

Norfolk County At a Court held the 29th day of May 1747. The last Will & Testament of William Breddle was this day further proved by the Oath of John Mansford and the Executor therein named having taken the Oath and given Bond and security according to Law Probate is granted him on the said Will. Testam: Bond Dep: 28

In the name of God Amen I Cornelius Calverh of Norfolk County Merchant, being in good health of Body and sensible in Mind, but knowing the uncertainty of Death, do now make this my last Will & Testament in Manner and form following. I promise I give and bequeath my immortal Soul to God in hopes of its eternal Happiness through the merits of Jesus Christ, my Body to be decently buried, and my temporal Estate as followeth. — — — — —
I give and bequeath amongst all my Children & their heirs for ever, as much Land as will make an Alley from the Front Street into the back Street. The said Alley to begin at the South East Corner of my Store House on the Front Street and to Run from thence, on a straight Line to the South East Corner of my Kitchen

And from along the side of the said Hitching and my garden
Pile, into the back track, which Alley is now measured and
laid out, being six foot wide and Two hundred & thirty four foot
long on these abouts — — — — —

Item I give and bequeath to Mary my wife the free use & occupation
of my dwelling house (at the upper end of Norfolk Borough, &
near to the public Landing) with the Hitching, Store house
Smoke house, Pan house and new Shade joining to my dwell-
ing house and all the land belonging to it (according to the
several bounds and distanced hereafter mentioned) during
her life and after her decease I give and bequeath the said
and Buildings (except my new Shade) to my Son Cornelius & his
heir for ever. But if he die without heir I give the said land &
Buildings (except the new Shade) to my Son William & his heir
for ever. Item I give and bequeath to Mary my wife, the free
use and Occupation of my three Negro Women, Parthena, Lucy
and Bess and of my two Negro Men Jeffery and Quamano, during
her life and after her decease I give and bequeath the said —
Parthena and Lucy and their Increase after the date hereof
to be equally divided amongst — — — — —

Carthana and Lucy and their Increase after the date hereof
to be equally divided amongst my three sons Christopher -
John and Samuel and their heirs for ever and the said Rose -
with all her Increase after the date hereof to my son William
and his heirs for ever and the said Jeffery to my Daughter Mary
and her heirs for ever and the said Annamoro to my Daughter
Elizabeth and her heirs for ever. And if either of my Daughters
die without heir I give and bequeath all her Estate to my
surviving Daughter and her heirs for ever -
I then I give and bequeath to my son Christopher this heirs for
ever my Negro Girl Janny and all her Increase to be delivered
to him at his age of twenty one year -
I then I give and bequeath to my son John and his heirs for ever
my Negro Girl Madge and all her Increase, to be delivered to him
at his age of twenty one year. I then I give and bequeath to
my Daughter Mary and her heirs for ever, my Negro Girl Cherry
and all her Increase to be delivered to her on her day of Mar-
riage or when she is eighteen years old. I then I give and
bequeath to my son Samuel and his heirs for ever, my Negro Girl
Phillie and all her Increase, to be delivered to him at his age of

Elizabeth and her heirs for ever. And if either of my Daughters
die without heir I give and bequeath all her Estate to my
surviving Daughter and her heirs for ever —
I give and bequeath to my son Christopher & his heirs for
ever my Negro Girl Fanny and all her Increase to be delivered
to him at his age of Twenty one year —
I give and bequeath to my son John and his heirs for ever
my Negro Girl Midge and all her Increase, to be delivered to him
at his age of Twenty one year. I give and bequeath to
my Daughter Mary and her heirs for ever, my Negro Girl Cherry
and all her Increase to be delivered to her on her day of Mar-
riage or when she is Eighteen years old. I give and
bequeath to my son Samuel and his heirs for ever, my Negro Girl
Phillis and all her Increase, to be delivered to him at his age of
Twenty one year. I give and bequeath to my Daughter
Elizabeth and her heirs for ever, my Negro Girl Nancy & all her
Increase to be delivered to her on her day of Marriage, or when she
is Eighteen years old. I give and bequeath to Mary my wife
the free use and Occupation of one Dozen of Leather Chairs,

