

In the Name of God Amen I Peter Sandefur do

Imprimis I desire that all my just Debt and Funerall
Expenses be first satisfied and paid.

Item my will and Desire is that my whole Estate be left
together by my wife and the Profits be applied towards
the Support of herself and all my Children & their
Education until my Son John shall arrive to the Age
of twenty one years And That then my said Wife take her
Dower in my Land and Slaves and that she also have the
Use of all my personal Estate during her life And my
Will further is that after my Wife's Dower in my Slaves is
set apart (which is to be done immediately upon my Son
John's arriving to the Age of twenty one years as aforesaid)
two young Negroes of the value of twenty Pounds each be
taken out of the other two thirds which said two Negroes I give
to my two younger Children and the Residue thereof be equally
divided amongst all my Children that shall be then alive.
Item My will and Desire further is that at the Death of
my Wife her Dower in my Slaves and the personal Estate
which she is a dispossessor of be then equally divided in
amongst my surviving Children and the Issue (if any) of
such as may happen to be dead at that Time.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Peter my Land
in Eliza City County adjoining the Land of my Brother
Robt Sandefur to him & his Heirs forever.

Item my will & Desire further is That if all my Children
shall happen to die without Issue in the Lifetime of
my wife in such Case I lend her my whole Estate during her
Life and give her one third Part of my Slaves to her besides
my will further is that Six of the choicest of the other two thirds
of my Slaves in Case all my Children shall die without
Issue as aforesaid be equally divided amongst my Brother James
Sandefur and my Cousins Representatives of Eliz^a Morris
& Gen^l Sandefur and Elizabeth Patrick and Mary Young
Daughters of my of my Brother James to them & their Heirs
respectively And my Desire is that the Slave which shall
fall to my Brother James is not may at his Death descend
to his Son John and his Heirs And the Residue of my whole
Estate (if the Contingencies shall should happen as aforesaid)
be equally divided betwixt my Brothers Joseph & Abraham
& their Heirs.

Now my devise is That my Wife have the Guardianship
of my two younger Children

Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my loving
Wife to be Executor and my Friends Richard Cary of Hindle Russell
Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby disannulling
and making void all former Will & Wills by me heretofore
made In Witness I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal
this seventh Day of March 1774.

Signed Sealed published by
declared to be the last Will
& Testament of the Testator
in Presence of
Sarah Russell

Peter Sandefur

Anne Reade

Margaret Hurst

May 11th 1775 Proved in Warwick County, March 13th

1777 ~~for~~ Richard Cary of Hindle Russell the surviving
Executors qualified thereto

Along

Richard Cary &c.

Tom
Cupid

Ray

Kate

Betty

Nancy

Grace

Hannah

Barnabas

Judy

John & 2 Children

Jimmy & Child

Ben

Ned

Peter Sandefur

Will

1774

of me: being said for Division
of a Negroes. in ac. & divided
Criminals and other intermarried
with remaining. make Peter
Cary.

Seton Sandefur & Peter have
3 Children John, Frank &
Peter the others died soon after
So Peter, John and Frank with