

In the name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Hill of the County
of Halifax, and Parish of Antum, being of sound mind and Memory do make
this my last will and Testament, that is to say, first I direct, all my just
debts to be paid out of any part of my estate, so as not to injure any specific
Legacy. Item I give and bequeath to my son John Hill, his heirs and
assigns for ever my two Negroes Dicky and Roben, with their future increase
Item I give _____ to my son Thomas H. Wooding, his heirs and
assigns for ever my stage Waggon, and gear, my large China bowl
and my Glasp-cann. Item I give and bequeath, to my daughter Nancy
Proager, her heirs and assigns for ever my Negro Girl Milly, one feather
bed, and furniture, one Cotton Wheel, and my Velvet Hood. Item I
lend, to my daughter Elizabeth Kent and Peter H. Kent her husband,
during their joint or separate life the use occupation, possession
and profits, of my three Negroes to wit, Rose, Betty, and Frank, also
the use of the tract of land wherein I now live also my loom and
all the slays and Harrow thereto belonging, also one Cotton and a flax
Wheel; and at the death of the the said Elizabeth and Peter, I give and
bequeath, the said Negroes, with their future increase Also the land
whereon I now live; to all the children of her the said Elizabeth, to
whom and their heirs and assigns I give the same for ever. Item

lend, to my daughter Elizabeth Kent and Peter H Kent her husband,
during their joint or separate life the use occupation, possession
and profits, of my three Negroes to wit, Rose, Betty, and Frank, also
the use of the tract of Land whereon I now live also my loom and
all the slays and harness thereto belonging, also one Cotton and one flax
Wheat; and at the death of the the said Elizabeth and Peter, I give and
bequeath, the said Negroes, with their future increase Also the Land
whereon I now live; to all the Children of her the said Elizabeth, to
whom and their heirs and assigns I give the same forever. Item
I lend to my daughter ^{Halifax County Virginia Wills 1798-1804} ^{www.virginiapioneers.net} Frances Williamson, the use occupation posses-
sion and profits of my two Negroes, Fanny and Mary, with their future increase,
also my Walnut Table, one feather bed, and furniture, and Cotton and one
flax wheat, and at the death of her, the said Frances I give and bequeath,
the said Negroes, with their future increase, also my Walnut Table, my bed
and furniture, my cotton wheat, and flax wheat, to all the Children of
her the said Frances; but for want, of such Children, it is my will
that whatever is lent by this will to her the said Frances, with the future
increase of the said Fanny and Mary, be equally divided amongst all
the Children of my daughter Nancy Rogers and Elizabeth Kent, to
whom and their heirs and assigns I give the same forever. Item I

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give my grand daughter susanna Hill, my silver shoe buckles my silver
studs, and my large watch over, I give to my Grand son Robert
Wooding and my Grand daughter Sophiah Wooding my two feather beds
which is now in possession of their father John Wooding, I give
my Grand daughter Catharine Wooding one feather bed and furniture
It is also my will, that all my clothes, be equally divided amongst my
three daughters, Nancy, Elizabeth, and Frances, that all my stock,
and whatever else of my estate not mentioned in this Will, be equally
divided amongst my said three daughters and my Grand daughter Catha-
rine Wooding. Lastly I do hereby appoint, my son John Hill, and my son
in law Benjamin Proagers Executors of this will, hereby Revoking all other
Wills by me made, and declaring this to be my last will and testament In
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of December 1797

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signed and acknowledged

In presents of
John Wooding Senr?
James Taylor
Jas^r Thompson
Jos^r Tuck

Elizabeth Hill L. S.

signed and acknowledged - set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of December 1799

In presents of

John Wooding Senr

James Taylor

Ja^s Thompson

Thos Tuck

Elizabeth Hill L.S.

At a Court held for Halifax County the 28th day of October 1799

The within written last will and testament of Elizabeth Hill dec^d was exhibited in Court and proved by the oaths of three of the of the witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be recorded - And on the motion of Benjamin Roagen and John Hill the executor therein named who made oath as the law

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directs certificate is granted them for obtaining probat thereof in due form they giving security whereupon the said Benjamin Roagen and John Hill, with Daniel Early, Isaac Early, James Thompson and William Hounqurean their securities entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars conditioned according to law for that purpose.

Teste John Wimberly C.H.C.

Truly recorded

Teste

Benjamin Green D.C.H.C.