

Davis's Will

I Wm Davis of the County of Essex and parish of Southfarnham being
Nearly sick and Weak but in perfect senses And memory Do make this
my Last Will & testament in manner following Vizt I Send my beloved
Wife my Land and house hold and kitchen furniture and 2 Cows & Cal^v
and one yoke of steers

and after the Death of my Wife or marriage my Land to return to my Son
William Davis and after the Death or Marriage of my Wife Pate Davis
for all my Estate to Be return to my Estate and to be Equally Devided
Except the bed I lie on I Gave to my Daughter Jane Davis —

Item I gave my Son Ruben Davis one shilling I gave my Son
William one shilling {and the balance is to be Div^d —
between my Children

Eloze Beth Davis Godfrey Davis David Davis Rebecker Davis Mark
Davis Rose Davis Jane Davis Joel Davis

I Give the Cox and Wm Davis my hole and and Sole Executors

This is my Last Will and testament Whereof I set my hand
and feet my ^{mark} Wm. + Da^v Seal
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This first day of october 1783

Evan Davis
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At a Court held for Essex County at Tappahannock on the 15th day of December 1783. This last will and Testament of William Davis deceased was presented in Court by William Davis one of the Executors therein named who made oath thereto according to Law and being proved by the oath of the Witnesses thereto is ordered to be Recorded

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Hancock *[Signature]*

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In the Name of God Amen. I William Southorn of the County of Essex and Southfarnham Parish being very Sick and weak of Body, but of perfect and sound Sense and memory, calling the uncertainty of human Life to mind, have thought proper to make and Ordain this to be my last Will and Testament, Revoking and annulling all other Wills and Testaments heretofore made by me -

Infirmities I Recommend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God. Hoping for Salvation through the merits and intercession of our blessed