

Georgia In the name of God, Amen
 I Samuel Stark of the City of Savannah
 require being of a sound disposing
 mind, memory and understanding and
 considering the uncertainty of human life
 Do make my last will and Testament in
 manner and form following that is to say
 after all my just debts and funeral expenses
 are fully paid and satisfied I give devise
 bequeath assign state both real personal
 chattels and wheresoever and of what
 nature kind, species except my Law Books
 and office furniture unto my Son John
 William Stark his heirs Executors Admin-
 istrators and assigns for ever Subject nevertheless
 to the payment of the several sums of money
 and Legacies herein after mentioned But if
 it should happen that my said Son shall
 depart this life before he shall arrive at
 the age of twenty one years then I give
 devise and bequeath all my said Estate
 both real and personal (subject as above
 mentioned) unto my nephew Benjamin
 Stark the son of my late Brother Benjamin
 now living with Sir George Monro to be
 hold to my said nephew his heirs
 administrators and assigns for ever
 But if my said nephew shall happen to die
 before he shall attain the age of twenty

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have a competent provision during his
minority I do direct that there be paid and
allowed by my Executors out of the proceeds
of my Estate for the Board maintenance and
education of my said Son the sum following
that is to say, when my son shall arrive
at the age of twelve and until he shall
attain the age of fourteen years, the sum
of forty five pounds per annum from the
age of fourteen to sixteen years the sum
of fifty pounds per annum from the age
of sixteen to twenty the sum of eighty
pounds per annum and from the age of
twenty to twenty one years the sum of
one hundred pounds I give bequeath
unto my nephew Benjamin Smith the son

of Benjamin) for the purpose of providing him
with cloaths and necessaries during his Clerk
ship the Sum of thirty pounds Sterling per
annum which I desire my Executors
to pay yearly and every year Sum Third
during the Clerkship of my said Nephew
into the hands of Sir George Houlston
who is earnestly requested to attend to the
application thereof. And I do further give
and bequeath unto my said Nephew the
Sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds to
be paid him within twelve months
after the expiration of his Clerkship provided
that Sir George Houlston (if then alive)
do certify to my Executors that my said
Nephew hath conducted himself during
his Clerkship in a good and orderly manner
and that he thinks him deserving of the
said sum to set him forward in life in the
profession he shall have been brought
up to. I give and bequeath unto my
friend Mr Charles Harris as a mark of my
regard and esteem for him all my Law
Books and Office furniture and also the
Sum of two hundred pounds Sterling to be paid
him within twelve months after my
Death for the purchase of a suit of
mourning and a mourning Ring -

My friends, Mr John Williamson and his
wife having taken upon themselves the
care of my said son since the decease of his
mother and having reared him in every
respect as their own child I do request that
each of them will accept of a bill of mourning
and a mourning ring as a testimony of gratitude
for their parental care and affection to my said
son and I do hereby nominate constitute
and appoint my friends the said John William-
son and Charles Davis Joseph May the younger
and William Stephens Sam & Shirk Esquires
and my said Nephew Benjamin Shirk to be
executors of this my last will, Testament
hereby revoking and making void all former
and other wills by me at any time heretofore
made I do declare this to be my last will
and Testament. The Witnesses aforesaid
and myself have hereunto set my hand and
Seal and to the three foregoing pages have
set my hand this first day of March in the
year of our Lord one thousand three hundred
and ninety three and in the nineteenth year of
the Independence of the United States of America
Sam & Shirk (S)

Signed sealed published and declared by the
Testator as and for his last will, Testament
in the presence of us who in the presence of the Testator
and in the presence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names as before say -
Witnessed, I, William Shirk, John Long

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Before me James Whitefield
Registered of Probats for the County
of Mathews appeared Thomas
McMullis Junior who being sworn saith
that he was present and did see James
Stickresquire sign and publish, and seal
the foregoing bond and signed papers
to be and contain his last will, Testament
and that he was of sound mind at the time
to the best of this Deponent's belief and that
Jacob Healburger and John Long together
with this Deponent subscribed their
names as witnesses thereto at the request
and in the presence of the said Testator.
I sworn this Day of 1st March 1793
Whitefield N.P.C.

In witness whereunto John
Williamson one of the Deputies, named
in the said will