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In the name of God Amen I John Furley of Tins Parish in the County of Hampshire
rich and weak ^{of Body} but thanks be to God sound & perfect understanding and being willing
and desirous to settle my worldly affairs in such manner as may prevent disputes and
Contentions after my death to make and assign this to be my last Will & Testament in
manner and form following. First I give and bequeath my soul to God nothing
doubting but hoping through the Merits and Mediation of my saviour & redeemer to
have a Joyfull resurrection. And as to my worldly estate I give and dispose of the
same in the following manner.

I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Jane Furley one riding horse called Rose to &
for her own proper use & benefit for Ever.

I give and bequeath unto my said wife Jane the use benefit and Labour of the five
following Slaves namely Sue, Lucy, Ned, Monetta & Judith to her proper use & benefit for
& during her Natural life and after her decease to pass and go as is hereafter directed.

I likewise give unto my said wife Jane one half of my moveable estate to her proper
use benefit & disposal forever, and the use of the other half of my moveable estate during
her Natural life and after her death to pass and go as is hereafter directed.

I give and bequeath my horse called Cesar to Martha Furley the wife of my son Sampson
Furley to her use and behoof for Ever.

I give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Jane Furley the Daughter of Sampson &
Furley and Martha his wife a tract of Land lying on the dower side of Popes head run
in Tins Parish containing four hundred acres to her and the heirs of her body lawfully
begotten and in default of such heirs lawfully begotten my will is that the aforesaid four
hundred acres of Land be equally divided between my Grand Daughter Monetta &
Furley and my Grand daughter Martha Furley as equal in quantity & quality as
possible may be to them and the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten and in default
of such Heirs then to pass & go unto my Grandson John Furley him his heirs or assigns
for Ever.

I give and bequeath unto my Grandson Giles Furley my tract of Land lying upon
the South branch of the Broadrun of Potomack River near the mountain road to him
the said Giles and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten for Ever.

I give and Bequeath unto my Grandson John Furley one negro lad called Monetta
After the decease of his Grand mother my wife to him & his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Jane Furley one negro Girl named
Judith after the death of her Grand mother my wife as aforesaid to her the said &

Jane

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Jane and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten and in want of such heirs then to my Grandson John Turley him his heirs or assigns for Ever. And my will is that if my wife Jane Turley depart this life before that my Grandson John Turley and my Grand Daughter Jane Turley arrive to Age or Marry, that then my son Sampson Turley have the use & benefit of the said two negroes, that is to say the use of the negro Ladd Monaster given unto my Grandson John untill the said John shall arrive to the age of twenty one years or the day of his Marriage and no longer, and the use of the negro Girl Judith given unto my Grand Daughter Jane untill she arrive to the age of Eighteen years or her day of Marriage & no longer.

Whereas I have given my wife Jane one half of my moveable estate to her disposal & for her and the use of the other half only during her Natural life my will is that after my wifes death the one half that I have only given her the use of be to the use and benefit of my son Sampson Turley him his heirs or assigns for Ever.

I give and bequeath unto my son Sampson Turley after the decease of his mother my wife three Negroes namely Sue, Lucy & Ned that is to say the use of the three slaves during his Natural life and the life of his wife Martha and the longest lives of them, after whose death the said Negroes and their future increase are to be divided equally between Jane, John Meniella, Giles & Martha the sons and daughters of my son Sampson Turley and Martha his wife & to their heirs in Equal parts & Proportions.

The tract of Land I now live on containing four hundred fifty and three acres I give unto my wife Jane to be quietly held Occupied and Enjoyed during her Natural life & after her decease I give the said Land wth all & every its appurtenances to my son Sampson Turley during his Natural life and after his decease unto my Grandson John Turley and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten and in default of such heirs my will is that it go and descend to my Grandson Giles Turley to him his heirs or assigns forever.

I give unto my said son Sampson Turley my wades Diet Will upon popes head wth all the benefits arising or accruing therefrom for and during the Term of his Natural life and after his decease I give the same to John the son of Sampson Turley him his heirs or assigns forever under this restriction and proviso that so long as his mother my wife shall desire she shall have always liberty to give her gown at the said Will free from any Tole or charge for the same it being my will & desire it should be so.

I also give unto my son Sampson Turley all the estate right Title benefit or claim wth I now hold or may hold of and in one hundred and fifty acres of Land on Longmead run Leased from John Waugh to be by him the said Sampson Turley quietly held & Enjoyed according

according to the terms in the said leases mentioned & comprized

I give and bequeath unto my sister Elizabeth Simmonds the wife of Thomas Simmonds one thousand pounds of Tobacco after my just debts are paid to be paid the said Elizabeth at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named in such sort manner & form as may be most for her benefit and advantage.

Lastly I nominate constitute ordain & appoint my loving wife Jane Turley and my loving son Sampson Turley my whole & sole Executors of this my Last will & Testament working all others heretofore by me made. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & fixed my seal this sixth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty six

Signed Published & sealed

In the presence of

John Turley 

John Green, John West, W. Yeale

Paul Turley, Peter Turley

At a Court held for the County of Fairfax 16th November 1756.

This will was presented in Court by Jane Turley and Sampson Turley Executors herein named who made oath hereto and being also proved by the oaths of John West, William Yeale & Peter Turley three of the witnesses was admitted to record. And the said Executors having performed what the Law requires a Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

Teste
Wagoner Cl. Sec.

In Obedience to an Order of Court bearing date the 18th day of May 1756 the

undersigned have appraised the Estate of Joseph Deling dec^d viz^t L. 1. 0

1 bed bolster rug blanket & old sheet & bedstead cord and hide 5. . .

1 bed bedstead rug blanket & 1 sheet & bolster 1. 5. .

1 bed bedstead rug blanket sheet & bed cord 1. 15. .

2 old Chests & 1 small box . 5s. 2 Iron pots & hoops 7/6. 12. 6

1 Lable of flesh jerke, Iron Peelle, Suddren & frying pans, Iron pot ^{each} & hoops 1. 1. .

1 Box iron & A heaters 7/6. A old hees & Axes 2 old wedges & Iron Clavis 10s. 17. .

1 Sun. 20s. 1 washing Tub 2 pails & 1 pigger 6s. 1. 6. .

9 pieces Earthen ware 4s. A pieces stone ware 5s. 9. .

2 Tea pots, A Cups & saucers, 2 plates & 1/2 tea spoons 1. 1. .

7 Quart bottles 1/6 1 old salter & 1 Iron Candlestick 1s. 2. 6

A paid