

Wm. Murray
County of Prince William
State of Virginia
1798
Now with the assistance of the
County Clerk
I have taken the oath prescribed by law
and being fully advised of the contents
of this my last will and testament
I have signed and sealed the same
in presence of the undersigned
competent witnesses who have
subscribed their names to the
same in presence of me the
County Clerk and of the said
testator.

In the Name of God Amen I John Murray
the County of Prince William State of Virginia being

at present of sound mind & perfect senses do make

this my last will & testament in manner following

I will & Imprimis I give & bequeath unto my beloved

wife Elizabeth Murray my one tatter worn & married pair

I have called Betty with their future Increase for ever

Here I give to my said Wife the use of my whole Estate

both real & personal Subject to ^{the} Legacies hereinafter

bequeathed During her natural Life

Item I give and bequeath unto my Brother Hugh

Murray two negro men Vizt. Joney and Sharper after
expiration
the term of the term for which Solomon Cwee hath them

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After the Death of my wife the Lands whereon my plantation in
this County stands containing 20 acres to him & his Heirs for
ever. I then I give unto William Gungon the Deed which is one
one from his fathers estate, & it is my will and desire that he receive
Books, Clothes and everything from my Estate until he arrive at the
age of eighteen years at which age he may be allowed to enter into
Business. I then I give unto Evan Williams my set of Blackstones
Commentaries on the Laws of England. I then I give unto Charles
Atwell my Great Bible after my wifes Death. I then I give
unto William Gungon all my other Books except those claimed
by my Wife. It is my will that my said wife see the Several
Articles now in my Store house for own use & support I receive

Articles now in my Store house for own use & Support I receive
the Several Debts due me for the same purpose except the Debt

due ~~me~~ for from John Thute which I would have appropriated
towards paying the Legacies above. Item It is my will &
Desire that the whole remainders of my Estate both real &
personal wher to my said wife hath the use of during her Life

shall after her Death be sold and the money arising equally
Divided between my Brothers Hugh, William & Robert & my
Sisters Elizabeth & Nancy & David Charles or their heirs or
representatives. Lastly I constitute and appoint my
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& Alexander Lithgow Executors of this my last will

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& Alexander Lethbridge Executors of this my last will
and Testament hereby revoking all others here to fore by me
made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

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and affixed my Seal the eighteenth day of October 1782

Signed Sealed & executed

John Murray 

Witnesses lodged in presence of

John Shute

Charles Luce

Jesse Cowell

Evan Williams

William Grayson

Philip Dawe

John Dargill

Marston

and annexed to my last will & testament dated

I am now by my last will & Testament

dated the eighteenth day of this Instant October

1781 I desire that Thomas Cwell Charles

Cwell & Solomon Cwell and their heirs have an Equal share

and division of the Money arising from the sale of the whole

remainings of my Estate both real & personal after the Death of my

wife with my Brothers Hugh William & Robert & my Sisters

Elizabeth & Nancy & David Forben & their heirs &

in presence of two to whom the same was willed

Item, I desire that my Executors shall make Deeds

to John Shute for the two Lots which he purchased of me in

Deerfield as soon as he shall have fully paid up the Sum due

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expressed to whom the same was willed

Item, I desire that my Executors & Executors shall make Debt
to John Skute for the two Lots which he purchased of me in
Dumfries as soon as he shall have fully paid up the sum due
for the same

Item I give to my Brother Hugh Murray all my Smith Tools
to be Delivered him when he shall receive my Smith Tools before
willed

Willed him I give I bequeath unto David Forbes & his heirs ¹⁹²
my estate in Maybole in Scotland, provided my Brothers Robert or
William have not got possession thereof. I do Witness of my Deed that
the several Attestations and clauses in ^{this} Deed be taken & stand for a part of
my Last Will & Testament. I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my
Seal this twentieth day of October 1792

Signed Sealed and Acknowledged

John Murray (Seal)

(The words "and their heirs" being first
interlined between the third & fourth
lines from the top of the page)

Witnessed

John Langfitt

Philip Dawe

Harrison

At a Court held for Prince William County the 3rd day of March

1703 this Last Will and Testament of J^{es} (Cecil) (Cecil)

of John Murray Gent Deceased was presented to the Court by

Elizabeth Murray the Ex^{or} who made oath to the same according

to Law and the will being proved by the oaths of John Darte

Philip Dawe John Langfitt and Matthew Harrison of

the Council by the oaths of George Graham John Langfitt John

These Philip Dawe & Matthew Harrison are committed to record

and the said Executrix having performed what is usual in such

Cases certificate is granted her ^{the} having Executed a Bond with

1893

John had got her security according to Law

Robert Graham Clerk

At a Court held for Pine William County the 3rd Day of June

1893 This Last Will Testament Decedent of John

Henry got her was Established on a full Hearing by the

Unanimous Opinion of the Court the Heir at Law Hugh

Henry making Claim upon the same and Contested the

same

Test

Robert Graham Clerk

Pine William County December the 11th 1893

Attest my hand for not a record of record 1893

Notary Public Pine County