County of Culpeper and parish of Broomfield being sick and weak in
Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to God for it but
calling unto mind the mortality of my Body do make and ordain
this my Last Will and Testament in manner following.

I recommend my soul into the hand of Almighty God that have it and
my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian
Burial at the Discretion of my Executors And Lastly as Touching such
Worldly Estate wherewith I have pleased God to bless me with in this
life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner
and form

Item I give and bequeath unto Richard Strother of South Carolina five
Pound Current money to be paid out of my Estate by my Executors when
Demanded

Item I give and bequeath unto my Nephew Erich Bush son of my Brother
Massamion Bush all my Indigo that I have by me or sold to him &
his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Margaret Bush all

my Estate both Real and personal within Doors and without to her &
her heirs forever

Now my will and Desire is that if my Daughter should die without
heirs of her Body that then my whole and sole Estate aforesaid shall be
Divided Between my two Nephews William and Inock Bush sons of my
Brother Macmillan Bush to them and their heirs forever

Now my will and desire is that my Daughter may be Raised at the
Discretion of any Executors hereafter Named and further my will and
Desire is that my Executors may take all Lawfull ways as speedy as
may be to get in what Culpeper County, Virginia Wills
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www.virginiapioneers.net and to let it out on Interest on
Land or security till my Daughter Arrives of Age. And lastly I do appoint
my two friends Henry Thelwell and James Nash my whole & sole
Executors of this my last will and Testament and I do hereby utterly
Disallow all former Testaments wills Legacies and Executors Oath saying
and confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 1st day of
February in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred & seventy
five

I said David Bush

Signed sealed Published Pronounced
and Declared by the said Edward Bush
as his Last will and Testament in af

Presence of us

Adam N Barlow

John Markes

Robert F. Floyd
his
marry

At about held for ^{Culpeper County, Virginia Wills} ~~Culpeper~~ County the 20th day of February 1775

This Last will and Testament of Edward Bush Deceased was exhibited
and ordered to be read
to the Court and proved by the oaths of the witnesses thereto. And on the
motion of James Nash one of the Executors therein named Certificate
is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form he having
made oath thereto and Given bond and security according to Law
Duly being Reserved for the other Executor to Join in the Probat
when he shall think fit

Teste John Garrison Clk Cur