


In the name of God Amen

Graham's Will

I John Graham being aged sick and Weak through of hand since and memory do make and ordain this my last will & Testament in manner and form as followeth; First I heartily recommend my soule to Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be entred decently at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named, My Will is that all my Just Debts and Funerall Expences be paid, I give unto my Son John Graham one Feather bed & Counters, I give to my Son Thomas Graham one Feather bed & Counters I give to my Grand Daughter Sarah Newman a Bedstead, I give to my Grand Son John Barker a Dun or Mouse Coloured mare & colt, my will is that my Lands Stock and every thing or thinge I have or is owing to me by any persons except that which is before Willed, Remain in or be taken possession of, by my Loving Wife, Elizabeth Graham, during her natural life & should she remain My Widow and after her death or marriage it is my Will that the Whole of my Estate Willed my wife be sold by my Executors to the Highest bidder and the Money arising from such Sale be Equally divided between my Six Children, viz, James Graham, Jane Newman, Molly Barker, Roda

Hobbslaw, John Graham & Thomas Graham, I Appoint my Son in Law
 M^r M^r W^r Hobbslaw my son James Graham my Son in Law, Joseph
 Barker Executors of this my last Will & Testament M^r W^r M^r W^r
 Attest, I have hereunto ^{affixed} my hand & Seal this 3rd Day of June 1786.
 none of the Words except that Which is before ~~written~~ written between the 1st & 2^d
 Lines interlined before this Will W^r of Line.


Signed & Sealed }
 In presence of W^r }
 Peter Ringo }
 Griffen Matthews }

John Graham Husband & Seal 

Joseph Ringo At a Court held for Prince William County
 the 4th Day of September 1786. This last Will and Testa-
 ment of ~~the~~ John Graham deceased was presented to
 the Court by the Executors therein named who made
 oath there to according to Law and the same being proved
 by the oaths of Peter Ringo and Griffen Matthews was
 admitted to record and the said Executors having per-
 formed their duty in this behalf they are discharged in

... I have herunto set my hand & seal this 5 Day of June 1766.
mem: the Words except that Which is before ~~the~~ Dated between the 12 & 13
Lines interlined before this Will W^{as} signed.

Witness Seal }
In presence of us }
Peter Ringo }
Griffin Matthews }

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formed what is usual in such cases Certificate is
granted them for obtaining a probate thereof
in due form. Teste R. Graham C. J.