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In the name of God Amen I Joseph Bradshaw of the County of Southampton  
being of Sound and disposing Mind do make this Writing or my Last will and  
testament. First I give to my Son Joseph Joseph Bradshaw fifty Acres of  
land to be laid off for him on Black Creek towards Jethro Town to him his heirs  
& assigns forever. also one bed and furniture and sow & piggs also one ewe  
& lamb. Also I give to my wife Elizabeth Bradshaw the rest of my Lands  
During her natural life and at her death I give the said lands to be Equally  
divided between my three Sons Lemor Bradshaw William Bradshaw & Elias  
Bradshaw to them and their heirs forever.

Also I give to my Daughter Mary two twenty Shillings Current Money

Also I give unto my Daughter Mary Boone twenty Shillings Current Money

Also I give my daughter Ann Croket twenty Shillings Current Money

Also I give to my loving Wife Elizabeth Bradshaw the remainder of my estate  
during her natural life and at her death to be equally divided between my children  
Honor Bradshaw Ivey Bradshaw Lemor Bradshaw William Bradshaw  
and Elias Bradshaw.

I Also give Joseph Bradshaw my Son one Gun and do hereby appoint my wife  
Elizabeth Bradshaw & Son Joseph Bradshaw Executors of this my last will  
and testament revoking all others by me made In witness whereof I have  
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 11 day of July 1778

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and Elias Bradshaw.

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7. Signed Seal, published and declared  
as the last will & testament of

the testator in the presence of us

Laurance Joyner.

Thomas Bradshaw  
mark

Rebecca Joyner  
mark

Joseph Bradshaw  
mark

At a Court held for the County of South Hampton  
the 10<sup>th</sup> of September 1778 This will was presented in Court by Elizabeth Bradshaw  
one of the executors therein named & proved by the oaths of Lewis Joyner  
& Thomas Bradshaw two of the witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded.

And on the motion of the executor who made oath according to law Certificate  
is granted her for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving Security  
whereupon &

Samuel  
[Signature]