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Test George Carrington 696

Test W. Thompson, D. H. C.

I beg  
Anthony  
Will

In the name of God I Anthony Joly of Halifax County being weak of Body  
but in Perfect mind and Memory thanks be to god for the same I  
therefore make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in  
Manner and form following first paying my Just debts and fune-  
ral Expence I hereby give to my son Charles Joly one negro man  
named Parrot which he has in possession to him and his heirs  
I hereby give to my son William Joly the Plantation he now lives on it  
being the land I bought of Thomas Oviad with all the Stocks of every  
kind with all the Down hold goods then to Belonging to him and his  
heirs also I give to my son William Joly three negroes now in  
his possession named George Mary and Sue to him and his heirs  
I give to my Daughter Sarah Turner one negro Girl  
named Melly with all her Increase and after her decease

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the Equally divided among her children then I leave to my Daugh-  
ter Elizabeth Moore three Negroes which she has in her possession during  
her natural life and after her decease to be Equally divided among  
the children then I give to my Daughter Wilmuth Wall one  
Negro man named Phill to her and her heirs then I leave to my  
Daughter Elizabeth Molly one negro man named Jernus and  
the said Elizabeth Molly should die without issue then the  
said Jernus to be turned over to Charles Irby and his heirs then  
I give to my Grand daughter Nancy Irby Daughter of Harrison Irby  
one negro girl named Fanny and her Increase to the said Nancy and  
her heirs then I give to my Grand Daughter Wilmuth Irby Daugh-  
ter of Harrison Irby one negro girl named Dey and her Increase  
to her and her heirs then I give to my Daughter Ann Irby two  
Negroes named Ben and Jernus to her and her heirs then I give  
to my Daughter Leahy Irby two negroes named Will & Ditsy to her and  
her heirs then I leave to my wife Catharine Irby during her natural

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in mine then I leave to my wife Catherine Irby during her natural  
life three Negroes named Lucy and Sam and Moses and after her death  
the said Moses I give to Anthony Irby Moore son of Hubert Moore  
the three negroes that Floc more has in possession is named Orange  
and Minor and Salamee then I leave to my wife Catherine Irby and  
my two Daughters Ann Irby and Catey Irby during their single  
lives the plantation I now live on including six hundred acres of land  
and all stocks of every kind and all my household goods whatever  
and after the single lives of my wife and two Daughters Ann Irby  
and Catey Irby then I give to my Grand son William Irby son of  
Harrison Irby the six hundred acres of land I now live on to him  
and his heirs also after the single life of my wife and two Daughters  
Ann Irby and Catey Irby which shall first happen then the  
two negroes Lucy and Sam with the stock of every kind and  
all my household goods to be equally divided between my  
three Daughters Ann Irby Catey Irby and Sarah Turner to  
them and their heirs and I do desire that my Estate shall  
be kept together every year to make a crop to pay my debts  
with

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here Directed and I do leave William Iby and Charles Iby and Mary  
Iby my Executors of this my last will and Testament and I do revoke  
and make void all other former wills here before by me at any time  
made but I acknowledge this to be my last will and Testament  
Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
this the 22 Day of October 1797  
Signed sealed and declared in Witness  
Anthony Iby

Peter Crowder  
his  
William T Jones

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mark  
Edmund Lovington

A report held for Halifax County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of February 1798  
The last will and Testament of Anthony Iby was Exhibited  
in Court and it appearing by the Testimony of Messrs James  
Merritts and John Clark that the same was written & signed  
by the said Iby and was ordered to be Recorded Upon the motion of  
William Iby one of the Executors in said will

in Court and it appearing by the Testimony of <sup>Mr</sup> J. J. James  
M. Andrews and John Clark that the same was written & signed  
by the said J. J. and was ordered to be Recorded & on the motion of  
William J. J. one of the Executors in said will <sup>was heard</sup> certificate for obtaining  
probate of said Will is granted him in & due form he giving  
Security whereupon he together with Benjamin Hall Abner  
McDonson and John Roy all his Securities Entered in to and  
acknowledged Bond in the penalty of \$20.00 of conditions  
according to Law <sup>Halifax County, Virginia Wills 1792-1797</sup> <sup>www.virginiapioneers.net</sup> for the other Executors  
to join in the probate when they shall see cause.

Teste

J. Carrington

Ed. Truly Pursuant

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Wm. Thompson H. H. C.