

I have given to my son James Ball my Silver Cup & was
given me by my Husband:—

I have made and Ordain my two Sons William Ball and
Richard Ball & Executors of this my last will and Testament
in Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
Seals this 6th day of Feb: 1697:

The Words halfe of W. Intermed. before signed

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of
of us:

Edward
Gmarch of
Mary & Son

Gmarch of
Margaret M. Ball

At a Court held for Lancaster County
the 9th of Feb: 1709 att: by the Court of the
George Ball this will was admitted
to be true and is Recorded

J. Taylor

9th Feb: 1709

It - I give to my Son James Ball my Silver Cup & was
given me by my Husband;

It - I do make and Ordain my two Sons William Ball and
Richard Ball & Executors of this my last will and Testament
in Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
Seals this 6th day of Feb: 1697:

The Words halfe of 3rd Interim before signed
Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence
of us:

Edward
Gmarch of
Mary & George

Gmarch of
Margaret M. Ball

At a Court held at the County of Lancaster
the 14th of Feb: 1697 at the Court
George Ball the wife was admitted
to the same in the Court

Edward

9th Oct 1699

In the Name of god Amen I Margrett Bate of the
County of Lancaster in Virginia Widow being sick &
weak in Body but of sound & perfect Memory
praised be the Almighty god; for y^e Land & Considering
the frailty of this Life being but a Vapour; doe
make this my Last will & Testament in Manner
and form following hereby Revoking all former
Wills formerly by me made.

I bequeath my soules to God y^e good will
& committing my Body to y^e Earth to be Buried in
Decent Ord: att y^e Discretion of my exors: hereaft:
named in hope & trust Confident that I shall have A
joyfull Resurrection att the last day Through y^e Merits
of my Most dear & precious Redemr y^e Lord Jesus -
Christ.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son William Bate & his heirs for
ever one Negro Woman named Mary & her full
Incees for ever.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son Richard Bate & his heirs for
ever one Negro Man named Samboe.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son James Bate & his heirs for
ever one Negro Man named Tom.

J^m: I give to my Loving Daughter Margrett Bate
much Money as will buy her A Negro Woman -
to her & her heirs for ever.

J^m: I give to my two SONS Joseph & George Bate and
their heirs for ever all my Rits & Lits of y^e Town
of Land situate in Richmond County att y^e head of
Poplar Creek as is Express in my Deedd husband
the Wite to my two SONS Joseph and George Bate.

J^m: I give to my Loving Sister Mary Rafter and stuff
Gown & petticoat and Shift and Red worsted Stockings and
pa^r of Shooes.

J^m: It is my Will and pleasure y^e my Loving Daughter
Margrett Bate have all my Warding Case Dis: Sil: stuff
Linen and Red except what I have already bequeathed
and given by word of Mouth.

J^m: I give to my Daughter Margrett Bate one Silver Tankard
which was given me by my husband.

weakened in Body but of sound & perfect Memory -
praised be the Almighty God; for y^e Land & Considering
the frailty of this Life being but a Vapour; doe -
make this my Last will & Testament in Manner
and form following hereby Revoking all former
Wills formerly by me made.
I give and bequeath my soules to God & gaud it me
& committing my Body to y^e Earth to be Buried in
Decent Ord: at y^e Discretion of my exors: hereaft^r
named in hope & full confidence that I shall have a
joyfull Resurrection at the last day through y^e Merits
of my Most dear & precious Redeemer y^e Lord Jesus -
Christ.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son William Ball & his heirs for
Ever one Negro Woman named Mary & her father -
Incees for Ever.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son Richard Ball & his heirs for
Ever one Negro Man named Samboe.

J^m: I give to my Loving Son James Ball & his heirs for
Ever one Negro Man named Tom.

J^m: I give to my Loving Daughter Margrett Ball one
Much Money as will buy her a Negro Woman -
to her & her heirs for Ever.

J^m: I give to my two Sons Joseph & George Ball and
their heirs for Ever all my Rits & Lits of y^e Town
of Land situated in Richmond County a y^e head of
populoe as is Express in my Deed to my husband
his Will to my two Sons Joseph and George Ball.

J^m: I give to my Loving Sister Mary Risher and stuff
Gown & Petticoat and Shift and Red Worsted Stockings and
pair of Shooes.

J^m: It is my Will and pleasure y^e my Loving Daughter
Margrett Ball have all my Warding Case viz: Silk Stuff
Linen and Lace except what I have already bequeathed
and given by word of Mouth.

J^m: I give to my Daughter Margrett Ball one Silver Tankard
which was given me by my husband.

J^m: It is my Will and pleasure y^e my Sons William Richard & James Ball purchase out
of y^e proceeds of y^e Estate of y^e Above Negroes given to my sons and Negro
Apoy for my Son Joseph George David James Ball to my heirs for Ever
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