One feather bed, one large looking glass, a large Walnut
Table, a Chest of Drawers, twelve silver spoons and two feather
Beds with furniture to them during her life & after decease I give
and bequeath the said things to be equally divided between my
Daughters Mary and Elizabeth and their heirs for ever. —
I then I give and bequeath to Mary my wife and her heirs for ever
all the remainder of my household Furniture, a Bed, Bedding
Table, Chair, Pewter, Brass, Iron &c: both in my dwelling house
and Kitching and also my Sloop with all her appurtenances
I then I give and bequeath to my Daughters Mary & Elizabeth
the free use and Occupation of my new shade joining to my
dwelling house till the day their Marriage and after that I give
the said shade to my Son Cornelius and his heirs for ever. But if
he died without heir I give the said shade to my Son William and
his heirs for ever. I then I give and bequeath to my son Maximilian
and his heirs for ever my Brick dwelling house with the Kitching, Store-
house, Smoke house, Hen house and all the Land belonging to it
according to the several Courses and Distances hereafter mentioned
I then I give and bequeath to my Son Cornelius and his heirs for ever
a small piece of Land and my Wharfe in the River of the City of New York

Item I give and bequeath to my son Cornelius and his heirs for ever
a small piece of Land and my Wharf joining to it (lying between
the Frank street and my son Thomas's Land) to be delivered to him
after my Wife's Decease. But if he die without heir I give the said
Land and Wharf to my son William and his heirs for ever.

~~Item I give and bequeath to my son Thomas and his heirs for ever a
piece of Land at the upper end of the York Borough, according to the
several bounds and distances hereafter mentioned, with the
stone houses on the same, the said Land (except that whereon the stone
houses stand) to be delivered to him when Twenty and year old;
and the said stone houses with the Land whereon they stand, to be
delivered to him after my Wife's Decease. But if he die without
heir, I give the said Land and stone houses to my son Christopher and
his heirs for ever. Item I give and bequeath to my son Saunders
and his heirs for ever a piece of Land on the back street, according
to the several bounds and distances hereafter mentioned, to be
delivered to him, with a new stone house now thereon, after my
Wife's Decease. But if he die without heir I give the said Land and
stone house to my son John and his heirs for ever.~~
Item I give and bequeath to my son Joseph and his heirs for ever
a piece of Land at the back of the

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several bounds and distances hereafter mentioned, with the
stone house on the same, the said Land (except that whereon the stone
house stands) to be delivered to him when Twenty and year old;
and the said stone house with the Land whereon they stand, to be
delivered to him after my Wife's Decease. But if he die without
him, I give the said Land and stone house to my son Christopher &
his heirs for ever. Item I give and bequeath to my son Saunders
and his heirs for ever a Piece of Land on the back Street, according
to the several bounds and distances hereafter mentioned, to be
delivered to him, with a new stone house now thereon, after my
wife's Decease. But if he die without him, I give the said Land and
stone house to my son John and his heirs for ever — — —
Item I give and bequeath to my son Joseph and his heirs for ever
a Piece of Land on the back Street, according to the several bounds
and distances hereafter mentioned, with a new Kitchen thereon
to be delivered to him at Twenty and year of age. But if he die
without him, I give the said Land & Kitchen to my son Sam
and his heirs for ever — — —

204 I give and bequeath to my son Maximilian, Book
Stationer; to my son Cornelius, the Author of the Bible, to my
son Thomas the Worker of the Author of the whole Duty of Man
and to my wife all the rest of my Book, to them and their heirs
for ever. Item I give to my Grand Daughter Mary Calvert and
her heirs for ever five pounds. Item I give to my Brother Joseph
Daughter Mary Calvert and her heirs for ever, five pounds.
Item I give and bequeath to Mary my wife and her heirs for ever
the one half of all my back and the other half I give to be equally
divided amongst my six youngest Children, William, Christ
John, Mary, Samuel and Elizabeth to them and their heirs for
Ever. And the back left with my wife, by my son Jonathan
deed (being about ten pounds) I give to her & her heirs for ever.
Item the several bound and distanced of my land now for
shows which I have given and divided amongst my five Eldest
Sons, Maximilian, Cornelius, Thomas, Samuel & Joseph
before mentioned. The Bounds of Maximilian's Land Be-
gins at a stone on the South East side of the Front street (which
stone lies on the dividing line between Cap. John Hutchings's
Land and the Land of the City of New York)

Stone (lie on the dividing line between Cap: John Hutchings's
Land and mine) Running from thence South Easterly 38 Degrees
or there abouts 150 foot to another stone, from thence South
Easterly 45 degrees 74 foot to another stone, from thence South
Westerly 44 degrees 102 foot to another stone, from thence South
Easterly 45 degrees 12 foot to another stone, from thence South
Westerly 40 degrees 47 foot to another stone on the South East
side of the Front Street and from thence along the side of the
said Street South Westerly 45 degrees 79 foot to the first Station.
The Bounds of Cornelius's Land; Begin at a stone on the
South East side of the Front Street (which stone is 79 foot on
the said Street from Cap: John Hutchings's Lot where he now
lives) Running from thence South Easterly 40 degrees 47 foot
to another stone, from thence South Westerly 45 degrees 12 foot
to another stone, from thence South Easterly 44 degrees 102 foot to a
another stone, from thence South Easterly 45 degrees 83 foot to another
Stone; from thence South Westerly along the side of the Alley 99 foot
to the South East Corner of my Kitchen, from thence South
Westerly 57 degrees 54 foot to another Stone at the South East
Corner of my Stone house on the Front Street and from thence
along the side of the Alley 154 foot to the first Station.

