

Smith
will
In the Name of God Amen I Edmond Smith of the
County and Parish of York being Weak and Sick but of perfect Memory
praise be to Almighty God do make and Ordain this my last Will and
Testament.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Lawrence Smith all my
Tract of Land whereon I now live to him and his Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas Smith all my Land
on back Creek to him and his Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mildred Smith my
Lot of Land in York Town whereon I am now building it is my
Will and desire that the House should be finished out of my Estate

I likewise give unto my daughter Mildred one Negro Girl named
Grace to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Smith three hundred
Pounds and one Negro Girl named Peggy

Item it is my Will and desire that my land in Spotsylvania be sold for
the Use of my Estate and paying my youngest Daughters legacy.

Item it is my Will and desire that my loving Wife have the Use of
my Estate during her Widowhood and after her Decease or Marriage
that what part of my Estate is not willd away be equally divided

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Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Smith three hundred Pounds and one Negro Girl named Peggy.

Item it is my Will and desire that my land in Spotsylvania be sold for the Use of my Estate and paying my youngest Daughters legacy.

Item it is my Will and desire that my loving Wife have the Use of my Estate during her Widowhood and after her Death in Marriage that what part of my Estate is not willed away be equally divided between my two Sons Laurence and Thomas.

I do hereby Appoint my loving Wife, William Nelson, Samuel Reader and Daniel Moore my Executors to see this my Will fulfilled and it is my desire that my Executors be not obliged to give Security In Witnes hereof I do hereunto set my hand and Seal this thirteenth day of December 1750.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
Presence of us

George Reader
Samuel Reader
John Payson
Robert Smith

Edm Smith [Ld]

At a Court held for York County the 18th day of March 1750

This Will was presented in Court by Agnes Smith Ex^{ca} therein named and Samuel Reade Gent being appointed Guardian by the Court to Lawrence Smith an Infant Heir at Law of the decedent to Contest the proof of the said Will declared that he had nothing to object to the proof thereof Whereupon the same was approved by the Oath of Samuel Reade John Payson and Robert Smith Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded And on the motion of the said Executrix who made Oath according to Law Certificate was granted her for obtaining a Probat thereof in due form Liberty being reserved to the other Executors named in the said Will to join in the Probat when they shall think fit.

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Tho: Overand C. Clk.

Attorney
will } In the Name of God Amen the twenty sixth day of October in the Year of
our Lord 1750 I Ann Allen of Wotchampton Parish in the County of York being
very Sick and weak in Body but of Perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given
To Almighty God but calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that
it is appointed for me once to dye do make this my last Will & Testament
that is to say Principally and first of all I give and recomend my Soul into
The hands of God that gave it and for my Body I recomend it to the Earth
to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my
Executors hereafter mentioned and as touching such worldly Estate as I have with