

In the Name of God Amen I Joshua Lawson of the Parish of
Northfarnham in the County of Richmond planter being well in body
and of good sound memory praise be given to God for the same and
knowing the uncertainty of this life on Earth and being desirous to
settle things in order before I dye doe make this my Last Will and
Testament in manner and forme following (that is to say) first and
principally I commend my Soule to God my Creator as freely belonging
I shall receive full pardon and free Remission of all my sins and be saved
by the precious Death and merits of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer
Jesus Christ and my body to the Earth whence it was taken to be
buried in such manner by my Executors hereinafter named, And as
touching such Worldly Estate as the Lord of his Mercy hath lent mee
my Will and meaning is that the same be Impleyed and bestowed as
hereafter named by this my Will is Expressed. - Imparting I give and
bequeath unto Ann Layd Widow the Plantation and Land whereon I
now live being two hundred Acres be it more or less her heirs and assigns
for Ever, But with this Provision that if William Lawson my Son shall
within three Yeeres after Date hereof paye Cents to be paid unto the
said Ann Layd Widow her heirs or assigns the Just quantity of Nine
Thousand pounds of lawfull Tab. and Cents to be paid in the said
County unto the said Ann Layd Widow being so much I stand fully
Indebted to her at this present being for borrowed due unto her for
twenty two Yeeres hereinafter that then the said Plantation and Land to
returne unto my Son Wm. his heirs &c. for Ever and in Case the said Wm.
my Son doth not pay the said Tab. above expressed according to the
time above mentioned that then the said Ann Layd peaceably and
quietly to Enjoy and possess the said Plantation and Land for Ever.
Item I give unto my Son William Lawson his heirs &c. one half or
morety of my personal Estate of household goods and Stock. Item
I give unto Ann Layd Widow the other half or morety of my personal
Estate of household goods and Stock after my Debts and funeral
Charges being paid. Altho I doe her by these Writs and Ordinances
John Yeatman my full and whole Executors of this my Last Will

and Testam^t Revoking all other Wills and Testam^t by me formerly made
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 11th Day
 of Jan^y in the Year of our Lord 1715/16

Sealed & Published
 the Eight and ninth

his
 Jackson
 Marks

At a Court held for Richmond County
 the fourth Day of December 1717

his
 Dⁿ Jackson
 Marks
 tin Jones

Whereas at a Court held for this County the Third
 Day of October One thousand Seven hundred & Sixteen
 at the Motion of Ann Lloyd this Will was produced in
 open Court by the Oaths of David Jackson and
 Amos Jones two of the Witnesses thereto and now
 upon the motion of the said Ann Lloyd the same is
 admitted to Record.

Test M^r. Buckwith C^{lerk}

In Obedience to an Order of Court dated 7th Sixth Day of November
 1717 We the Subscribers have appraised sign^d Estate of Will^m
 Stewart dec^d as followeth.

ten Cows and Calves	£ 6
ten Hens	1 5 0
ten Hens	2 10
ten Hens	2 14
ten Hens	1 16
ten Hens	10 16
ten Hens	4 10
to 1 horse	2 10
to 1 horse	1 5
to 1 old Mare	10 5
to 1 old Mare	10 10
to 10 Sheep	2 0