

In the Name of God Amen I Peter Ford of the County of York in the State of Virginia being sick and weak but of perfect mind and memory and calling to mind and duly considering the uncertainty of human life do make this my last Will and Testament First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of my blessed maker trusting in his mercies and in the Merits of my Redeemer for the Remission of all my sins my body I commit to the Earth to be decently Interred at the Discretion of my Executors herein after mentioned as to my Temporal Estate I bequeath and Dispose of it in the following manner

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son James Ford the Plantation where he now lives to him and his heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Son Peter Ford to him and his heirs forever three hundred acres of Land on Matthews branch where he now lives.

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Item. I give and bequeath unto my son Daniel Ford to him and his heirs
forever the plantation where I now live being in the Manaking
town on the River, I give to my son Daniel one Negro boy Tom to
him and his heirs forever. I give to my son Daniel one feather bed
and furniture two Cows and Calves one Sow and Pigg.

Item. I give and bequeath to my two Daughters Judith and Mary Ford
to them and their heirs forever all the Remainder of my Movable
Estate to be Equally Divided between them both. If either of my
Daughters should Dy under the Age of Twenty one Year or not
Mary the Survivor shall heir her part of the Estate.

I do Appoint my son John Ford and Daniel Ford to be Executors of
this my last Will and Testament Dated Twentyninth day of April
Seventeen hundred and forty four.

Witness my hand and seal this

Seventeenth day of April 1744
James Dromms Young John Harris

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Signed in the presence of us
Amos Warr, Dominus Young, John Harris

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At a Court hold for Goodland County April 16 1745
This Writing was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses hereto to be
the last Will and Testament of Peter Ford Deceased and it was
thereupon admitted to Record.