

Witnessed by J. J. Snow, Clerk of this County according
to a former Order of the said Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Southampton County Wills 1740-1802
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Test J. H. Kello C

2. Pater In the name of God Amen the 19th Day of December In the year of
our Lord God 1755 I Thomas Pater of the County of Southampton in
Very Sick & Weak of Body but of Perfect Mind & Memory I have
be given unto God I do make and ordain this my Last Will &
Testament in Manner and form following that is to say first
and chiefly I give my soul into the Hands of Almighty God who
gave it me and my Body I commend to the Earth to be Decently
buried In Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Executors without
Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive the
same

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same Again by the Mighty Power of God, as touching worldly
estate, wherein it hath Pleased God to Bless me I give
Divise, bequeath & Dispose the same in manner & form following

Item I bequeath to my son Thomas Pat a Mare & saddle after the
Death of my wife; Item I give & bequeath to my son Travis Pat
all my Carpenters Tools After the Death of my wife

Item I bequeath to my son Samuel Pat my Plantation & all
the Land thereto belonging to it after the death of my wife

Item I bequeath to my Daughter Milley Pat one Bed & furniture

Item I bequeath to my Daughter Ann Johnson One shilling

Item I bequeath to my Daughter Mary Johnson One shilling

Item I bequeath to my beloved wife all the Rest of my Estate to
her Discretion to do with as she pleases with my just Debts

be paid of this my Last will & Testament I make my well beloved

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Southampton County Will 1799-1762
be paid of this my Last will & Testament I make my well beloved
wife Ann Pate of Travis Pate my full & whole Exors and I
do hereby utterly Disallow Revoke annul all and Every other
former Testaments, Will Legacies Requests & Exors by me in any
wise before this time named Will & bequeathed ratifying
& Confirming this and none Other to be my Last Will and
Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal the Day & year above Written
Signed Sealed Published Pronounced
and Declared by the said Edward
Pate as his Last will & Testament
in Presence of us

Jo^l Larke

Rich^l & ^{his} wife
^{mar}

Abram & Wiggins

Edward Pate / Ex

Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal the Day & year above written
signed sealed Published Pronounced
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Pate as his Last will & Testament
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Jo^s Larke
Rich^d & ^{his} Wife
Abram & Wiggins
Charles Spence

Edward Pate [S]

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 9th Day of Decr 1750
This Will was presented to the Court & proved by the Oath of Charles
Spence a Witness thereto & Ordered to be Lodged for further Proof and
At a Court held for the said County the 13th Day of January 1751
This Will was further proved by the Oath of Abram Wiggins a Witness
thereto & Ordered to be Recorded And on the Motion of Ann Pate one of
the Exors therein named who made Oath According to Said Certificate
was granted her for Obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving
Security whereupon &c