

In the Name of God Amen.

I Judith Robinson of the County of Elizabeth City being of perfect and sound mind and memory calling to mind the uncertainty of this life, and knowing that this is aid and for all once to die, and being desirous to settle the Estate wherein it hath pleased God to bless me do make and confirm this to be my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made.

I ^{imprison} Give and devise to my Nephew John Cary the Land whereon I now live to have and to hold, to him and his heirs forever, he paying the sum of two hundred Pounds to my Executors hereafter mentioned, ~~and to be~~ which sum is to be part of my Estate ^{to be} ~~to be~~ in manner hereafter directed. I also give unto my Nephew John Cary my ^{clothing} ~~clothes~~ which stands in my largest Room.

I ^{Item} Give to my Sister Mary King One Negro Boy named Lawrence with my best Bed and furniture fifty Pounds in cash and all my Will out in my largest Room to her & her heirs forever.

I ^{Item} Give to my Niece Hannah King Twenty five Pounds in Cash to her & her heirs forever.

I ^{Item} Give unto Judith Armistead Daughter of my Nephew William Armistead One Negro Girl called Nancy to her and her heirs forever.

I ^{Item} My Will and desire is that my Mulatto Wench Sarah immediately after my decease shall have a House built on some part of my Land which is to be done by my Executors and paid by them out of my Estate and that the said Wench shall not be subject to serve any Person of my Nephew John Cary to give her sufficient Diet during her life, and that the said Wench shall have Liberty to raise Cattle of all kinds.

I ^{Item} Give to Anthony Robinson my three Negroes Tovey Gaby, Jammy, & Fale to him & his heirs forever.

I have My Will and desire that my Negroes not before mentioned
or bequeathed together with the Amount of my Personal Estate
after my Just Debts & funeral expenses are paid be divided
in the following manner Viz One half between my Sister
Carys Five Children to wit Rebecca Josen Eliza Watkins
Robert Cary and my Nephew James Armisteads Daughter
Anne to them & their heirs forever. The Other half I send
to my Brother Edward Armistead during life & after his
decease to be equally divided between his four Children
to wit William Anne Samuel & Rebecca Armistead
to them and their heirs forever and of either of the said Chil-
dren all without Issue that then the part of the deceased
be equally divided between the surviving Children

And I do hereby appoint my Brother Edward Armistead
my Stephen John and Robert my Executors of this
my last Will and Testament

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand
and affixed my seal this sixteenth day of March
anno Domini One Thousand Seven hundred
& sixty eight

Read and signed
in Presence of

✓ Augustine Moore
Claude Gausel

William mancey & Judith Robinson

At a Court held for Eliz City County the 27th day of
Jan'y 1769

This Will was presented into Court by John
& Robert Cary two of the Executors therein named who --
made oath according thereto & the same being proved by the
oath of Wm Many one of the Witnesses thereto was admitted
& on the Motion of the said Executors who entered into Bond
with Richard Cary their Security Conditions according
to Law Certificate is granted them for obtaining a
Probate thereof in due form & Edward Amistead the
other Executor named in the said Will personally appeared
in Court & relinquished all Pretensions to the Executor-
ship thereof & Robert Amistead the Heir at Law
also appeared in Court & declared he would not
contest the Validity of the same

Test Wm Nager Clerk