

Goodwin's
will

In the Name of God Amen I Rebecca Goodwin of York-
hampton Parish in the County of York being in good and sound Mind and
Memory Praise be therefore given to Almighty God I do make and ordain this
my present Last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows that is to say
First and principally I commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, hoping
through the Merits Death and Passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full
and free Pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to inherit everlasting life
and my Body I commit to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of
my Executors hereafter named and as touching the disposition of all such
Temporal Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I Give
and dispose thereof as follows First I Will that my Debts and funeral
Charges should be paid and discharged.

Item I do Give unto my Son John Goodwin two Negroes Old Tom & Young Tom
to him and his Heirs forever and twenty Pounds Current Money and one
feather bed and bolster and half my Chair and my Silver Salt Seller one Silver
Spoon & my great Copper between him and his Brother James Goodwin.

Item I do give unto my Granddaughters Rebecca Goodwin and Alice Goodwin
Daughters of Capt John Goodwin one Negro fellow Frank to them and their
Heirs forever my Will is that all my wearing Cloaths be divided in two parts
one half to my Daughter Rachel Charles the other half to be equally divided
between Rebecca Goodwin and Alice Goodwin.

Item I do Give unto my Daughter Rachel Charles one Negro George one
Negro Girl Easter and one Silver Tumbler to her and her disposal and one
Barren Cow to her liking and twenty Bushells of Corn and eight Bushells of Wheat

Item I do Give unto my Son James Goodwin one Negro Boy Maria one
Negro Wench Sue and one Negro Man Sawney to him and his Heirs forever
only paying to my Son Peter Goodwin three Daughters ten Pound a piece
also I give him one feather Bed and bolster my black box my Gold Ring I now
wear my Silver Tankard to him twofold and then to my Grandson Peter
Goodwin and my great looking Glass and one large Sheer also I give unto
my Grandson Peter Goodwin my Mare in the Island

Item I do Give unto my three Granddaughters Rebecca Goodwin Mary
Goodwin and Ann Goodwin Daughters of Peter Goodwin one feather Bed
and bolster one Silver Spoon between them.

My Will is that the rest of my Estate be divided in five parts three parts to my
three Children John Goodwin Rachel Charles and James Goodwin the other two
parts one for my Daughter Ann Goodwin's two Daughters Rebecca Goodwin and
Alice Goodwin to be divided between them but if either of them should die before
they come to Age or Marrieth then my Will is that my Grandson John Goodwin
Son of Capt John Goodwin should have the deceased one part or parts the other part
to be divided between my Son Peter Goodwin three Daughters Rebecca Goodwin
Mary Goodwin and Ann Goodwin.

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I do constitute Ordain and Appoint my two Sons John Goodwin and
James Goodwin my true and lawful Executors of this my last Will and
Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal
this 19th day of September in the Year 1748.

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of

Rebecca ^{her} Goodwin (L.S.)
mark

William Adduston Rogers

Elizabeth ^{her} Burcher

Barbary ^{her} Adduston Rogers
mark

Alta Court held for York County the 21st day of November 1748.
This Will was proved by the Oaths of William Adduston Rogers & Elizabeth
Burcher Witnesses thereto sworn to by John Goodwin and James Goodwin
the Executors therein named and Ordered to be Recorded And on the
motion of the said Executors Certificate was granted them for obtaining
a Probat thereof in due form giving Security On which they together
with Edward Mose and William Adduston Rogers their Securers
entered into and Acknowledged Bond according to Law.

Exam^d

Teste Tho^s Everard J. Cud.

In the Name of God Amen I Robert Kay of Charles
Parish in York County being at this time very Sick and Weak in Body