

Jones
will

In the Name of God Amen I Humphrey Jones of Bruton
Parish in York County and Colony of Virginia being in sound and perfect
sense and memory calling to mind the uncertain stay of mortals in this
present World do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and
form following Viz^t

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my loving Kinsman Ralph
Graves that part and Tract of Land I now live on commonly called broad
neck to him and his Heirs and Assigns forever also I give and bequeath to my
Kinsman Ralph Graves that part and Tract of land lying in the upper part of York County
Joining on Ritchie McCarty and Wadd also I give to my Kinsman Ralph Graves my two
Negroes Matt & Tom the above Land and Negroes to him his Heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my loving Kinswoman Mary Cook that
part and Tract of Land lying on the Mill Swamp where Henry Bates now
lives Joining on the South side of Fleming Bates and on the Land
belonging to Rhodes's Orphan to her her Heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Friend William Graves Sen^r the
Just Sum of twenty five Pounds Current Money for his trouble as he hath
done for me to him his Heirs and Assigns forever

Item it is my desire that all the rest of my Estate after my Just
Debts and Funeral Charges are paid shall be equally divided between
my loving Kinsman Ralph Graves & my Kinswoman Mary Cook

Witth I in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and my Friend

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my loving Kinsman Ralph Graves & my Kinswoman Mary Cook.

Lastly I appoint my loving Kinsman Ralph Graves and my Friend
William Graves my whole and sole Executors of this my last Will
and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made
declaring this and only this to be my last Will and Testament In
Testimony of which I have herunto set my hand and affixed my Seal

This thirteenth day of January 1755

Signed & Sealed in Presence

of. Lips Jackson

Ambrose Jackson

Chesley Buffin

his
Humphrey + Jones (d. J.)
mark

At a Court held for York County 15th December 1755.

This Will was proved by the Oaths of Fipps Jackson and Chesley -
 Buffin Witnesses thereto Sworn to by Ralph Graves & Wm Graves
 the Executors therein named and Ordered to be recorded and on the
 Motion of the said Executors who together with Thomas Hornsby
 and Fipps Jackson their Securities entered into and Acknowledged
 Bond as the Law directs Certificate was granted them for obtaining
 a Probat in due form.

Exam^d

Teste

Tho: Everard Es: Clerk.

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In the Name of God Amen I John Gay
 being Sick and weak of Body but of Sound and perfect Memory
 thanks be to God for the same do make this my last Will & Testament
 in manner and form as followeth.

Imprimis I recommend my Soul into the hands of the Almighty
 God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be buried according to
 the discretion of my Executor hereafter named and as to what
 Temporal Estate the Lord of his Mercy hath been pleased to bestow
 upon me I give and bequeath as followeth