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In the Name of God Amen I William
Watkinson Junr of Culpeper County Being of Sound
Mind and Memory Thanks to Almighty God
for the same Do make and Ordain this my
Last Will and Testaments in Manner & Terms
following that is to say first I Recommend my
Soul to Almighty God hoping to receive pardon
and Remission of all my sins through the Merits of
my Saviour Jesus Christ and my Body to the Church
to be Interred Christian Burial at the Discretion
of my Executors herein after Named and for What
Worldly Goods God in his Mercy hath vouchsafed
to bestow upon me I give Bequeath and Dispose of
the same in the following Manner to wit
I amprimis my Desire is that my Just Debts and

and vestments of
my Saviour Jesus Christ and my Body to the Earth
to be Interred in Christian Burial: and the Executors
of my Executors herein after named and for What
Worldly Goods God in his Mercy hath vouchsafed
to bestow upon me I give Bequeath and Dispose of
the same in the following Manner: To-wit:

First my Desire is that my Just Debts and
Funeral Expenses be paid

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Then my Will and Desire is that my said net
and Personal Estate be kept together During the
Life of my Wife Sarah Johnston that she continue
a Widow for the Maintenance of my said wife
and Children but if in case she shall Marry
again then all to be Equally Divided Between my

Children

Children viz Elizabeth George Martain & Sarah
 Leah and as my Wife is with Child at this time
 she saith I desire to have an Equal Share with
 my above said Children my Desire is that as my
 Childrens homesteadage each have their Share of my
 Personal Estate I have Wife Constituted my
 wife Sarah Forinston Executrix and John Green
 William Roberts Executors of this my last Will
 Testament and I do hereby Utterly Disallow
 Revoke and Annul all and every Other former
 Wills Legacies and Bequests and Executors by me
 in any Ways before Nowe Made and Bequests
 Ratifying and Confirming this and now
 being my last Will and Testament In Witness
 Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal this 11th
 of September 1763

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01 September 1763
Signed Sealed & Declared
by the Wm Johnston
to his last Will & Testament
In the presence of the subscribers
William Darniel
John Duncan
Ransley Duncan
Francis I Wall
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At a Court held for the County of Culpeper
Thursday the 17th Day of October 1763
The last Will and Testament of Wm Johnston
Dec^d was Exhibited to Court by William Robert
one of the Exors thereon Married & was proved by
the oaths of William Darniel John Duncan and
Ransley Duncan Witnesses thereto & Ordered to be
Recorded