

In the Name of God. I James Godwin
of the Island of Wight County, being very sick and weak,
but in my perfect Sense and Memory do Ordain this
my last Will and Testament as followeth.

I Give unto my son Joseph Godwin my Negro Man
Danie... four Pewter Plates, two Dishes, two Leather
Chairs, one Saw, my new Coat, and Brushes and the Chest
they are in. I Give unto my dear and loving Wife, all the

Land I hold during her Widowhood, and after her Marriage or
Death, to my son James Godwin to him and his heirs forever
My Will and Desire is, that my Great Table and
Looking Glass should remain in the House, for my son
James Godwin. I Likewise Give unto my son James Godwin
four Pewter Plates, two Dishes, and two white Chairs.

I Give unto my Daughter Martha Godwin, my Negro
Girl Doll, three Silver Spoons, one Silver Strainer, four
Pewter Plates and two Dishes I Give unto my Daughter
Martha Godwin two Leather Chairs, and my Great Ring

I Give unto my dear and loving Wife, the Use of all the
Rest of my Estate both real and Personall, after all my
just Debts is paid, during her natural Life, and after
her Decease to my Daughter Martha Godwin.

And I do Ordain my dear and loving Wife Elizabeth
Godwin, and my Brother Samuel Godwin to be my
Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness
whereof I have set my Hand and Seal this first Day of
October 1750

Sealed, Signed in the
Presence of us }

Thos. Willis, James Pitt }

James Godwin

At a Court held for Island of Wight County Feb: 17: 1750
The last Will and Testament of James Godwin dec'd was
presented in Court by Elizabeth Godwin & Samuel Godwin
the Ex: therein named, who made Oath thereto, and being
proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses thereof is Ordered to be Recorded

Jud. Jas. Parker Clerk