

In the Name of God Amen I John Pope of the County of Southampton being
Sick in Body but of Sound & perfect Memory Thanks be to God do make of Ordain this my Last
Will & Testament as followeth

Impremis I Give & bequeath to my Son Thomas Pope a certain Tract or parcel of Land adjoining
Samuel Edwards on the North side of Crofters Road With one half of the Land that I am
possest of & Fifty pounds Current Money of Virginia to him & his Heirs forever
Item I Give & bequeath to my Son John Pope the Plantation whereon I now live with the other
half of my Land to him & his Heirs forever

Item I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Temperance Pope one Negro Girl Named Charlott to her
& his Heirs forever

Item I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Sally Pope one Negro boy Named Peter to her & his Heirs forever

Item I Give & bequeath to my Loving Wife Ann two Negroes Named Jimm & Salah during
her life & after her Death to be Equally divided between my four children Thomas
Temperance John & Sally Pope I likewise give all the Remainder of my Estate undisposed
of after my Debts are paid to my Wife During her Widowhood & at her Marriage or decease
to be equally divided between my four children Thomas Pope Temperance Pope John Pope
& Sally Pope

Witness my hand & the hand of my Wife & my Brother Matthew Pope Executors
of this my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
this 11th Day of July 1774

Signed Sealed & Published & Subscribed
At a Court held for the County of Southampton the
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Loving Wife John's Brother Matthew Pope Executor of this my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal

this 11th Day of July 1779 John Pope

signed sealed & Published in presence of

Nathan Barnier Thomas Names & proved by the oaths Nathan Barnier & Thomas
Tombey & Mead the Witnesses then & there to be present. And on the motion of N. Barnier

and with assenting to law Certificate is granted them for returning a Bill
in and from giving due notice whereupon the Court doth

All a Court held for the County of Southampton the
14th Day of October 1779. This Will was presented in
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