

March Court A.D. 1773.

In the Name of God AMEN I Taithy Roberts
 of Sussex County being of perfect mind and memory thanks be to Almighty
 God and calling to remembrance the uncertainty of humane life and that
 all flesh must yield to death do make this my last will and Testament in
 manner and form following first I commend my soul to Almighty God who
 gave it me trusting in the merits of my crucified Saviour for the remission
 of my sins and as to settling what temporal Estate I hath pleased Almighty
 God to bestow upon me I dispose of as follows (to wit)

I promise I give and bequeath unto my son Willut Roberts one Iron Pot to him
 and his Heirs for ever -

Item I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin Roberts all my Stock of Cattle
 Sheep and Geese one Leather Bed and Furniture one Bell Metal Skillet and half
 a Dozen Chairs also all my Crop of Tobacco after paying the Sheriff my Dues to John
 Gilliam what sum him and to William Roberts Twenty shillings worth of Clothe
 out of a Store all this I give to him and his Heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughters Mary and Sarah Roberts and son
 Benjamin Roberts three cows with their heats to be equally divided amongst them this
 I give to them and their Heirs for ever

Item I give and Bequeath to my Daughters Mary and Sarah Roberts one Red Cow and
 her five year old Hugo to be equally divided this I give to them and their Heirs
 for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Roberts my best Spinning Wheel and
 side Saddle to her and her Heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Roberts and son Benjamin Roberts
 all my Cotton after the Cotton Sow is paid ^{to be equally divided} to them and their Heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughters Maral and Sarah Roberts all my Crop of Wheat
 my weareing apparel and New Cloth to them and their Heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Children John Gilliam Ann Jones Mary Roberts Sarah Roberts
^{Witnesse Roberts} and Benjamin Roberts all my Crop of Corn and Peas to be Equally divided to them and their Heirs for
 ever

Item my Crop of Toddy I desire may be left for the use of Mary Roberts Sarah Roberts &
 Benjamin Roberts according as they shall have need for wintering their creatures

Item all the rest residue and Remainder of my Estate after my debts are paid I desire may be sold and
 Equally divided amongst my six following Children to wit John Gilliam Ann Jones ^{not my}
 Roberts Sarah Roberts Willut Roberts and my will and desire is that my said Estate may be appraised
 Lastly I appoint my Son Benjamin Roberts my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will
 and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this
 Twenty first day of September anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and twenty one

Signed sealed and acknowledged
 in the presence of us

John Weston } At a Court held for Sussex County the 18 day of March 1773.
 Patrick Lashley }

The last Will and Testament of Taithy Roberts deceased was presented in Court by Benjamin Roberts
 the Executor therein named whom made oath thereon as the Law directs and the same was proved by
 the Oath of Patrick Lashley one of the Witnies thereto and by the Court ordered to be Recorded
 and on the motion of the said Executor Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate thereof

Seite a la Bourne E.C.

Taithy Roberts her mark