

Jed. Sam. Butt L^{td}

In the name of God Amen I Richard Butt of Norfolk -
County being sick and weak of Body but of perfect sound
Senses and memory do make this my last Will & Testa-
ment as followeth. Viz:...

First I give and bequeath to my ^{well} beloved son Joseph Butt -
Doplar Ridge begin at a branch between my two plantations
so running to marked perimmon tree and from thence an East
Course to Hobbs Line to him and his heirs for ever only
reserving the use of the said plantation to my son Samuel
Butt his natural life,

Then I give and bequeath to my well beloved son Thoinas Butt my
Share of plantation and all the Remainer part of my on give in
Land to him and his heirs for ever.

Then I give and bequeath to well beloved wife Frances Butt the use
of my Negro Man Toby during her natural life and after the
Death of my wife I give the said Negro Toby to my son Tho: Butt
to him and his heirs for ever.

Then I give to my well beloved Daughter Frances Butt my Negro
boy called Jack and Chest of Drawers and Bed and furniture belong-

of my Negro Man Toby during her natural life and after the
Death of my wife I give the said Negro Toby to my Son Tho: Butt
to him and his heirs for ever —

Then I give to my well beloved Daughter Frances Butt my Negro
Boy called Jack and Chest of Drawers and Bed and furniture belong-
ing to it the Bed that belong to the outward Room to her & her
heirs for ever — — —

Then I give to my three sons Joseph, Caleb, Arthur my Negro Girl
Daisy and her increase to be equally to be divided to they and
their heirs for ever —

Then I give to my well beloved Daughter Abigail Butt one Bed &
Furniture belonging to it that stand in the Shed & one Cow and
Calf to her and her heirs for ever —

Then I give to my Son Tho: Butt one Cow & Calf to him & his heirs for ever

Then I give to my Son Sam Butt one Cow & Calf to him & his heirs for ever

Then I give to my Son Joseph Butt one Cow & Calf to him & his heirs for ever

Then I give to my Son Rich: Butt one Two year old heifer to him and
his heirs for ever —

Then I give to my son Anthony Butt one Two year old heifer to him &
his heirs for ever —

And I give to my son Arthur Butt one Cow half to him & his heirs for ever
 And I give to my son Caleb Butt Two year old heifer to my daughter to him
 and his heirs for ever

And I give to my son Joseph Butt my Gun & sword to him & his heirs for ever

And I give to my well beloved wife Frances Butt all the remainder
 part of my own given estate to my wife Frances Butt during
 natural life and after her Death to equally divided between
 my last children & had by my last wife. I do appoint and
 ordain my well beloved wife sole executrix of this my
 last Will & Testament. I her to! Seal my hand & Seal this 29th day of
 May 1746.

Samuel Butt
 William Butt
 Pres^t Butt

Richard Butt Seal

Norfolk County The Court held the 21st day of August 1746
 The last Will & Testament of M^r Richard Butt deed being this day
 proved by the Oaths of Sam^l Butt and William Butt witnesses
 thereto and Frances his wife &c thereto having taken &
 given Bond & Security

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Richard Butt & Seal

General Butt

William Butt

Pres^t Butt

Norfolk County. A. a. Court held the 21st day of August 1746
The last Will & Testament of M^r. Richard Butt deed being this day
proved by the Oaths of John Butt and William Butt witnesses
thereto and Frances his wife &c^t thereto having taken & Oath
& given Bond & Security according to Law: Probate is granted here
on the said Will.

John Butt Court Clk.

In the name of God Amen Eleanor Britt being sick &c^t