

In the Name of God Amen. I

William Boushell Gent. of the County of Norfolk being in a low state of health but of perfect sense and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. First I give my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it me.

Item I leave the use of one half of my land and plantation whereon I now live to my loving Wife Letitia Boushell during her natural life.

Item I give and bequeath to the Child that my Wife Letitia is now pregnant with, the whole of my land and plantation to the said Child and its Heirs for ever reserving the use of one half of the same to my loving Wife Letitia during her natural life.

Item Should the Child that my Wife Letitia is now pregnant with, die before it arrives at the age of 21 years, I then give and bequeath the aforesaid land and plantation to my Brothers Samuel and Robert Boushell and my Sister Sarah Boushell to them and their Heirs forever to be equally divided among them, reserving the use of one half of the aforesaid land and plantation to my loving Wife Letitia during her natural life.

Item I leave the use of my Negro Wench Sue to my loving Wife Letitia for the term of ten years from this date, and after the expiration of the aforesaid ten years, it is my Will and desire, provided there is a sufficiency to pay all my just debts, that my Negro Wench Sue be emancipated and enjoy all th.

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Wench due be emancipated and enjoy all the
privileges of a free person -

I then I leave all the remainder of my Estate after my
just debts are paid to be equally divided between
my loving Wife Letitia and the child she is now
pregnant with.

Lastly I nominate and appoint my Uncle William
Boushell and my Brother John Boushell to be Executors
of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking
all former Wills made by me. In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this Twenty ninth day of June in the year of our
Lord One thousand seven hundred and Ninety

Signed Sealed & Acknowledged
in the presence of us —

✓ James Boushall

William Boushell Jun^r 

J. Wright

Joel Garrison Jr

Joseph ^{his} Hoages
Mark

✓ S. Webb

At a Court held for Norfolk County the 19th Day of
July 1790. The last Will and Testament of William
Boushelt Junr. was the Day proved by the oath
of James Donaldle, Joseph Woodger & James Wells
Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.
William Donaldle one of the executors (the other
refusing to undertake) his further of the estate
having taken the oath & given bond
accordingly according to Law: Certificate for
obtaining a probate in due form was granted
him.

Done for Boushelt

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William Boushelt Junr.

Will

Recorded and ex^d

J^r. Boushelt