

In presence of us
the Apprs James
William &

Then came Col. Edw. mossley into Court &acknow-
ledged the above release to m^r. Edw. Thurston and by
the Court ordered y^e same be recorded

Princess Anne County Virginia Wills, 1724-1735
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In the re of God Amen I Thomas Thoroughgood being in a very weak condition of
body but of sound & perfect mind & memory thank be to God for it being desirous to
settle my Temporal affairs do make this my Last will & Testament. first I bequeath my
soul unto God my good & great Creator hoping & Trusting through the merits & Inter-
cession of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to receive full pardon of all my sins & joyful
resurrection at the last day. I bequeath my body to the earth to be decently Interred
at will of Discretion of my Ex^{rs} hereafter named & my worldly Estate as follows vizt I Give
I Give & bequeath unto y^e child my wife now goes with all my Land & houses which I
am now possessed of to it & its heirs for ever:— I Give & bequeath unto my Tender loving
wife Mary Thoroughgood & the child she now goes with, all my negroes to be equally
divided betw^{en} them but in case my said wife should not be with child then she
have four of the best of y^e said negroes which I Give to her & her heirs for ever. my will
& desire is that my wife (if she be not with child) should have the freedom of the Land &
houses whereon I now live without y^e molestation of any person or persons whatsoever
I Give & bequeath unto my loving wife & y^e child she now goes with, all my personal Estate
of what kind soever that is to say she to have on this the 20th of the child & other two heirs
& if it should so happen that my said wife be not with child then in that case I Give
unto my brother Robert Thoroughgood the one half of my personal Estate after all my
Just debts are paid to him this is for ever:— Lastly I make constitute & appoint my
loving wife Mary Thoroughgood to be whole & sole executrix of this my last will & Testament
In witness whereof I have set my hand & seal the 3rd Day of February 1726
that it is further my will that my Ex^{rs} sell my horse & saddle for money which
is to go towards the discharge of my debts

Signed Sealed & Del^d
In the presence of us

J^m. Thoroughgood
James

Edw. Thurston

Princess Anne County held y^e first march 1726 The Thoroughgood
Thom^s within last will of Tho. Thoroughgood Dec^d
was presented in Court by his Ex^{rs} whom ad oath
thereunto being, provided by y^e oaths of Th^s. Thoroughgood and
Edw. Thurston witness for the same is admitted to Record