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In Will
Well

I John Williford of South Hampton County being weak of
body but of sound mind & Memory do make this my last
Will & Testament in manner following
First I give unto my beloved wife Mary the use of the Plantation
whereon I now Live with all my land on the North side of the
Peconic branch during her natural life

Item I give unto my son Nathan Williford the Land & Plantation
whereon he now Lives to him & his heirs forever

Item I give unto my son John Williford the Land & Plantation whereon
he now Lives with one Hundred & fifty Acres Lying on the south
side of the Peconic branch be the same more or less to him & his heirs forever

Item I give unto my Son William Williford the Land & Plantation whereon
I now Live with one Hundred & fifty Acres Lying on the North side of
the above mentioned Peconic branch be the same more or less to him
& his heirs forever Likewise I give unto my son William all the
Land which I Bought of Lawrence Lancaster to him & his heirs
forever. Likewise I give unto my said Son William one Chest
of Drawers and one Bedstead

Item I give unto my Grandson Benjamin Williford five shillings Cash

Item I give unto my Daughter Elizabeth Jones five shillings Cash

Item I give unto my Son John Williford five shillings Cash

I have given unto my Daughter Elizabeth five Shillings Cash
I have given unto my Daughter Mary Boassman five Shillings Cash
I have given unto my Daughter Lucy Williford five Shillings Cash
I have given unto my Daughter Mourning Williford five Shillings Cash
and as to the rest of my Estate after my just Debts Legacies &
funerals expences are Paid I give it all unto my wife & to her

her disposing as she shall see fitt and further I do nominate
& Appoint my sons Tho: Williford & Wm Williford whole & sole
Executors of this my Last Will & Testament Breaching
all former Wills by me made In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & Affixed my Seal this Eighth the
Day of November one thousand seven hundred & Sixty
Signed Sealed & Acknowledged
in presence of

John F. Williford Esq;
mark

Saml Bailey

Tho: Williford

John Stephenson
mark

Lucas W. Williford

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Executors of this my Last Will & Testament Revoking
all former Wills by me made In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & Affixed my Seal this fifteenth
Day of November one thousand seven hundred & Sixty
Signed Sealed & Acknowledged
in Presence of

Sam Bailey

Tho Williford

John Stephenson

Lucy Williford

John F Williford Esq
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The Court held for the County of Southampton this 10th Day of April 1761

This Will was Presented in Court by Mr. Williford one of the Esors there named the other refusing to join in the Probat thereof - Proved by the Oath of Mr. Williford & by Solemn Affirmations of Samuel Bailey one of the People called Quakers & ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the said Esor who made Oath according to Law. Certificate is granted him for Obtaining a Probat hereof giving Security

Test

Arthur Williams

I, Arthur Williams of Southampton County in Virginia being sick & weak of Body but in Perfect mind & Memory and Calling to mind the uncertainty of this Life & that it is Appointed for all men to Die do think Proper to make Constitute & Ordain this my Will & Testament in manner & form following I witte I Give devise & bequeath to my Daughter Phillis Edwards all things which I have already possessed her with a tract of Land in the Piney Woods containing one hundred & thirty Acres more or less also two yearlings to her & her heirs forever