

Sturman Richard

Will

In the name of God amen Richard Sturman of Wyoming in the county of Westmoreland being sick of body but of sound and perfect sense and memory doe hereby make this my last will and Testament following In witness whereof, my will and desire is that my whole estate in Maryland, Virginia, England and Elsewhere, as lands, Edifices, all manner of Chattels and every part and parcel of my estate both real & personal be by my loving Rebecca Sturman, alienated sold & disposed of either for ready money or tobacco, between this and this time twelve months, from my here and here's power, and that what money and sums of money, tobacco & sums of tobacco my land and lands, edifices and Edifices, Chattels and Chattels, and every part and parcel of my estate soe alienated and sold too and for the use hereafter mentioned that is to say, my debts being first paid, my will order and appointment is, that what tobacco's and money my whole estate, soe alienated and sold should produce, that it be all transmitted for dowson in England and be equally divided between my loving wife Rebecca Sturman and my three children, as namely, Richard Sturman Valentine Sturman and Margant Sturman, and if my wife be now with child and that said child be born alive into the world and alive to the age of one and twenty that then it have an equal share of my whole estate

with my wife and Children aforementioned and I do hereby
appoint my loving wife Rebecca to see my whole and sole last will
this my last will and Testament hereby giving and granting unto
my said Executrix as full power and authority in and to the said
wills, selling and disposing of all my lands, and Chattels and every part
and parcel of all my real estate and personal estate in all places
aforesaid to the use purpose and Interest aforesaid as any
learned Council in the law, might, could or can advise or desire and
such alienations and sales to be abide and remain in as full force
and power as if it were by my self personally done, Further I do
hereby nominate and appoint my loving Brother Thomas Hall
of London merchant and his son Thomas Hall of London merchant
the overseers of this my last will and Testament hereby willing
and ordaining, that if it should please god my loving wife
should depart this life before my children, arrive at the
age of one and twenty years, that then my said Children and
their estates be in the charge, tuition and custody of my said
oversers and during the life of my said wife that my children
and their estates be and remain in the care, charge, custody and
tuition of their mother, Further my will and appointment
that my wife and children doe the next shipping transport themselves
for England and that my children do there remain and a-
bide and if my wife should be desirous to return for Virginia
my will is that no part of my childrens estate be brought with
her but that it abide and remains in England in the hands
of the overseers of this my will and that as they shall arrive
at the age of one and twenty they be possessed with their
estate and that in the mean time they be educated according
to the will of god and if it shall please god that any

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overseers and during the life of my said wife that my children
and their estates be and remain in the care, charge, custody and
tuition of their mother, Further my will and appointment
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of the overseers of this my will and that as they shall arrive
at the age of one and twenty they be possessed with their
estate and that in the mean time they be educated according
as their estates will allow, and if it shall please god that any
of my said Children depart this life before they come to the age
of one and twenty, my will and appointment is that the
deceased Childs estate be equally divided amongst the
survivors and if none of them arrive to the age of one and
twenty, that then their estates be and remain unto my
loving wife forever, further my will and appointment is
that, if it should please god my wife should depart this
life before she hath sold and alienated my estate afor-

mentioned that then my overseers of this my will and Testament
 have as full and ample power in and to the alienating selling and
 disposing of all my lands and Chatties and every part and
 parcel of my estate both real and personal as I have given
 to my loving wife and that such alienations be and to
 the use and uses aforesaid and further my will is
 that if my wife accepts of what I have herein Willed
 and bequeathed unto her she shall receive it, for and
 in consideration of her things, further I doe desire my well
 beloved friends Colo Nicholas Spencer, and Lieutenant Colo
 John Washington to be aiding and assisting my loving friend
 wife in their advice in the disposing of my estate as
 afore appointed, Further I doe declare this to be my
 last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former
 wills by me made In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal March the 5th 1668
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Richard Sturman Seal

Nicholas Spencer

John Howling

} 7th of April 1669. This will was proved
 by Nicholas Spencer and John Howling.
 Witnesses thereto and then recorded.

Dodson Thomas's

Will

} In the name of God amen I Thomas Dodson of
 Yeocumoco in the county of Westmoreland in Virginia do make
 this to be my last will and Testament Viz^t

First I doe desire that all my last debts be paid, and after my
 debts are paid, I doe give and bequeath unto John Moor
 one hiffe - I doe give and bequeath unto