

In the Name of God amen: I John Moore of Prince Georges
County Planter being ~~very weak~~ and low of Body but of perfect mind
memory & understanding Thanks be un to God Calling to mind the mortality
of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die
do hereby constitute appoint and ordain this my last will and
testament in manner and form as follows: Prima I give of
all I own unto my soul into the hands of Almighty God who
gave it & my Body to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian Burial
at the Discretion of My Executors Nothing doubting but that the Gentle
Resurrection shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of
(God) touching this worldly Estate. Whereunto it hath Pleased
God to Bless me with in this life. I give & Dispose & Devise in the
following manner: Item I give

Unprimed I give unto Isaac there one Shilling Sterling

My friends I give unto Anne Shaw one Shilling Sterling
I give unto my Grand Children the lawful Issue of my
Son George Shaw one Shilling Sterling, I give & unto
Daughter Semina Williams one Shilling Sterling, I give
I Bequeath unto Daniel Obrian one Negro Wench named Mona one
Negro girl named Nell & one Negro Boy named Daniel together
with my house hold furniture & Stock excepting only two Cows &
Calves I give and bequeath unto the said Bind one Negro Girl
named Phoebe, I give I Bequeath unto William Matthews
one negro girl named Lucy, I give I Bequeath unto
Margaret Olland one Cow and calf excepting in my gift to
Daniel Obrian I give and bequeath unto Mary Shaw one
Cow & calf before excepted in my gift to Daniel Obrian My will
I Desire is that my Daughters A. D. & M. D. & L.

I Bequeath unto Daniel Obrian one Negro Wench named Monee one
Negro girl named Moll & one Negro Boy named Daniel together
with my house hold furniture & stock excepting only two Cows &
calves I must give and bequeath unto the said Bird one Negro Girl

named Thelot, I must give & Bequeath unto William Matthews
one negro girl named Lucy. I must give & Bequeath unto

Margaret Allard one Cow and calf excepting in my gift to
Daniel Obrian I must give and bequeath unto Mary Shaw one
Cow & calf before excepted in my gift to Daniel Obrian My will

& Desire is that my Daughter Anne Pearce should be taken care of &
maintained during her Natural Life by Daniel Obrian out of the Lot of
I have willed him Lastly I constitute & appoint the said Bird
& Daniel Obrian Executors of this my last Will & Testament

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
3th day of April 1782.

Signed Sealed and Delivered

John Peave (seal)

In presence of

Harrison Howe

John Blansett

Elizabeth Blansett

At a Court held for Prince Wm County the 5th Day of August 1782.

This Last will & testament of John Peave Decd. was presented
to the Court by Daniel Obrian who made oath to the same according
to Law & being duly proved was admitted to record. The said Executor having
performed what is required in such cases Certificate is granted him
for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

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