

Kennel's Legacy

Arthur Stone

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 To the ch of Court for recording
 Account Current at state }
 To my fee as an Executor

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Account held for the county of South
 ampton the 24 day of Janry 1778
 This account current was reported by the
 persons appointed to settle the same &
 ordered to be recorded

Lambert Hill

Byrd
 and
 Will

In the name of God Amen I Byrd Sunday of the county of Southampton being
 sick & weak of body but of perfect mind & memory have declared to my worthy God for it
 but knowing the uncertainty of our being here do make this my last will and
 testament in full faith & assurance and revoking all other wills & testaments before
 made by me

I bequeath my soul to God that gave it me & giving up the same to his
 beloved saviour to have full redemption of all my sins & my body to be with to be
 buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named

I leave to my beloved wife Phoebe Sunday during her natural life the care of the
 same & her own house & living & the same is purchased of the Lord of the same
 and my fishing place then & in following slaves vizt. Jeffery & Tom Jeffery
 Henry Palmer & an boy Jack & a girl & my black cattle

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three work hours, as she may choose my mare called Sally & her Phillie all my sheep
and eight head of hogs if so many to be found of my estate my plantation utensils
and my household & kitchen furniture this legacy is intended in trust of her
dower and to enable her to educate & maintain my children until they arrive
to the age of twenty one year or are married which ever shall first happen
and after the decease of my wife I give the slave lent her to equally divide
between all the children I shall leave by her Viz Christian Eliz^a Edm^d
Byrd Joshua Claud & James & their heirs.

Item I give to my said wife all my fallowing hogs Frodders & all my grain Cotton
Flax & my spinning & weaving utensils & one hundred pounds cash

Item I give to my son Edwin Sunday all my lands given to me by my father except
the fishing place also the lands I purchased of Robert Withers to my said
son and to his heirs forever but should he die under the age twenty one years
and without issue living at his death I then give the said lands to my
son James Sunday & to his heirs forever.

Item I give to my son Byrd Sunday after the decease of my beloved wife & have
the lands & plantation which I have given her the use of also the fishing place
to him & to his heirs forever but should he die under the age of twenty one years
and without issue living at his death I then give the said lands to my
son James Sunday & to his heirs forever.

to him & to his heirs forever but should he die under the age of twenty one years
and without issue living at his death then I give the said plantation & land

Item I give & bequeath to my son Joshua Claud Sunday & to his heirs forever
a negro girl named Lotty & her increase

Item I give & bequeath to my son James Sunday & to his heirs a negro girl named
Nelly & her future increase

Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Christian and to her heirs a negro girl named
a mill & her future increase and a flax wheel

Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Molly & to her heirs a negro boy named Ben
a young dupster Ware a bed & furniture a chest with Iron rings at the ends
& one hundred & fifty pound of cash & a flax wheel

Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Betty & to her heirs a negro girl named
Lucy & her increase and a flax wheel

Item I give the slaves & land my wife be divided as before directed by three persons to be
nominated by the worshipful court of Southampton county that at the decease
of my said wife the personal estate lent her may by my executors or the survivors of them
be sold and the money arising from such sale equally divided among all my
children except my daughter Molly

Item The residue of my estate whether real or personal I desire may at a convenient
time be sold by my executors at such credit as they may

Wife the full increase,

Item I give the quarter to my daughter Christian and to her heirs a negro girl named
Avery the full increase and a flax wheel

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Item The residue of my estate whether real or personal I give may at a convenient
time be sold by my executors at such credit as they may judge most expedient the
money arising from such sale together with the money due me on bond or other
account at cash I may have by me be divided amongst all my children in
with their representatives except my daughter Molly and I do hereby
nominate and appoint my beloved wife Phoebe executrix in law
of my said estate and I will that she be my executor and she

My Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 29
day of December 1797

I desire my cash in specie may be equally divided amongst my wife & all
my children & delivered by my executors as they come of age or are married

Signed & sealed published
and declared in presence of

Benjamin Lundy Esq

J Fisher

William Clark

John Clark

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1. Johannes

8. Guineas

5. Livers & German

2. French pieces

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