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In the Name of God Amen. I Robert Edwards Being of County
of Isle of Wight and the Parish of Newport Being weak yet in perfect
senses call to mind that there is an appointed time and that all men once
must die do make this my last Will and Testament as followeth premises
Viz. I give and Bequeath unto my Son Robert Edwards my man
my Plantation whereon I now live constituting all the Land I possess
Being Eighty two Acres more or less to him and his Heirs for ever.
Item I bind to my ^{Wife} ~~Wife~~ ^{and two Cows} ~~and two Cows~~ ^{Two feather Beds}
and Furniture and all my house Furniture and after her Decease
I give the said Two Cows and Calfs and House Furniture and two Beds
and Furniture to the said Robert Edwards to him and His Heirs for ever
Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Hardy Edwards Twenty Pounds
Bond In John Patterson hands to him and his Heirs forever Item I give and
Bequeath unto my son John Edwards twenty Pounds to him and his Heirs
for ever. Item I give unto my son Samuel Edwards fifteen Pounds to him
and his Heirs forever. Item I give and Bequeath unto my son four Daughters
to be Equally Divided Amongst them all

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and his heirs for ever. Item I give and Bequeath unto my four Daughters
all the remainder of my Estate to be Equally Divided Amongst them all
Lydia Sally Sapphire and Permelia Edwards to them and their Heirs
for ever. And I do hereby Appoint David Edwards Executor of this my last
Will and Testament whereon I have hereunto set my hand and fix my
seal this twenty first Day of August One Thousand Seven hundred and
Ninety Eight -

signed and sealed in
the presence of

Robert X Edwards Seal

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Joseph Moody
John Goodrich
William Edwards

At a Court held for Isle of Wight County the 1st Day
of February 1799. This Will was presented & sworn
by David Edwards Executor therein named who made

~~and the following to be as the same being proved to be the last~~
Joseph Moody John Goodrich and William Edwards the Witnesses to
said Will be recorded.