

In The name of God Amen My son John of the Parish of Saint  
Thomas in the County of George being sick and weak in body but perfect sound in  
Mind I give be therefore given to Almighty God Do make and Oursen this my last  
Will and Testament in Manner and form as Follows that is to say first I humbly  
Commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping through the Merits  
Death and Passion of my beloved Jesus Christ to have free pardon & forgiveness  
of all my sins and to inherit Everlasting Life and Next I Commit to the earth  
to be decently Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereon after named &  
also touching the Disposition of all my such Temporal Estate and both present  
and to come I give and Dispose as followeth Viz. my Land containing  
one hundred and twenty eight Acres by Survey to be kept under the Management  
of my son Caleb for the support and maintenance of my Wife Rachel During the  
Term of Five years and that the Negroes (except one negro fellow called George)  
During this Term do remain all together Undivided and then to be annually to  
be sold with my two other sons William and George for the Defraying their  
Parts of the Debt against the said Estate, to wit that Caleb shall have out of the Crops

Thomas's Will Understood during the war in the late otherwise to be paid or  
allowed a sufficient maintenance by the Executors hereafter mentioned which  
we will so to Live according to his Wishes, <sup>Wt</sup> I will that James Oliver, John  
and both Children of Isabella a Mulatto Woman be Bound (to my Executors hereafter named)  
according to Law and that they be Divided equally according to Valuation  
Fifthly I will that the Land whereon Thomas Morrison now Lives be made them  
a good Right and Title hereunto by their Executors Provided that Morrison do  
pay equal part of the said Debt upon his having Died for the same otherwise to  
pay the remaining Part of the said Debt to <sup>Wt</sup> my Land which my son Caleb is to  
have the Management of for the Support of my wife Rachel During five years,  
shall at the Expiration of the said Term be Equally Divided amongst my three  
Sons Wm. Caleb & George otherwise not agreeing to be Sold and the money to be Divided  
amongst the three <sup>Wt</sup> My Will is that the Stock Goods and Chattels after Lawfull  
Appraisement be Equally Divided amongst my three Sons and my daughter Hannah  
according to the Valuation thereof <sup>Wt</sup> I give unto my Son William one Negro  
Fellow called Ellick. <sup>Wt</sup> I give unto my Son Caleb one Negro Fellow called Dick  
<sup>Wt</sup> I will unto my Son George one Negro fellow called George. <sup>Wt</sup> I will unto my

10 I will unto my son George one Negro fellow called George M. <sup>Wife</sup> I will unto my  
Daughter Hannah one Negro Wench called Rachel Provided they be brought after  
my Decease and Valued With the Residue of Negroes Good Chattels &c. & so to be  
Liable to pay in proportion the Debt of their <sup>2</sup> Estate and to be Equally Divided  
And Finally I do constitute and appoint my three sons William, Caleb & George  
to act as Executors of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness Whereof I do  
Set my hand and seal the 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1771

Test Hester Moore

Wegon Sepon (L.S.)

Reuben Fennell

John Moore

At a Court held for Orange County on Thursday the 22<sup>d</sup> day of August 1771

This Last Will and Testament of Wegon Sepon Deceased was presented into Court by

William, Caleb and George Sepon Executors therein named and was proved by the

Oaths of Hester Moore, Reuben Fennell and John Moore Witnesses therein & ordered

into the Records and on the Motion of the Executors who made Oath & bound the Court to

grant them for obtaining Execution thereof in Due form they giving Bond for the

same Whereupon they With W<sup>m</sup> Condit Charles Deane and James George their  
Securities Entered into and Acknowledged their Bonds in the Sum of \$1000  
Current Money

Test Geo Taylor Clerk

In The Name of God AMEN. I Simon Smith of the County of Orange  
and Colony of Virginia of Perfect mind and Memory Recalling to mind the  
Uncertainty of this Life and that all men must die and hereby testifying and  
Disavowing all former and Other Wills and Testaments by me made  
and Declared to make Ordain publish and Declare this my last Will and  
Testament in Manner and form following That is to say, First and Principally  
Being Sory and Penitent for my sins I Commit my Soul into the hands of  
Almighty God in Whome and by Whose Mercy I Trust and Believe to  
be saved and my Body I Commit to the Earth to be decently Buried by and at  
The Direction of my Executors hereinafter named And for the disposing of such  
Temporal Estate Which it hath pleased God to bestow on me with my Dear