

To Simon Halstead his part £19.9.3 $\frac{1}{4}$ To Solo. Wilson his part £19.9.3 $\frac{1}{4}$ 38.18.
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To Cap. Willm. Wilson his part £19.9.3 $\frac{1}{4}$ To David Bond his part £19.9.3 $\frac{1}{4}$ 38.18.

Will. Postlock, Willm. Wilson & Tho. Bond

£155.14

Norfolk County At a Court held the 21. day of April 1748
The Auditt of the Estate of M^{rs} Elizabeth Halstead deceased being
returned thereunto is ordered to be recorded. J. San. Clerk

In the name of God Amen I Richard David of Norfolk County Sh^r
Carpenter being very sick and weak in Body but of sound Mind & possⁿ
Mind & memory, thank the Lord Almighty God so therefore make this
my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following in
Imprimis I recommend my immortal Soul into the hands of
Almighty God who gave it hoping through the Merits of my ble^d
Saviour Jesus Christ to have a full remission of all my Sins, my
Body I committ to the Earth to be decently buried by my Executors
hereafter named, and as to the worldly Estate which I have
pleased God to bless me with I give and bequeath as followeth
first my will and desire is that all my Debts and General expen^s
be justly paid and discharged. Item I give and bequeath (at the
Desire of my loving wife Grace David) unto my Daughter

Prudence David all my land, Messuages and Tenements wherein I live in
Borough of Norfolk to her and her heirs lawfully begotten of her Body, but
for want of such heirs the same shall devolve unto her Sister my Daughter
Patience David and to her heirs lawfully begotten of her Body I likewise
give and bequeath unto my said Daughter Prudence David one Negro Girl
slave called Nell with her increase to her and her heirs - - -
Then I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Patience David one Negro
Girl slave called Nanny and likewise I give the neph Chibab a year
old that shall be born of my Negro wench Tened unto my said Daughter
Patience to her and her heirs - - -
Then I give and bequeath unto my Son Samuel David at the Decese
of my loving wife Grace aforesaid all that tract or parcell of Land with
all the improvements thereon which I bought of my Brother John
David joining to the land of John Wallis and my Brother Edward David to
him and his heirs I likewise give unto my said Son Samuel one Ne-
gro Boy slave called Landon to him and his heirs - - -
Then I give and bequeath unto my Son Joshua David at the decese
of my wife aforesaid thirty pounds Currant Money and likewise one
Negro Boy slave called George to him and his heirs - - -
Then I give and bequeath unto my Son Edward David, at the decese
of my loving wife aforesaid, all that tract or parcell of Land that
my father left me by his Will and likewise one Negro Boy slave
called Hector to him and his heirs - - -
Then I give and bequeath unto my Friend Josiah Smith all that

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Item I give and bequeath unto my Friend Josiah Smith all that
tract or parcell of land that I bought of my Brother John David
called the Range computed about Sixty Three Acre to be sold in
Discharge of my Debts and likewise for the same use I give my
Negro Boy David Simon

Item I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Grace David after
my death and justly paid and discharged all the debt and residue of
my Estate within what kind or Nature soever, during her na-
tural life and after her decease all shall be sold, my Son Joshua re-
ceiving thirty pounds first, then the remainder to be equally divided
between my Son Samuel, Joshua and Edward and my Daughters
Prudence and Patience share & share alike; I nominate & appoint
my loving wife Grace David & my loving Friend Josiah Smith Esq. and
B. of this my last Will & Testament, revoking & annulling all former
Wills by me made declaring this to be my last In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 29th day of November 1747 -

Signed, sealed & acknowledged
by the Testator in presence of
James Moor, David Murray
David Deane

Richard X David Seal
mark

Norfolk County, N. C. Com. by the 17th day of March 1747

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By the Testator in presence of
James Maon, David Murrey
David Deane

Richard David
mark

North County the Court held the 17th day of March 1747 in
The last Will and Testament of Richard David aforesaid was this day
proved by the Oath of all the Witnesses thereto & Grace David Esq. the
same named having taken the Oath & given Bond & Security ac-
cording to Law, Probate is granted hereon the said Will. The other
Executor having refused the execution thereof
John Sam. Bondy