Westerly 40 degrees 47 foot to another stone, from thence South
side of the Frank street and from thence along the side of the
said street South Westerly 45 degrees 79 foot to the first Station
The Bounds of Cornelius's Land, Begin at a stone on the
South East side of the Frank street (which stone is 79 foot on
the said street from Cap: John Hutchinson's Lot where he now
lives) Running from thence South Easterly 40 degrees 47 foot
to another stone, from thence South Westerly 45 degrees 12 foot
another stone, from thence South Easterly 44 degrees 102 foot to a
another stone, from thence South Easterly 45 degrees 83 foot to an
Stone, from thence South Westerly along the side of the Alley 99 foot
to the South East Corner of my Kitchen; from thence South
Westerly 57 degrees 54 foot to another Stone at the South East
Corner of my Stone house on the Frank street and from thence
along the said street North Westerly 45 degrees 57 foot to the first
Station. The Bounds of Thomas's Land, Begin at a stone on
the South West side of the Back street and at the South East
Corner of the Alley, running from thence along the said street
South Easterly 45 degrees 110 foot to Dunn in the Mire Creek

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which is called by the Indians, from thence along the side of the said
back 202 feet to another stone, from thence South West by 45 de-
grees 37 feet to another Stone near my Oven, from thence South
East by 37 degrees 10 feet to the South West corner of the Store house
and from thence along the Alley side 130 feet to the first Station in
The Bounds of Saunders's Land, Begin at a Stone on the back street
at the South West corner of the Alley and run from thence along
the side of the said Alley 81 feet to another stone; from thence South
West by 45 degrees 83 feet to another stone, from thence South
West by 44 degrees 81 feet to another stone on the Back street & from
thence along the said Street 81 feet to the first Station in
The Bounds of Joseph's Land Begin at a Stone on the Back street
aiming to Cap. John Hutchings's Land and stable brand from thence
by the side of the said Hutchings's Land and stable brand from thence
thereabouts, 81 feet to another stone; from thence South West by 38 degrees or
45 degrees 74 feet to another stone; from thence South East by
14 degrees 81 feet to another stone; from thence South East by
thence along the side of the said Street, South West by 45 degrees
7 feet to the first Station. All which course and distance are
now mentioned in a Plan, done by my self and in a Strand
lying in my hands —

now mentioned in a Plan, done by my self and in a Bond
hanging in my hand —
I give and bequeath my Load Stone to my Son Maximilian, for
him and all his Brothers and their heirs for ever And for the true
Performance of this my last Will and Testament I do appoint &
constitute for my Executors, God: Samuel Bouch of the aforesaid
Borough Merchant; M: Samuel Bouch of Kinross our common
Gentleman and my wife Mary. And in Testimony, that all
before mentioned, I my sincere Will and Desire I have now by
this Witnessed, with my hand and Seal this Twentieth Ninth day of
May in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred & forty six

signed, sealed & delivered
in the presence of...

Nicholas Wargessett
Edward Archer
Hannah Eady

Cornelius Calverhal

Norfolk County at a Court held the 18th day of June 1747
The last Will and Testament of Cap: Cornelius Calverhal
was this day proved by the Oaths of M: Nicholas Wargessett and
Hannah Eady and Mary his wife and of the 2^d Theresia

Worrough Merchant; M^r. Samuel Bond of Kinross Ann Bond
Gentleman and my wife Mary. And in Testimony, that all
before mentioned, in my sincere Will and Desire I have now be-
fore Witnessed, set my hand and Seal this Twenty Ninth day of
May in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred & forty six,

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Cornelius Calvert Seal

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The last Will and Testament of Cap^t. Cornelius Calvert deceased
was this day proved by the Oaths of M^r. Nicholas Warrigott and
Hannah Eady and Mary his wife one of the Ex^{rs}. therein named
(the other two having refused the Burthen thereof having)
taken the Oath and given Bond and Security according to
Law. Probate is granted her on the said Will

Jas. Sam^l Bond