

107 In the Name of God Amen William Sandefur of Hampton
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said County being sick and weak in Body but of sound Mind and
Wise memory thanks be to Almighty God and knowing that it is
appointed for all men once to die I do make this my last will and
~~testament~~^{testament} I do declare and say that in all my
Will heretofore made by me

Impression of my soul & Resign to God that gave it hoping for Pardon and
Remission of all my sins through the merits of his son
of Jesus Christ

Him My Bodys Resign to the Earth from whence it was taken
to be decently buried by my executors hereafter mentioned

Him I give & Bequeath to my son Will Sandefur two Hundred
and twenty five acres of land at the upper end of my land
joining on Ducks Land to begin at the end of Coway or the main
Road to run an East Course to the outside line to include
the said Quantity and to his Heirs for ever

or
N Brounworth to my son Samuel Sandefur two

Road to run an East Course to the west side Line to include
the said Quantity and to his Heirs forever.

Item I give of Bequacath to my son Samuel Sandefur two
hundred & twenty five acres land joining to the former
beginning on the south side of the Creek running south
to include the said Quantity joining Dawson's Line
and to his Heirs forever.

Item I give of Bequacath to my son William Sandefur my Plantation
and all the remainder of my land and to his Heirs forever.

Item It is my will that if either of my sons should die before the
age of twenty one years of age or without lawfull issue then
the dead sons land to descend to the child that my wife is
now married with provided it be a son.

Item It is my will that my wife should have the benefit of all
the timber and Lighwood on all my land during her
widowhood and likewise the said benefit of all the

Estate of what nature or kind soever she may have

beginning on the south side of the Creek running south

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to include the said quantity joining Dawsons line

and to his heirs forever

Item I give of the remainder to my son William Sandefur my plantation
and all the remainder of my land and to his heirs forever

Item It is my will that if either of my sons should die before the
age of twenty one years of age or without a will I sue then

The deceased sons land to descend to the child that my wife is
now child with provided it be a son

Item It is my will that my wife should have the benefit of all
the timber and lighwood on all my land during her

widowhood and likewise the use and benefit of all the

rest of my estate of what nature or kind soever during
lifes widowhood and after her decease or day of marriage
to be equally divided among surviving children according
to law

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I do appoint my well beloved wife Mary my whole and
full pecuniary power last will and Testament by
Witnesses whereof I have set my hand and seal the
26 Day of Aug 1755

Signed sealed and of
Declared in presence of

William Sandefur /ss/

Joseph Jones

Richard Pond

Martha Pond

Ruth Sawyer

The Court held for the County of Southampton on the 17th
Day of November 1755

This Will was presented in
Court by Mary Sandefur the Executrix herein named
Proved by the Oath of Richard Pond and Martha Pond
One of the Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded

And on the Motion of the said Pecuniary who made Oath

According to Law Certificate was granted her for obtaining

Declared in presence of William Sandefur Jr.

Joseph Jones

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Richard Pond

Martha Pond

Ruth ^{her} Sweeper

A Court held for the County of Southampton the 13th

Day of November 1755 this Will was presented in

Court by Mary Sandefur the Executrix therin named

Proved by the Oaths of Richard Pond and Martha Pond

two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded

And on the Motion of the said Executrix who made oath

According to law Certificate was granted her for obtaining
a probate of the same in due form having testimony where-

upon & as

W. Hollard

Ex. J

John Taylor. In the Name of God Amen I Prologue Taylor of the