

Vaughan John In the Name of God Amen I John Vaughan of the County
His Will 3 of Romney in the County of Westmoreland in Virginia being
sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory praise be god for
the same do make this my last will and Testament in manner & form
following Inprimis I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty
God my maker and Creator Hoping by the death and passion of Jesus
Christ my redeemer to receive forgiveness of all my sins, I give my body
to the Earth from whence it came to be decently interred by the old house
upon the plantation where I now live at the direction of my Executors
hereafter named And for worldly goods wherewith god in his mercy hath
blessed me I give and bequeath as followeth First I give and
bequeath unto my very loving wife Ellen Vaughan the plantation
whereon I now live with all the dwelling houses and Tobacco houses with
appurtenances thereunto belonging with other the decess during her
natural life And after her decease I give the said plantation with the
appurtenances as aforesaid unto my son Samuel Vaughan and his heirs
forever; and if my said son Samuel Vaughan shall happen to die
without heirs or heirs, then I give the said plantation with the
appurtenances as aforesaid unto my son William Vaughan his
heirs and assigns forever. I Give I give and bequeath unto my son
William Vaughan his heirs and assigns forever a tract of land
containing 500 Acres of land granted me by patent and bearing
date the 4th of September 1661. I Give I give and bequeath unto my
son in law Mr John Watts his heirs and assigns forever a tract of
land containing four hundred Acres situated lying and being in the
old house cruke also I will give and bequeath unto my aforesaid son in
law Mr John Watts his heirs and assigns forever another tract of land
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in the County of Westmoreland aforesaid And the rest of my personal estate
in General as household stuff servants hogs cattle ready Tobacco
and what I am now possessed withall I give and bequeath unto my
very loving wife Ellen Vaughan forever whom I make the sole
and full Executrix of this my last will and Testament and further
it is my will and mind that my said wife shall be guardian
to my aforesaid sons Samuel and William Vaughan till they
shall be of full age, And I doe hereby make null and Void all
former wills and Testaments by me made and doe ratify and