

In the Name of God Amen I George Shepard of the Parish of Saint George and
County of Potowmac being of Sound Mind and Perfect Memory thanks be to God
for the same To make Constituto and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament
in manner and form following. Inprimis I Recommend my Soul into the hands
of my Great Creator and Blessed Redeemer and my Body to the Earth to be Decently
Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter Named and as to What
Worldly Estate With which it has Pleased God to Bless me with, after the
Payment of my Just Debts and funeral Charges, I give & Bequeath as Follows to Wit
I Item I give & Bequeath unto my two Sons George & Robbart the Land I now live on
to be Equely Divided between them before Ainslaged. ~~It~~ ~~It~~ ~~It~~ ~~It~~
and then to be Ainslaged to Each of them.

I Item I give and bequeath unto my son George the mare Colt that Come of the Gray Mare

I Item I give & Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Elezabeth the Gray mare

I Item My Will and Desire is, that the two first Colts that the mares shall Bring shall
be for my two Sons Robbart and James, and that James to have all my Carpenders Tools

I Item I give and bequeath unto my son John one Shilling Starling

I Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann one Shilling Starling

I Item And as to the Rest of my Estate, I Leave unto my Loving wife Elezabeth During
her Life.

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Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter Named and unto What
Worldly Estate With which it has Pleased God to Bless me with, after the
Payment of my Just Debts and funeral Charges, I give & Bequeath as Follows the Viz.
Item - I give & Bequeath unto my two Sons George & Robbart the Land I now live on
to be Equely Devided between them before Ainslaged. ~~It~~ ~~It~~ ~~It~~ ~~It~~
and then to be Ainslaged to each of them, &

Item - I give and bequeath unto my son George the mare Colt that come of the Gray Mare

Item - I give & Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Elizabeth the Gray mare

Item - My Will and Desire is that the two first Colts that the mares shall Bring I shall
be for my two Sons Robbart and James, and that James to have all my Carpenter's Tools

Item - I give and bequeath unto my Son John one Shilling Sterling

Item - I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann one Shilling Sterling

Item - And unto the Rest of my Estate, I Leave unto my Loving wife Elizabeth During
her Life or Widowhood, and then to be Devided Equely between my four Children Elizabeth
Robbart, George and James.

And lastly of this my Last Will and Testament, I ordain and Appoint my Loving Wife
Elizabeth to be Whole and sole Ex^r Revoking and Making Void all
other Wills heretofore by me made, and Ratifying and Confirming

This to be my Last Will and Testament as a free Testimony Whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this ^{the} 10 Day of Jan^r Anno 1751 in the Twenty
third year of his Majestys Reigh,

George ^{his} Shepard ^{Seal}
mark

Sign. Seals & Delivered
By George Shepard to
be his last Will and
Testament in the
Presence of us -

John Holladay
Benj^r Holladay
Robt^r R. Gregory
mark

At a Court hold for Spotsylvania County On Tuesday October 9th 1751

The last Will & Testament of George Shepard Dec^d. was
proved in Court, and ^{Elizabeth} Mary Angolick Shepard Executrix therein named, having made oath
to the same, & Entered into bond as the law directs, The said Will is ordered to be recorded

Test Edmund Waller Clk^t C^t