

Bond in the Penalty of One thousand Pounds for his the said John Baptiste due and faithful Admon of the Estate of the said Decedent and performance of her Will.

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Teste Tho: Everard & G: Cunt:

Bryan & wife.

In the Name of God Amen I John Bryan being sick and weak in Body but of perfect Sense and Memory do make this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

Item I Give and bequeath to my son Mann Bryan my Negro Man named Dick and six head of Cattle and six head of Sheep to him and his Heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath to Martha Bryan Wife of my son Mann Bryan my young grey riding Mare.

Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Ann Jude Wife of George Jude my Negro Man named Will to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Bryan my Negro Wench named Moll and her Increase and my Negro Man named Sam after my Wifes Death to her and her Heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath to my said Daughter Mary after my Wifes decease a Bed and furniture and six large and six small silver Spoons. Item I Give and bequeath to my son John Bryan my Negro Man named London to him and his Heirs forever.

Item I Give and bequeath to my Granddaughter Mary Bryan Daughter of my son Mann Bryan my Negro boy named Darby to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I Give and bequeath to my loving Wife my Plantation lying in York County and the remainder of my Stock and my Negroes Sam, Dawsey, Tommy and Phillis and her future Increase during her life and after her Decease then I Give the same to my son Frederick Bryan to him and his Heirs forever.

Item all the rest of my Estate both real and Personal I Give to my loving Wife during her Life and after her death I Give the same to my son Frederick Bryan to him and his Heirs forever Lastly I appoint my loving Wife Martha Bryan and my Brother Benjamin Bryan Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and Affixed my Seal this twenty seventh Day of December 1747.

Signed Sealed Published and Declared to be his last Will and Testament in Presence of us (the Words to her and her Heirs forever being first interlined in the twelfth line)

John Bryan. (d. s.)

George Nicholas
John Coker
Sam: Bryan.

At a Court held for York County, the 15th Day of February 1747.

This Will was proved by the Oaths of George Nicholas, John Coker & Justin Bryan the Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded And on the Motion of Martha Bryan one of the Executors who made Oath according to Law Certificate was granted her for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form giving Security On which she together Henry Wetherburne and John Coker her Securities entered into and Acknowledged Bond in the Penalty of fifteen hundred Pounds for her due & faithful Admⁿ of the Estate of the said Decedent and performance of his Will Reserving Liberty to Benjamin Bryan the other Executor to join in the Probate when he shall think fit.

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Teste Tho: Everard *J. C.* Cwl:

Staise Thos: In Obedience to an Order of York Court Dated the 18th Day of January
 App: his S^{ts} (1747. We the Persons mentioned in the said Order being Sworn Edward Tabb,
 Gerrard Roberts and Thomas Tabb have Appraised the Estate of Thos:
 Staise as followeth.

1 Cotton Ginn 7/6.	1 Spinning Wheel 5/.	0.. 12.. 6
1 Flax Wheel 14/.	3 Worsted Combs 2/6	0.. 17.. 6
1 Square Table 15/.	1 Oval Maple D ^o . 10/.	1.. 5.. 0
1 Square Table 5/.	1 smaller D ^o . 5/.	0.. 11.. 3
1 Sand Glass 2/.	5 high top Cane Chairs 2 5/ each	1.. 5.. 9
13 Flag Chairs 22/.	4 D ^o . 2 1/.	1.. 10.. 0
1 Spinning Wheel 7/.	1 Ox Chain 7/6.	2 p ^o . Doggs 15/
1 p ^o . Tonge and Shovel 2/.	1 Large Chest 15/.	0.. 17.. 0
1 Desk of Book Case 100/.	1 Set Mapp 40/.	7.. 0.. 0
Parcel of Books 2 25.	4 Slates of Pencils 2/6.	25.. 5.. 6
6 Quire Paper 2 1/8.	2 Penknives of a Lancet 2/.	0.. 12.. 0
1 Mans Saddle 15/.	1 pair Leather Baggs 1/3	0.. 16.. 3
1 Cow Bell 2/.	1 Parcel old Iron 5/.	0.. 7.. 0
3 brass Strappings 2/.	3 Siches 5/6.	1 Hand saw 5/.
1 Drawing Knife 2/.	1 pair Garden Shears 2/.	0.. 4.. 0
2 Mens Hats 10/.	1 p ^o . Spatterlashes 5/.	0.. 15.. 0
Parcel old Mens Shoes 5/.	3 Ink Stands 3/.	0.. 8.. 0
1/2 doz. Pipes a parcel of Dicks 2/.	30 Conisters 5/.	0.. 7.. 0
1 small Case Draw 7/6	1 Comb Case 2/6	0.. 10.. 0
1 Sinden Box flint and Steel 4.		0.. 1.. 3
3 p ^o . Cotton Cards 3/9.	3 Baskets 3/.	0.. 6.. 9
2 Bed 1 Bedstead & their furniture		6.. 0.. 0