

6 In the Name of God Amen I Zacharias Gibbs of Guilford
County do make this my last Will & Testament

Will Impremus I recommend my Soul to Almighty God hoping
for pardon and forgiveness of all my sins through the
merits and mediation of our Blissful Saviour

Item I lend to my Beloved Wife Mary Gibbs my whole Estate
Both Real and Personal during her Natural life or
Widowhood and after her Death or Marriage to be Divided
in the Following manner

Item I give and Bequeath to my Son John Gibbs his Heirs
and assigns forever Third part of the Tract of Land
whereon I now live

Item I give and Bequeath to my
Son Francis Gibbs his Heirs and assigns forever one Third
part of the Tract of Land whereon I now live

Item I give and Bequeath to my Son Zacharias Gibbs his
Heirs and assigns forever one Third part of the Tract of
Land whereon I now live Including the Manse
House and Plantation but if it should please God that

in the event of the death of my Son I should

House and Plantation but if it should please God that
my son should die Before his Mother leaving Issue —
then his part of the said Land to Descend to such Issue
but if he should die Before his Mother leaving no Issue
then his part of the said Land to be Equally Divided —

Between my two Sons John Gibbs and Francis Gibbs —

Now my will and Desire is that my Land in Orange
County shall be sold and Conveyed by my Ex. or
Executors hereafter Named the Survivor or Survivors of them
or such as shall choose to Qualify for the best Price
that can be had for Ready Money or on Credit if the or

they shall think proper and the Money arising by
such Sale to be Equally between my five Daughters —

I now Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Gibbs
one Negro Girl Named Sebba to her and her Aires —

Sampfully Begetter of her Body & one Feather Bed & —

Furniture to make her Equal with her Married Sisters

I now Give and Bequeath to Son Zacharias Gibbs one Feather

that his part of the said Land to be Equally Divided —

Between my two sons John Gibbs and Francis Gibbs —

That my will and Desire is that my Land in Orange
County shall be sold and conveyed by my Ex. or
Executors hereafter named the Survivor or Survivors of them

or such as shall be chosen to Qualify for the best price
that can be had for Ready Money or on Credit if the or

they shall think proper and the Money arising by
such Sale to be Equally between my five Daughters —

That I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Gibbs

one Negroe Girl named Sebba to her and her heirs —

Safely Begotten of her Body & one Feather Bed & —

Furniture to make her equal with her married Sisters

That I give and Bequeath to son Zacharias Gibbs one Feather

Bed and Furniture to make him equal with his married

Brothers — That my will and Desire is that all the

Rest of my Estate both Real and personal shall be

Equally

Equally divided amongst all my children or there legal
 Representatives — I nominate and appoint my loving
 wife Mary Gibbs Executors and my three sons John Gibbs
 Francis Gibbs and Zacharias Gibbs Executors of mine my last
 will and Testament — hereby removing all other Wills
 heretofore by me made Declaring this only to be my last
 will and Testament and I do Order that my Estate shall
 not be appraised and that my Executors shall not give
 security In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and affixed my Seal this Fifth day of August one Thousand
 Six Hundred and Twenty Three
 Signed Sealed and Published
 as his last Will and Testament — Zacharias Gibbs L.S.
 In presence of us — — —

Richard Vernon William Deubrick

Anthony Deering, Mormon Ballard

as a Court Continued and held for Culpeper County on

Impresence of us - - - -

Richard Vernon, William Starbuck

Anthony Deering, Norman Ballard

as a Court continued and held for Culpers County on
Tuesday the sixteenth day of November 1773. —

This last will and Testament of Zacharias Gibbs deceased —
was exhibited to the Court by Mary Gibbs Executrix & John Gibbs
Francis Gibbs & Zacharias Gibbs the Executors therein named —
who made oath thereto and was proved by the Oaths of —
Richard Vernon and William Starbuck Witnesses thereto
and Ordered to be Recorded and on the Motion of the said
Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a —
Probate thereof in due form

Teste

John Garrison Clerk