

George Washington the first day of September
one thousand seven hundred and forty eight I namely
of Orange County being very sick and weak in Body but
of perfect Mind and Memory, Thanks be given to God
thereof calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and
knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die
Do make and ordain this my last will and Testament
that is to say principally and first of all I give and
recommend my Soul into the Hands of God that gives
it me and my Body I recommend to Earth to be
in a decent Burial at the Discretion of my Executors
nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection
shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of
God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith
it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give
hence and dispose of the same in the following Manner
and Form First I give my Wife and Property of
Plantation or Tenement and all what will
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Plantation or Tennament when on I will
be my wife Martha during her natural life
after her Decease to my Son William George
his Decease to my Son Thomas George also
all my House hold Goods Debts and over an
whatsoever to my well beloved wife enduring her
Widowhood for the Maintenance and Support of my
Children and after her Decease to be equally divided
amongst all my Children I also make and Ordain
Martha George my Wife Executor and my Brother
William George Executor and this and no other to be
last will and Testament In Witnes whereof I have
hereunto set my Hand & Seal the day and Year above
written Signed Sealed and declared by the s^d Thomas
George as his last Will and Testament in the Presence
of us
Test. William Nash
Christopher Thrickett
John Nathaniel
Elmore E. George (S
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At a Court held for the said County on
Thursday the 20th day of July 1749

This Last Will and Testament of Charles George deceased
was proved by the Oaths of William Nash Christopher
Thresheld and John Wetherall the Witnesses thereto and
Ordered to be Recorded being sworn to by Martha George
one of the Executors therein named and on her Motion
Certificate is granted her for obtaining a Probat thereon
in due Form Liberty being reserved to William George
the other Executor therein named to join in the
Probat when he shall think fit

Teste Roger Dixon

In the Name of God Amen I Samuel Rensel
Calpeper County and in St Marks Parrish
in good Health and of perfect sound and cooled Me
and Memory Doth make and Ordains this my
Will and Testament full of all I give and bequea
my soul unto the Mercies of Almightie God who are