

In the Name of God Amen I James Arnold of the Parish of Berkley in the County of Spotsylvania being yet in body but of sound mind and perfect memory thankes to god do make and ordaine this my last will and Testament in manner and form following Vizt

I humblye commend my soul to Almighty God who gave it in hope thro the mercies of my blessed Saviour Jesus Christ to receive a glorious life of my soul and my body to the earth to be decently buried by my Executor hereafter named.

It is my desire that all my Lawes dyng and funeral Expences be first paid and then I give and bequeath my Estate that it hath hitherto pleased God to bestowe unto this Banckerye left in the following manner Vizt

I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Arnold one hundred and fifty acres of land lying on the North side the main road under the jurisdiction of my son in law John Steward now living in Spotsylvania County, also in negro man name York, together with my Stock of every kind on leather box and furniture together with all my household furniture of every kind I take or have, and also what cash I have in the house which is better than two pounds the Stock Household furniture & Cash above given is intended to be that were I now live, the Land given to Sarah & her & the heirs of her body lawfully begotten & issue, and the above named negro fellow York after the death of my said Daughter Sarah and my son in law John Steward I give and bequeath to my grandson Charles Steward to him and his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath unto my grandson Charles Steward my house at the Bridge

I give and bequeath to my son George Arnold the remaining part of my past and lying the south side of the main Road sufficiently convenient to be a hundred & fifty acres the same in every way as the land whereto I now live in Spotsylvania County to him and his heirs forever, also the negro fellow viz Charles & Abby together with all my estate of every kind whatsoever in King George County to whom I leave the care of his Mother Sarah Arnold to have a sufficient maintenance out of the above Estate as long as she livis.

And I do constitute and appoint my said son George Arnold Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and revanquishing all other wills hentesore made by me as witness my hand and seal this 24th day of July 1750

Acknowledged before my Last will & Testament in presence of
Henry Pendleton
John Bartholomew
James Simonsen

James Arnold