

with Sarah
Deed
her Will

In the Name of God Amen I Sarah Smith Widow of John
Smith, being Sick and weak of body but of perfect mind
and memory, thanks be given to Almighty God for the same
and knowing that it is appointed for all persons once to
Die, do make and Ordain this
in manner and form Follow
principally I bequeath my
estate for everlastingly to the
poor & the sick & the de
stitute I shall hereafter ans
wer so at estate with which
I have and I oppose of

my body of perfect mind
Almighty God for the same
for all persons once to
last Will and Testamen
that is to say First an
to Almighty God for
and my body to the ex
tion of my estate
+ and as to the same
pleased God to take me
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arrive to the age of sixteen years namely Mary, John
Sarah, Frances, William and Alexander Smith and when
my son William Smith shall arrive to the years of sixteen
I give and bequeath the same negro Denah to my son
William Smith and to his Heirs forever.

Item and my Will is that my Estate be not appraised and
I do appoint my two sons, Thomas and John Smith my
whole and sole Executors of this my last Will and Testa-
ment. I do Revoke and withdraw all other Wills by me

before made ratifying and confirming this and no other
to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness where-

of I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty
fourth day of October one thousand seven hundred &
fifty nine

Signed Sealed & declared
this and no other to be my
Last Will & Testament in

presence of

her
Sarah X Smith Seal
marked

Last Will & Testament in
presence of
Jesiah Carter
Dorsey X Hobbs
master

At a Court held for Prince George County
at the Court house on Tuesday the 21st day of November
Anno Dom 1759

The above written last Will and Testament of Sarah Smith
deceased was presented into Court by Thomas Smith one

of the Executors named who made oath there-
according to the oath of John Smith the other Executor for

reasons hereunto moving refused to take on
the said Will and execution of the said Will as

the oath of Joseph Carter of Dorset
the Minister here is by Order of the Court

granted him for obtaining a probate of
the said Will

Witness my hand and seal this 21st day of November 1759

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