

In the Name of God amen. I Adam Darton of Rockford Parish in
the County of Sumner & State of Virginia make this my last will and
Testament. I have given my last Acts Creation in all the fullness of its
future happiness for as in the Disposal of a being infinitely good and true
My last Will is that it be buried in a Christian Manner at the
Discretion of my Executors hereby revoking all and every Will and Wills before
made. I do hereby make constitute and Appoint Henry Thavill &
my son Adam Darton Executors of this my last will and Testament
Impressed It is my Will and I do order that in the first Place all my
Just Debts and General Charges be Paid and Satisfied.
Then it is my will and Desire that the Plantations whereon I now
Live be Disposed of as soon as may be after my Decease and the money
arising therefrom to be equally divided between my three sons and
Daughters vizt Philip Gualter Darton, John Philip Darton Adam
Darton and Ann People Mavis and their heirs, Also it is my will
and Desire that all my Household Goods Stock of all kinds and all
the grain I may Die possessed of be Disposed of in the same manner
As my Plantations and the money to be equally Divided between the
Aboves mentioned and their heirs. But providing my son Adam should
die without issue that then the share belonging to him shall be

and I desire that all my Household Goods, Stock of all kinds and all
the grain I may die before pass of be disposed of in the same manner
to my Children and the money to be equally divided between the
above mentioned and their heirs. But provided my said sons should
die without issue that then the share belonging to him shall be di-
vid equally among my other children as above this is my last will
and Testament made with me that this shall be the day of may in the
year one thousand one thousand seven hundred and seventy six

Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of May in the
year one thousand one thousand seven hundred and seventy six
Joan Jacob Webb
Laurence Wolfe
Peter Wolfe
William Webb

At a Court held for Sumner County the 28th day of May 1776
This Last will and Testament of Adam Darting deceased was presented
in Court by Henry Truitt and Adam Darting the Executors therein named
Whom all being sworn to and the same being proved to the satisfaction
of the Court by the said Adam Webb and William Webb witnesses thereto

James H. & Isaac and on the Motion of the said Executors who had been
associated with John Butler their security in the Bond of 1871
is continued for their honest and faithful Administration of the said Estate
Intestate is granted therefore obtaining a probate thereof in due form of

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Thomas Marshall C.B.

it now all men by ~~field~~ presents that we Henry Travell, Adams Darling
and John Keller are held and firmly bound unto Joseph Pugh Jacob Holman
Brother in law of Mrs Martha Gentlemen the two of the County Court of Hen
more now calling in the sum of Two hundred pounds current money of Virginia
to the which payment well and truly to be made to the said Parties and their
heirs as we bind our selves and every of us our and every of our heirs Executors
and Assignments County and severally jointly by these presents sealed with
our seals this 28th Day of May A.D. 1764

The condition of this obligation is such that if the above
bound Henry Small and Thomas Darting Executors of the last will and Testament
of the said Darting Decedent shall cause to be made true and perfect the
inventory of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of the said Decedent which