

In The Name of God amen This 7th day of April 1698 I Richard West of the Parish
of Cople in the County of Westmoreland in Virginia, being sick and weak in body but
in perfect memory thanks be to God for it, and calling to Remembrance the uncertainty
Estate of this life and yielding unto Death when it shall please God to call for me I do
make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner as followeth, and
first being Sorry for my Sins from the bottom of my heart most humbly desiring forgiveness
for the same, I give and Commit my Soule to Almighty God Saviour Jesus Christ
in whom I trust to have pardon and forgiveness for all my Sins and that my Soule
with my body at the General resurrection Day shall rise again with joy and Inheritt
the Kingdom of heaven prepared for his elect; Item I give and bequath unto
Charles Dunkan, the son of Peter Dunkan a Bay horse marked P.D. in the near
Buttock with her Increase, to him and his heirs forever, Item I give and bequath
unto Peter Dunkan, the son of Peter Dunkan my Gun, to him and his heirs; Item
I give and bequath unto John Batten a Mare branded with R.W. in the near
buttock and my long Gun to him and his heirs, Item I give and bequath unto Mary
Batten a Browne Cow with a Star in her forehead, and the first Cow calf shall
fall from her to Elizabeth Batten, and the Cow calf that goes with the Cow to Elizabeth
Batten to them and their heirs forever, and as for Peter Dunkan Sen. I make my full
and whole Executor In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & Seal
the Day and yeare above written

Peter Smith Mary Lynn

Richard West

Westmoreland Jc. At a Court held for the said County the 27th day of April 1698.

This Will was proved by the Oaths of Peter Smith & Mary Lynn

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A Probate granted to Peter Dunkan sen. Executor therein named to the will
ordered to be Recorded

Teste James Westcomb CMC.

March 21st 1698

In The Name of God amen I Richard Amshundred of the County of
Westmoreland, being very sick & weak in body but of Perfect Memory thanks be
given to God for it, calling to mind the mortality of my body thanks be given to
God and knowing it is appointed for all men once to die, I doe make and
(ordaine)