

of the said laws and now use same
is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

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Bartho. McKenty Ct. Clerk

all - In the name of God Amen I Mr. John Ball of the Parish of St. Andrew and
County of Richmond being of sound mind & memory do make this my last Will & Testament
hereby revoking all wills heretofore made and do give and bequeath all my worldly Estate
in manner & form following.

It is my desire that my Executors hereafter mentioned sell and dispose of any part of my Estate
as shall seem best to them for the payment of my Just Debt or to apply the profits arising
from my Estate (if Indulgences can be had to the payments of my Debt -

Above I give and bequeath to my daughter William the Negroes she now has in her possession
to wit Sallan, Sarah, Pleasant, Lett and Peter and their future increase to her the heirs & assigns

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I also give my said Daughter Milley one of my Negro fellows in as much money as will purchase one at the discretion of my Executors and twenty pounds to be laid out in such things as she may want in house keeping -

I give and bequeath to my Executors hereafter named in trust for my daughter Elizabeth Mullen, Mary, Betty Ann and as many more of my Slaves and their future Increase and much of my Estate as will make this bequest Equal to the one given to Milly at this time to be kept in trust for my said daughter Elizabeth during her natural life and after her death to be divided among her children

I give and bequeath to my daughter Priscilla, Martha Lydia Grace & John and their future Increase to her and her heirs forever, I also give my daughter Priscilla One hundred pounds current Money for her great attention she has had for me since the death of her Mother -

I give and bequeath to my daughter Judith Agar, Esther and Peter and their future Increase to her and her heirs forever

I give and bequeath to my daughter Lucy Harrison, Mary, Pottys Gul Gate & Timothy and their future increase to her & heirs forever and give also to my said daughter Lucy Harrison

Five pounds current Money -

and their future increase to her & hers forever and give also to my said daughter Lucy Harrison
Fifty pounds Current Money.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret W^m Son Sarah's full Fanny Harrison's full
Fanny and let and their future increase to her & hers forever and one hundred pounds current
Money because she is the youngest.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Harrison five Slaves to wit, Ben, Robin, James, Dennis and
Abel to him and his heirs forever. I also give and bequeath to my said Son Harrison all my Land
houses, Outhouses and Orchards now in being or appertaining to him this heirs forever.
I also give and bequeath to my Son Harrison one half of my Slaves not yet bequeath and their future
increase to him and his heirs forever. I further give and bequeath to my Son Harrison all the
the Remainder of my Estate both Real & personal not heretofore nor hereafter given to him
and his heirs forever. It is my desire that when my Slaves are divided that, Ned & his family
Betty & her family, Hannah & her family except such as are already given may be allotted
in my Son Harrison's part.

Item, I give and bequeath to my daughters Persilla, Judith, Lucy Harrison & Margaret
W^m Son the other moiety of my Slaves not before given and their future Increase to be equally
divided among them & their heirs forever.

the remainder of my Estate both Real & Personal not heretofore nor hereafter given to him
and his heirs forever, It is my desire that when my Slaves are divided that, Ned this family
Betty this family, Barrah this family except such as are already given may be allotted
in my son Harrison's part.

Item, I give and bequeath to my daughters Priscilla, Sedith, Lucy Harrison & Margarah
Wason the other moiety of my Slaves not before given and their future Increase to be equally
divided among them by my Executors to them & their heirs forever.

Item It is my desire that my son Harrison have my plate and the best of my Household
furnitures and that my house be kept up for the benefit of my unmarried children at the
direction & discretion of my Executors untill my son Harrison arrives to the age of one &
twenty or marries, and as my daughter Mary or come of age, they may have their parts agree-
able to the intention of this my Will, putting the fullest confidence in Landene Carter esquire
of Abene Hall and trusting to his honour and Integrity, I do hereby appoint him Guardian
to my son Harrison not doubting but he will have him properly Educated and brought
up in the Episcopal Church and endeavour to make him a useful member of Society, and
prevent him from Marrying before he arrives at full age without he makes an advantageous

direction I constitute and appoint my Brother W^m Ball my Friends Rob^t W^m Carter
Robert Sanline Robert Mitchell and Larrison Carter of Sabine Hall Executors of this
my last Will and Testament, Reposing the Utmost Confidence and their Integrity
and hoping they will all qualify as Executors, I also appoint the four first Mentioned
Guardians to my unmarried Daughters -

Lastly I give & bequeath to my daughter Margaret W^m Son in case of the death of my
Son Harrison before he arrives to the age of one & twenty years or without lawfull
issue all my lands other Estate devised to him to her and her heirs forever, and it is my
Will that the Estate given my said daughter Margaret W^m Son be equally divided among
her Sisters Isabella, Lucretia & Lucy Harrison provided she get possession of the Estate given her
Brother Harrison by his death or without lawfull issue except the two Slave called Fanny
given her in my first Bequest to them and three heirs forever - Witness my hand & Seal
this twenty sixth day Nov^r One thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Six.

This Will and intimations are all
in my hand writing and no law can
break this Will of I dye before it
is lawfully Copied -

W^m Son Ball

Wm. Tom Ball.

Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of

A Court held for Richmond County the 6th day of
January 1794

This Writing purporting the last Will and Testament of William
Ball dec^d, was presented in Court, by Walter Tomlin J^r and being proved to be the true Will
of the said William Ball dec^d Robert Tomlin & Benjamin Bramham and Robert W
Garter & Robert Mitchell being also satisfied that the same is all in the hand Writing
of the said William Ball - was admitted to record - and the Executors all named in the said
Will having refused to take upon themselves the burden of the Execution thereof - on the
motion of the said Walter Tomlin, who took the oath prescribed by law and having entered
into Bond with Robert Tomlin & Benjamin Bramham his Sureties in the penalty
of Ten thousand pounds conditioned as the law direct, a writ of certiorari is granted herefor
obtaining letters of administration with the said Will annexed

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Bartho. M. Gentry, Ct. Clk.