

I will my two young ones and Gun of Side of Joseph Withison, Two Feather Beds, Two Blankets, One pair of Curtains and Valains a Dressing table with  
Saphire Two Iron Pots & Hooks, One large, One small, a Brass Kettle I had of Thomas Edwards the Coach standing in the Hall and the Two Tables standing there  
Six Leather Chairs Half my Stock of Cattle Sheep and Hogs, On Condition my Son Peter Live to be Twenty One years old, but if he die before he arrive to that  
Age then I give the said Two Negroes and all the Things aforementioned to be equally divided between my Two Daughters Mary and Martha and their  
Heirs for ever.

Item I give unto my Daughter Mary a high Leather Frank marked M.I. and Six Silver Spoons, Six Leather Chairs.

Item I give unto my Daughter Martha a Bedstead and a Dressing table and Six Silver Spoons and her Mothers wearing cloaths, high Silver Rodin and a Chamber  
Leather Chair.

Item I will and direct that my One half Part of Gilbert Mill the Land I lately bought of George Carter the Land mortgaged by Gridle and all the remaining  
Part of my Estate except my Two Negroes Jenny & Nanny be sold by Mat. W. Kenner & Henry W. D. and that Ten Pounds of the Money after my just  
Debts are first paid and discharged be given unto my Daughter Judith Farrar and the remaining Part be equally divided between my Two Daughters  
Mary and Martha. Item I give unto my Daughter Judith Farrar my black Walnut safe & Eldon Tumbler and Three silver Spoons.

Item I give unto my Daughter Martha and to her Heirs for ever my Negro Girl Nanny, I also will that the Salary of my Negro Woman Jenny shall  
be towards the maintaining my said Daughter and that when my said Daughter shall be sixteen years old I will and devise my said Negro Jenny  
and her increase to be equally divided between my Daughters Mary and Martha and their Heirs for ever.

Item I devise my Sister Martha Wier to take care of my Daughter Martha and I devise Cap: Henry K. Dolph to take care of my Daughter Mary.  
Item my Will is that if my Daughter Mary or Martha die before they are of Age or married that then the several Legacies hereby bequeathed be as  
remain to the Executors of them and if both die then that every Thing given them in this Will be equally divided between my Son Peter & my Daughters  
Judith Farrar and their Heirs.

Item my Will is that if my Son Peter or his Heirs shall recover the Money I received for those Negroes that were barged that the same be equally paid out  
of what I have here given my Son Peter and Two Daughters Mary and Martha.

Item I constitute & appoint my Son Peter Executor of this my last Will Witness my hand and Seal the 15<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1725.

Declared, read, published and declared  
to be his last Will and Testament, being  
first interlined in Presence of us

Benj: Branch  
Henry Meddy

At a Court held for Warrick County the Dates  
Monday on April 17<sup>th</sup> 1725

Peter Jefferson presented this Will upon Oath and the same being proved by the Oaths  
of the Witnesses thereto it was thereupon admitted to Record.

Peter Jefferson Seal

Test. Bachelor John Coker

In the Name of God Amen. the 9<sup>th</sup> Day of Feb Anno Domini 1731

I Thomas Merton of the County of Warrick being very sick and weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given unto God therefore  
will in unto mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die to make and ordain this my last Will and Testament  
that is to say first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the Hand of God that give it and for my Body I recommend it to be buried  
to be buried in a Christian like Manner at the Discretion of my Executor without Doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again  
by the mighty Power of God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give, devise and dispose of the same  
in the following Manner and Form.

Imprimis I give unto my eldest Son Richard Merton two Hundred and twenty Acres of Land of the Plantation which he now dwells upon Item I give  
unto my Son Thomas two Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land lying upon the North side of a part of such River in Prince George County Item I give unto  
my Son John two Hundred Acres of Land lying to Thomas Merton's Land & William's Line Item I give unto my eldest Daughter Ann

Fifty Acres of Land joining upon her Brother John from I give unto my Daughter Judith One Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land joining upon her Sister Anne from I give unto my Son Richard two Coves & Coves and a Young Mare at 12 years of age from I give unto my Nephew Thomas two Coves and Coves and a Young Mare from I give unto my Sister Ann two Coves and Coves from I give unto my Sister Judith two Coves and Coves from I give to my dear and well beloved Wife Elizabeth whom I likewise constitute make and Ordain my only and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament all the Remainder Part of my Goods both moveables and Immoveables by her to be freely disposed and enjoyed keeping her and conforming this to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the Day and Year above written Signed Sealed and published and declared by the said Thomas Morton as his last Will and Testament in Presence of us the Subscribers

Thomas Morton  
Witnes  
Seal

for All friend  
Richard Truman  
Robert Speare

At a Court held for the County of Henrico the First  
Monday in April 1731

Elizabeth Morton presented this Will upon Oath & the same being proved by the Oaths of Richard Truman Junr and Robert Speare two of the Witnesses thereto the same was thereupon admitted to Record.

T. B. B. B.

In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Hardin of Henrico County being very sick and weak of Body but in perfect & sound Memory praise be to God & knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in Manner & Form follows Principally & first of all I Bequeath myself into the Hand of God who gave it & my Body to the Earth to be buried after a decent & Christian like Manner at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned, nothing doubting to be saved thro' the Merits of my Saviour & as for such worldly Goods which it hath pleased God to bestow upon me in this Life I dispose of it in Manner & Form following.

Item I give & Bequeath unto my well beloved Son William Hardin all my Land in Henrico that lies below the Branch called Hardings Branch by Computation One Hundred and Forty Acres be it more or less the aforesaid Land to my son William & his Heirs for ever the said Land binding on Little Sachahoe Creek.

Item I give & Bequeath unto my well beloved Son Thomas Hardin my Plantation whereon I now dwell with all my Land that is between Hardings Branch & Drinking Hole Branch with all my Land in Gorchland County that lies between Holland Line & the main Road all the said Land to my son Thomas & his Heirs for ever.

Item I give & Bequeath unto my well beloved Daughter Mary Thomas all the Land that I have binding on Drinking Hole on the upper side & binding on the main Road on the upper side of the Creek by Computation sixty Acres be it more or less the said Land to my Daughter Mary & her Heirs for ever, as also I Bequeath to my Daughter Mary One Heifer big with calf with all that Part of my Estate which she has in Possession at this Time the said Portion to be her Part of my Estate.

Item I do constitute and ordain my loving Wife Mary Hardin whole & sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament Declaring this & none other to my last Will & Testament revoking all other that may have been by me formerly made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal this Fourth Day of March Annoque Domini 1729.

Thomas Hardin

Renounced signed & sealed  
in Presence of  
of March of  
Nicholas Cox  
Jnr. Borer

At a Court held for Henrico County the First Monday  
in April 1731

Mary Hardin presented this Will upon Oath and the same being proved by the Oath of Nicholas Cox One of the Witnesses thereto it was thereupon admitted to Record.

T. B. B. B.