

Moore R.
Said his
Will

In the Name of God Amen, the thirteenth Day of February, in the year of our Lord 1726, I Richard Moore of Bristol Parish of Prince George County, being in a weak Condition of Body, and of perfect mind and memory, thank be to God for it, but knowing the uncertainty of this Life, do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following, Viz^t

I give and bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that graciously receive me, and for my Body by the Earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my Executors, and touching such Worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, I give and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form

Imprimis I give & bequeath unto my Son John Moore the Lower part of the Tract of Land which I now Live on, the whole Tract containing Two Hundred Acres, the Road from my Plantation to the Main Road at the place called

Spring Garden to be his ^{Prince of George Co. Will. 1728} Tract of Land Joining this

Lower part of the said Land, which I formerly purchased of William Whittington Containing fifty Acres or thereabouts, to him my Son John Moore and to the Male Heirs of his Body Lawfully begotten, and to their Heirs for ever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Son Benjamin Moore the upper part of the Tract of Land which my dwelling House stands on, and on which I Live in, Containing part of the Two Hundred Acres mentioned in my

Son John's the Road to the main Road to be the boundary from the upper side of my Son John Moore Joining Spring Garden, being the boundary upperward

in the said Land Contained, I give this said Tract of Land to my Son Benjamin giving him Liberty to Sell or Dispose of the said Tract of Land to either of his Brothers or their Heirs, otherwise to the Male Heirs of his Body Lawfully

begotten, and to their Heirs for ever.

part of the Tract of Land which my Dwelling House stands on and I do
Live in, Containing part of the Two Hundred Acres mentioned in my
Son John, the Road to the main Road to be the Boundary from the upper side
of my Son John Moore Spring garden, being the boundary upperward
as the said Land contains, I give this said Tract of Land to my Son Benjamin
giving him Liberty to sell or Dispose of the said Tract of Land to either of
his Brothers or their Issue, otherwise to the Male Heirs of his Body Lawfully
begotten, and to their Heirs for ever.

Then I give and bequeath unto my Son William Moore one parcel of Land out
of the Tract of Land bought of William Whittington, called Spring garden, begin-
ning on the upper part joining William Griggs Line beginning at the Spring garden
and a Bottom and a Corner of the said Spring garden, which Creek run to the main
Branch called Big Creek, and the said Branch leading William

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Griggs line across the main Road to him my Son William Moore and the
Male Heirs of his Body Lawfully begotten, and to their Heirs for ever.
Then I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas Moore, the Son of my Son
Thomas Moore deceased, a certain Tract of Land called Spring garden, bought
of William Whittington, beginning at a Survey Tree marked with a nail at the
head of a Spring running my Son John Moore, fifty acres thence along a
line of the main Road to the main Road, and running by to my Son William
Moore, the said Tract of Land, I give and bequeath unto
my Son Thomas Moore, the Son of my Son Thomas Moore, the Son of my Son
Thomas Moore, the Son of my Son Thomas Moore, the Son of my Son Thomas Moore,
and to their Heirs for ever.

no Sonnets or or any such device shall be given by him my said Grandson to any person whatsoever, but he he may enjoy it himself, and his Male Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten, and their Heirs for ever, but if it's pleased God my Grandson Thomas Moore dye without Heirs of his Body, then the said Tract of Land shall return to my Son Roger Moore to him and the Male Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten, and to their Heirs for ever

Item I give to my Son John Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money

Item I give to my Son William Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money

Item I give to my Daughter Mary Lewis, One Warming pan

Item I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Braugh, Ten Shillings Current Money

Item I give to my Son Samuell Moore, a Cow & Calf with my Wearing Apparatus

Item I give to my Son Roger Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money

Item I give to my Son ^{Prince of George Co. Wills 1793-1798} ~~Thomas Moore~~ ^{www.virginiapioneers.net} One Shilling Sterling Money

Item I give my Grandson George Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money

Item I give all the rest of my moveable Estate to be Equally divided between my kind and Loving Wife Elizabeth Moore, and my Son Benjamin Moore, their Heirs

Item I make and constitute my well beloved Son Roger Moore to be my Executor of this my last Will and Testament

Signed and Sealed in presence of us

John Fitzgerald

Thomas Nuttard

his mark

John Ogle Lewis Junr

his mark

Richard Moore sealed with his mark

At a Court held at Fitzgeralds, for Prince George County, on the Second Tuesday in August, being the Eighth Day of the said Month, Anno Dom 1797

Item I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Baugh, Ten Shillings Current money.
 Item I give to my Son Samuell Moore a Good Half hatching Wearing Cloath.
 Item I give to my Son Roger Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money.
 Item I give to my Son Benjamin Moore, One Shilling Sterling Money.
 Item I give my Grandson George Kewer, One Shilling Sterling Money.
 Item I give all the rest of my moveable Estate to be equally divided between my
 kind and Loving Wife Elizabeth Moore, and my son Benjamin Moore, this I give
 Item I make and constitute my well beloved Son Roger Moore to my Executor of
 this my last Will and Testament.

John Fitzgerald

Thomas Sturdivant
his marks

John Ogden
his marks

Richard Moore
his marks

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At a Court held at Fitzgeralds, for Prince George
 County, on the Second Tuesday in August, being the Eighth
 Day of the said Month, Anno Domini 1727.

The above written Last Will and Testament of Richard Moore Deceased was Exhibited
 into Court by Roger Moore his Executor, who made oath thereto, and it being
 proved by the oath of John Fitzgerald, Thomas Sturdivant, and John Ogden
 Witnesses thereto, by Order of the Court, it truly Recorded and on the motion of the
 said Roger Moore, and his giving Bond and Security according to Law, Certificate
 is granted him for obtaining a Probate of the said Will.

Test. Wm Hamilton

An Inventory of the Estate of William Moore Deceased