

In the name of God Amen the 29. day of
March in the year of our Lord 1782, I William Hodgins of
the County of Kent in the Kingdom of Great Britain being
weak in body but of sound Mind & Memory do hereby
Allegedly bequeath unto my Son John Hodgins the sum of
£1000.00 in the following manner to wit
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Son William Hodgins the sum of
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Son James Hodgins the sum of
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Son John Hodgins the sum of
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Hodgins the sum of
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Hodgins the sum of
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Item I do give & bequeath unto my Daughter Judith Hodgins the sum of
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Item 3. I do give & bequeath unto my Loving Wife
Sarah the life & benefit of the two following Slaves
viz. Luke & Dinah during her Natural life after
wards to be turnt to my Son John & James viz. Dinah to
my son John & his heirs for ever & Luke to my son James
& his heirs for ever. I do hereunto give unto my wife Sarah
her weathered & furniture whereon she now lies
Item 4. I do give my Slave & Child to my son James & his
heirs I do give unto my son William my Slave & Child

Furthermore my Will & Desire is that all my present Crop of
Corn & Tobacco be applied to the necessary support of my
Family and then be charging all my debts & unpaid
Debts, and all the rest & residue of my Estate not
already given to be Equally divided among my three
Sons, viz. John, William & James, & if in case they
disagree in the Division to Charles Callan, William
Crawford, Mr. Willm. Bailey, & Mr. Nathaniel Spry
to divide it as Directed, & my Will & Desire also is
that none of my Estate be appraised without being
in Debt

Furthermore I do Nominate constitute & appoint
my Sons John & William Rodgis Executors of
my Last Will & Testament, in witness where
of I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the day &
Date first above mentioned

Signed sealed & declared } Wm Rodgis
in the presence of us

J. H. Harris

Joseph Jordan