

Doyle's
Will

In the name of God Amen. I Edward Doyle of Truro
Parish in Prince William County (Plauter being sick and weak in body
but of sound & perfect memory thanks be given to Almighty God therefore
do make & ordain this to be my last Will & Testament in the following
manner & form. I pronounce. I recommend my Soul into the hands of
Almighty God that gave it me and my body I recommend to the Earth
to be buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion of
my Excutrix hereafter named and as for such worldly Estate it
hath pleased God to bestow upon me in this life I give Bequeath and
dispose of the same in manner and form following.

Item. I give and Bequeath to loving son James Doyle and the heirs of
his body lawfully begotten for ever the land and plantation I now
live on & forty acres of land adjoining thereto on the North side of
the North run of Poliock.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my son Edward Doyle and the heirs of
his body lawfully begotten for ever eighty acres of land joining to the
land given to my son James and running up the North Run of Poliock
to my upper corner tree.

Witness my hand & seal this 10th day of June 1791

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Item. I give and Bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Doyle and the
heirs of her body lawfully begotten for ever seventy seven acres of land
the same being the remaining part of my tract, and if it so happens
that she dies without such heirs, my will is that the same be equally
divided between my two sons James and Edward.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my son James our three year old Heifer.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my son Edward one three year old Steifer.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth one two year old Steifer.

Item. My Will is that the Steifers given to my two sons may be paid them as soon as they shall attain the age of sixteen years, and that, that given to my daughter may be paid her when she attains the age of sixteen years, or after our demand.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my son James one Sow and five Piggs.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my son Edward one Sow and five Piggs.

Item. I give and Bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth one Sow and five Piggs.

Lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my loving wife Priscilla Doyle to be my only and sole Exoratrix of this my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I have herunto set my hand and ^{affix my} Seal the twenty ninth day of March one thousand seven hundred & forty.

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and
Tested by the said Edward Doyle as his
last Will and Testament in the presence of
his wife
Simon C. Connell

Edw. Barry.

John Connell.

Edward Doyle (Seal)

At a Court hold for Prince William County April 27. 1741.

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This Will was presented in Court by Priscilla Doyle the Executrix therein named who
made Oath thereto & the same being proved by the Oaths of Edward Barry & Simon
Connell two of the witnesses, was admitted to Record, and on the motion of the said
Exec^t. & her performing what is usual in such cases, Certificate was granted her for
obtaining a Probate thereof in due form.

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Attest by John Connell