

In the Name of God Amen January 5th 1753. I Edcomb Suggitt
of Northfarnham Parish in Richmondt County being in perfect health and
Memory knowing assuredly that Death is that Tribute we must all pay
and being Desirous to settle my Temporal Affairs in such a manner that
I may with a more perfect Resignation pay those last Dutys in this life to
my Blessed Lord and Saviour in order whereunto I dispose of those goods it hath
pleased God to bestow me with in this life in manner following viz^t. —

First of all I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Jermaine Suggitt one Negro
Man Named Sam which came by her mother to her and her heirs forever —
I also give her the use of one Negro Wench Named Liddy During her Natural
life and after her Decease the use of them to the heirs of her body lawfully
to be begotten. It is my desire that if my said Daughter die without such
Issue as aforesaid that then the said Negro Wench Liddy and her increase be
Equally Divided between my other Children that is John, Edcomb, Willm.

between my other Children that is John Lagcomb, William
Marble & Lucy Suggitt. I also Bequeath to my said Daughter Jemima two
Cows and calves all of which is to be paid to her at her coming to age.
I Devise to my loving wife the plantation and land to the same belonging
whereon I now live to her during her Natural life but my Desire is if she
should marry and her husband in case of committing waste should be Subject
to Damage and forfeiture as Tenant by Dower or Curtesy should or might
be.

I Devise to my Son John Suggitt and the heirs of his body lawfully to be
begotten, And for want of such Issue to Lagcomb Suggitt and the heirs of his
body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to William Suggitt,
the heirs of his body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to my
Daughters and the heirs of their bodies lawfully to be begotten all that Land
I bought of William Hill, and Barnaby Wells on Conditions that he shall
suffer his Mother to enjoy my Mansion plantation and land to her Devise
as aforesaid during her Natural life, And Chas. = 11. = 11. = 11. = 11.

be gotten, And for want of such I Give to Edgcomb Suggitt and the heirs of his
Body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to William Suggitt,
the heirs of his body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to my
Daughters and the heirs of their bodies lawfully to be begotten all that Land
I bought of William Hill, and Barnaby Wells on Conditions that he shall
suffer his Mother to Enjoy my Mansion plantation and land to her David
as aforesaid During her Natural life, And to Relinquish his right of his
Grandfathers Estate, Excepting the land and Negro's. But if he should not
suffer her to Enjoy it as aforesaid and to Relinquish his right of his Grand
fathers Estate as aforesaid —

Then I Devise the said Land as I bought of William Hill & Barnaby Wells to
his Mother my wife During her Natural life and after her Decease I Devise
the said Land to my son Edgcomb Suggitt and the heirs of his body lawfully
to be begotten, And for want of such I Give to my Son William Suggitt the heirs
of his body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to my Daughters as aforesaid
and to be Equally Divided.

I Bequeath to my Loving wife two Negroes Named Billy & Jeff to her and her heirs forever. —

I Bequeath the use of two more Negroes Dady & Sammy During her Natural life and after her Decease to be Divided between my sons Lagomby & William or in case of either of them Drath to the Survivor. —

I Bequeath to my loving wife my Chear and one young horse her choice, And the Bray mare fanny and her Saddle & bridle, I also Bequeath to my Loving wife two Beds with their furniture her choice two iron pots one of pewter plates four Dishes a Small Chest of Drawers half a Dozen whears, Six head of Sheep, eight head of Cattle her choice eight hogs & one Table. I Bequeath to my son John Suggitt on conditions as aforesaid if Complied with if not to go the same way as the Land is to go, And to be anent to the Land one Negro Man Named Tom, And one Negro wench Named Hannah And an Equal part of my Estate that is not hereafter Given to him and the heirs of his Body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to be Equally Divided

of his body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to be equally divided
between, Edgcomb, Elizabeth, Lucy, & William Suggitt. —

I Bequeath to my son Edgcomb Suggitt one Negro boy named Jack and one
Negro Girl named Letty to him and the heirs of his body lawfully to be begotten
And for want of such to be equally divided between, John, Elizabeth, ~~Lucy~~
& William Suggitt. —

I Bequeath to my son William Suggitt, one Negro Boy named Aaron, & one
Negro Girl named Letty to him and the heirs of his body lawfully to be
begotten, And for want of such to be equally divided as aforesaid. —

I Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Suggitt one Negro Boy named
George and one Negro Girl named Letty to her and the heirs of her body
lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to be equally divided as aforesaid. —

I Bequeath to my Daughter Lucy Suggitt one Negro Boy named Simon &
one Negro Girl named Moll to her and the heirs of her body lawfully to be
begotten, And for want of such to be equally divided as aforesaid. —

I Bequeath to my Godson Edgcomb Williams one boy and girl. —

I Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Suggitt one Negro Boy named George and one Negro Girl named Love to her and the heirs of her body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to be Equally Divided as aforesaid.

I Bequeath to my Daughter Lucy Suggitt one Negro Boy named Simon & one Negro Girl named Moll to her and the heirs of her body lawfully to be begotten, And for want of such to be Equally Divided as aforesaid.

I Bequeath to my Godson Edcomb Williams one Cow and Calf when he comes to the age of Twenty one, And two years Schooling when my Executors think him of proper age to take Learning.

I Bequeath all the rest of my Estate not before given Real and Personal to be Equally Divided amongst my sons and Daughters which was by my last will, John, Edcomb & William Suggitt, W^{rs} and Lucy Suggitt, And it is my Desire that my Estate be kept together till my Children come to age the Boys One and Twenty, And the girls Eighteen or Day of Marriage which shall first happen.

My will and desire is that my Estate shall be kept together till my Debts are
paid and Money to be taken on Interest Rather than my Negros to be sold to
pay the Debts if my Executors shall think it to be the properest way —
Finally I Nominate & Appoint M^r. John Woodbridge with my Loving wife
to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby Revoking all
Others to the heretofore by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto put my
hand and Seals the day and Year above written —

Published & Declared
in presence of

William Nash

Roger Williams

John I. Hammitree
mark

Edgcomber Suggitt

Tested
Signed

Item, It is Likewise my will that my two Youngest Daughters Sarah Suggitt &
Susanna Suggitt shall have an Equall part of my Estate in Negros and

Susanna Suggitt shall have an equal part of my Estate in Negroes and
Moveables, which I give to them and their heirs for ever. As Witness my
hand and Seals —

William Nash

Roger Williams

John ^{his} Hammitree
marks

Edgcombs Suggitt ^(Seal)
(Seal)

At a Court Held for Richmond County the 1st day of
October 1753 —

This will was presented in Court together with the Codicil Under Written
by John Woodbridge Esq^r one of the Executors therein Named who made Oath
thereto According to Law And being proved by the Oaths of Roger Williams
and John Hammitree two of the Witnesses thereto was by the Court Ordered
to be Recorded, And on the Motion of the said Executors giving Security a
Certificate is granted him for Obtaining a probate thereof in due form —

Test J. Tansley Clk.