

In the Name of God, Amen, I Samuel Barteo of
the County of Norfolk in Virginia being sick and weak but of sound
mind and memory calling to mind the uncertainty of this Transitory
Life do make this my Last Will and Testament in Manner & Form
following: First I give my Soul to God who gave it me in hopes
of a joyfull Resurrection at the Day of Judgment and Body to its mother
Earth to be decently Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter
named. And as to my Worldly Goods It hath pleased Almighty God to
bestow on me, I give and bequeath in manner and form following.
I give the Use of my Plantation whereon I now live I bought of Moses
Langley to my Loving Wife Signa Barteo during her Natural Life
and after her Death to my Son Isaac Barteo and his Heirs for ever.
I give the Use of all my Negroes by Name Sary, Easter, Dinah, Nancey
and Stepmay except one of the said Negroes to be sold and my out-

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I Give the Use of my Plantation whereon I now live I bought of Mose
Langley to my loving Wife Anna Bartee during her Natural life
and after her Death to my son Isaac Bartee and his Heirs for ever.
I Give the Use of all my Negroes by Name Sary, Easter, Dinah, Nance
and Stepmay except one of the said Negroes to be sold and my out-
standing Debts to pay my just Debts and Funeral Charges as my

36. Wife shall think fit after my Decease, all the rest of my said Negroes
to my Wife, Signa Bartee During her Natural Life After her Decease
the said Negroes and their Increase to be Equally Divided between
my three youngest Children, Samuel Bartee, James Bartee and
Peggy Bartee, to them and their Heirs forever, but it should please
God that either of my three youngest Children should dye with-
out Heirs the other two or one to have the said Negroes that shall
be alive at my wife's Decease to enjoy the said Negroes and their
Increase they and their Heirs forever.

Also I Give the Use of my Personal Estate to my Wife during her
Natural Life and after her decease to be equally Divided between
my four Children, Isaac, Samuel, James and Peggy Bartee &
their Heirs forever.

I appoint my friend Jonathan Langley and my wife Signa Bartee
sole and sole Executors and Executrix of my last Will and Testament
Revoking all other Wills.

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hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 19th of September 1764,
Signed, Sealed, published and
Declared to be my last Will
and Testament in presence of us

Samuel Bartee & Seal

Wm Jory sen^r
Moses Langley
John Tomlinson
Norfolk County At a Court held the 16th Day of May 1765

The Last Will and Testament of Samuel Bartee deceased was this day
proved by the oath of William Jory sen^r, Moses Langley and John
Tomlinson and Ordered to be Recorded. Jonathan Langley and
Signa Bartee Executors therein named having taken the oath and