

John Spear, In the name of God amen, I John Spear of
the parish and County of Henrico being in my
perfect senses and of sound memory do constitute
appoint and ordain this my last Will & Testament
in manner and form as followeth. First it is
my will that all my just debts be paid. Item
I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Patsy
Spear one feather Bed and Furniture one small
wardrobe one Colt and a side saddle and two
negroes named Venus and Roll, with their
increase to her and her heirs forever. I also
give to my said wife two negro boys Elick and
Henny. Dursin her son is my Will
and some that the

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after my first will and testament. Charles Carter, John
appoint Julius Allen, George Hammond and
William Carter Executors to this my last will
and Testament. Witnesses my hand and seal
this 25th day of February 1787

Teste

Anne Hammond

Rebecca Winston

Cathy Williams

John A. Spear

At a Court held for Henrico County at the Courthouse
on Monday the third of September 1787
This last will and Testament of John Spear dec^d
the Parties Anne Hammond and Cathy Williams

This last Will and Testament of John
was proved by the Oaths & Anne Horwood and one
two of the Witnesses thereto and Came to be Recorded
on the motion of George Horwood and William Carter
two of the Executors therein named who made Oaths
thereto, and together with Robert Spear and William
Harrison their securities entered into and acknowledged
their Bond in the sum of one thousand pounds
with Bond in the sum of one thousand pounds
and in and for the said
Executor named in the said
shall think fit
them by